## Crimson Bouquet

## Fabrics by Jo Morton



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Finished size: $641 / 2{ }^{\prime \prime} \times 641 / 2 "$

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## Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: Crimson Bouquet by Jo Morton Quilt designed and made by Candy Hargrove and quilted by Maggi Honeyman

Quilt finishes $641 / 22^{\prime \prime} \times 64^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime}$
4 Large Blocks: 12 " x 12"
44 Small Blocks: 6" x 6 "
Red and green quilts have been a favorite of quiltmakers for generations. This controlled scrappy quilt with old-fashioned charm has a surprising touch of blue in the center. There are only four $12^{\prime \prime}$ blocks and the rest are easy-to-piece 6" blocks. Follow the diagram carefully to arrange the "positive" and "negative" small blocks so that the colors frame the center.

## Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches.
All measurements are cut sizes and include $1 / 4$ " seam allowances. A fat $1 / 8$ is a $9 " \times 20^{\prime \prime}-22^{\prime \prime}$ cut of fabric. A fat $1 / 4$ is an 18 " x 20 " -22 " cut. Borders are cut the exact lengths required plus $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).
The scrappy 6 " blocks are made with the background and foreground colors reversed in the Positive ( + ) and Negative ( - ) Blocks. Refer to the diagrams and to the cutting directions below to determine the number of Positive and Negative 6" Blocks to make in each colorway.

## One Positive (+) 6" Block:

Red, green, or blue patches
Cut (4) squares $25 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
Yellow or cheddar orange patches
Cut (1) square $41 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 4^{1 / 4} 4^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally
twice to make 4 quarter-square triangles
Cut (2) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally
to make 4 half-square triangles
Cut (1) square $25 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
One Negative (-) 6" Block:
Yellow or cheddar orange patches
Cut (4) squares $25 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
Red, green, or blue patches
Cut (1) square $41 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 41^{1 / 4}$ ", cut in half diagonally
twice to make 4 quarter-square triangles
Cut (2) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 4 half-square triangles
Cut (1) square $25 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$

## Fabric Requirements

|  |  | Yardage | Fabric |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fabric A | setting \& blocks | 1 yard | $5318-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric B | blocks | $1 / 2$ yard | $5318-\mathrm{O}$ |
| Fabric C | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5318-\mathrm{RK}$ |
| Fabric D | blocks | fat $1 / 8$ yard | $5318-\mathrm{T}$ |
| Fabric E | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5319-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric F | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5319-\mathrm{LR}$ |
| Fabric G | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5319-\mathrm{T}$ |
| Fabric H | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5319-\mathrm{V}$ |
| Fabric I | blocks | $1 / 2$ yard | $5412-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric J* | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5412-\mathrm{R}$ |
| Fabric K | blocks | fat $1 / 3$ yard | $5413-\mathrm{B}$ |
| Fabric L | blocks | $1 / 3$ yard | $5413-\mathrm{Y}$ |
| Fabric M | blocks | fat $1 / 4$ yard | $5414-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric N | blocks | $1 / 2$ yard | $5414-\mathrm{R}$ |
| Fabric O | blocks | $1 / 3$ yard | $5415-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric P | blocks, border | $15 / 8$ yards | $5415-\mathrm{R}$ |
| Fabric Q | blocks, border | 1 yard | $5085-\mathrm{Y}$ |
| Fabric R | blocks, binding | $11 / 8$ yards | $5096-\mathrm{O}$ |
| *Additional fabric required for backing. |  |  |  |
| *Backing |  | 4 yards | $5412-\mathrm{R}$ |

Fabric A Cut (4) squares $93 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 93^{\prime \prime} 4^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally twice to make 16 quarter-square triangles
Cut (2) squares $93 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 93 / 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 4 half-square triangles
Cut (4) squares $53 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 53 / 4$ " for outer border corners
Cut (4) squares $2 " \times 2$ " for inner border corners
Cut patches for (1) Negative and (1) Positive 6" Block (see above)

Fabric B For (2) Green 12" Blocks:
Cut (8) rectangles 2 " x $3^{1 ⁄ 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$
Cut (2) squares $33 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 33 / 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally twice to make 8 quarter-square triangles
Cut (8) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
Cut (4) squares $2^{\prime \prime} \times 2^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 8 half-square triangles
Cut (10) squares 2" x 2 "
Cut patches for (5) Negative and (6) Positive 6" Blocks (see above)

Fabric D Cut patches for (1) Positive 6" Block (see above)

| Fabric G | For (2) Green and (2) Red 12" Blocks: <br> Cut (16) squares 2" x 2 " <br> Cut patches for (1) Negative 6" Block (see above) |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fabric I | For (2) Green 12" Blocks: <br> Cut (4) squares $3^{7 / 8 "} \times 3^{77} 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally to make 8 half-square triangles <br> Cut (8) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Cut (24) squares 2" x $