# **Caswell County**

FABRICS BY JO MORTON





Stepping Out quilt designed and made by **Candy Hargrove** 

Machine quilted by: Maggi Honeyman

Quilt Size: 70" x 70"

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### About Caswell County

It was a happy day when I found the larger paisley document, followed by the paisley stripe document. They are the basis to create this beautiful group for you. The companions complement the paisley pieces and I see beautiful rich quilts in your future. Don't forget, these prints will be perfect for fussy cutting your English paper piecing projects. Can't wait! — *Jo Morton* 

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## **Stepping Out**

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: CASWELL COUNTY by Jo Morton Quilt designed and made by Candy Hargrove and guilted by Maggi Honeyman

#### Quilt finishes 70" x 70"

This exquisite quilt will delight the person who is seeking a fresh look for a time-honored patchwork tradition. The Steps to the Altar variation blocks are constructed with simple triangles and strip-pieced units. Lovely paisleys and striped prints add an elegant touch.

#### **Cutting Directions**

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include 1/4" seam allowances. A fat ¼ is an 18" x 20"-22" cut. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus 1/4" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

Cut (16) setting squares  $2'' \times 2''$ 

-		Yardage	Fabric
Fabric A	blocks	<sup>1</sup> ∕₂ yard	7675-T
Fabric B	border	1¾ yards	7676-TN
Fabric C	sashes	11⁄8 yards	7677-T
Fabric D	blocks	<sup>3</sup> ⁄4 yard 7678-R	
Fabric E	binding	⅔ yard	7679-TN
Fabric F	blocks	<sup>3</sup> ⁄4 yard	7680-R
Fabric G	blocks	¹∕₂ yard	7680-TY
Fabric H	set. square	fat ¼ yard	7681-RK
8 Med. Prints	blocks	fat ¼ yard ea.	
	7678-RT	7678-T	7678-TR
	7680-RN	7680-T	7681-RO
	7681-TR	7681-TY	
7 Lt. Prints	blocks	fat ¼ yard ea.	
	7641-N	7642-K	7642-N
	7643-K	7643-N	7644-K
	7644-N		
Backing		4½ yards	7675-R

Fabric A	Cut (9) squares 61/8″ x 61/8″, cut in half diagonally to make 18 half-square triangles	*8 Med. Prints	Cut (36) total strips 2″ x 13″ (cut in sets of 2, 4, or 6)	
Fabric B Fabric C Fabric D	<ul> <li>Fussy-cut (4) borders 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 60<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>", cut lengthwise</li> <li>Fussy-cut (24) sashes 2" x 18<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>", cut lengthwise</li> <li>Cut (45) squares 3<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" x 3<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>", cut in half diagonally to make 90 half-square triangles (read Step 2 before cutting)</li> </ul>	7 Lt. Prints	Cut (54) squares 37/8" x 37/8", cut in half diagonally to make 108 half-square triangles (cut in sets of 6) Cut (36) total strips 2" x 13" (cut in sets of 4 or 6)	
Fabric E	Cut (8) strips 2½″ x WOF for regular binding or cut bias strips 2½″ wide, pieced to make binding 8 yards long		<b>Backing</b> Cut (2) panels 39" x 78", pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides *Note that Fabric F is used in four-patch units	
*Fabric F	Cut (45) squares 37/8" x 37/8", cut in half diagonally to make 90 half-square triangles (read Step 2 before cutting)	in 2 blocks. If you wish to repeat this, cut 4 strips 2" x 13" from Fabric F, and cut 32 strips from other medium prints.		
Fabric G	Cut (9) squares 61/8″ x 61/8″, cut in half diagonally to make 18 half-square triangles			
Fabric H	Cut (4) squares 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " x 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "			

#### **Fabric Requirements**

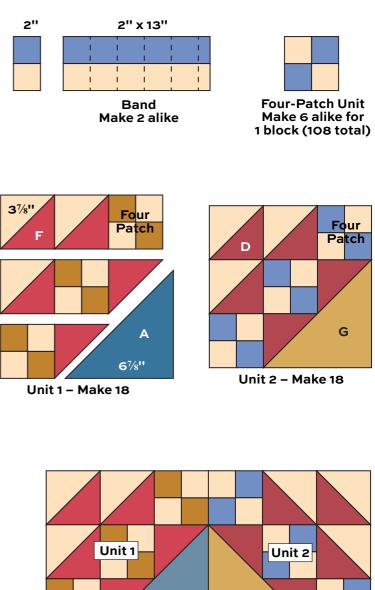


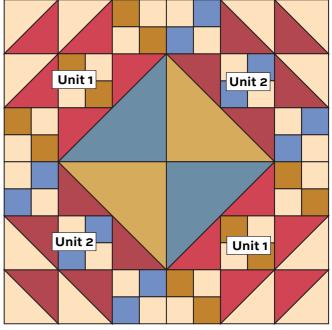
#### **Making the Quilt**

- Referring to the Band diagram, join a light strip with a medium strip. Press seam allowances toward the darker strip. Make a second band using the 2 same fabrics. Cut each band into 6 segments 2" wide (12 segments total). Sew 2 segments together to make a Four-Patch Unit. Make 6 alike for one block. Repeat with all the 2" x 13" strips to make a total of 108 Four-Patch Units, made in sets of 6. Set units aside.
- 2. Units 1 and 2 use half-square triangles that finish 3". Use your favorite method to make the necessary HST for each block, or follow these directions. Referring to the Unit 1 diagram, sew a light 3%" triangle with a Fabric F triangle to make a half square triangle unit that should measure 3½" edge to edge. Make 3 HST all alike. Arrange the 3 HST, 2 F triangles, and 3 Four-Patch Units in horizontal rows as shown. Join the rows. Sew a Fabric A 6%" triangle to the corner. Make a second unit just like this one. Make a total of 18 Unit 1's in sets of 2.
- **3.** Follow the directions in Step 2 to make 2 Unit 2's alike, using Fabric D and light triangles to make the HST. Sew a Fabric G triangle in the corner. Make a total of 18 Unit 2's in sets of 2.
- **4.** Referring to the Block diagram, sew 2 Unit 1's and 2 Unit 2's into a square, rotating the units as shown. Make 9 blocks.
- 5. Arrange the 9 blocks as you wish, noting that Fabric A and Fabric G triangles are turned in the same way in each block. Join 3 blocks with 4 Fabric C sashes to make a block row. Make 3 block rows. Join 3 sashes with 4 Fabric H setting squares to make a sash row. Make 4 sash rows. Join the rows.
- 6. Sew a Fabric B border to the sides of the quilt. Sew Fabric H 5½" square to ends of remaining borders and sew to the top and bottom.

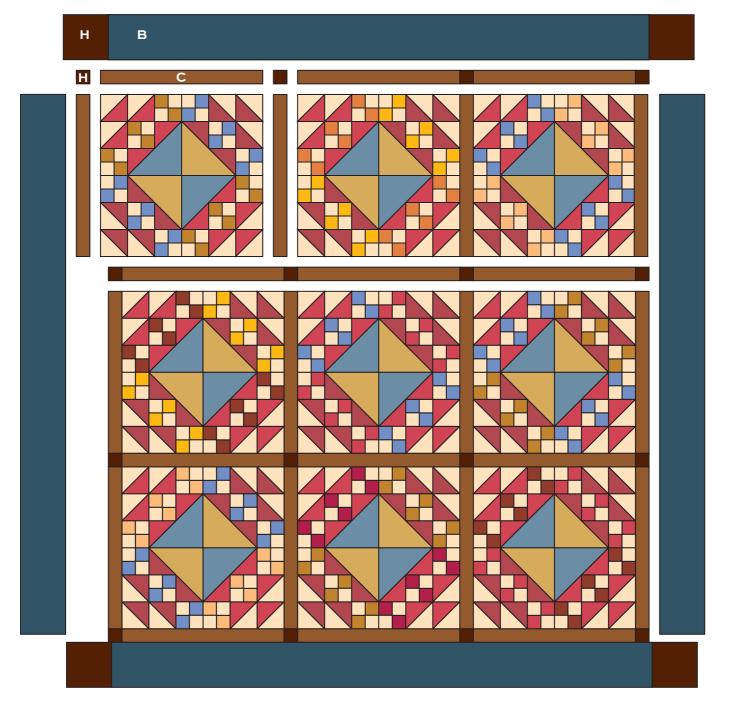
#### **Finishing the Quilt**

7. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt the Fabric A and G triangles as you wish. Quilt around the printed motifs in the border and sashes. Bind to finish the quilt with straight-grain or bias binding.





Block – Make 9



Quilt Diagram

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\*Indicates fabrics used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 25% of actual size.

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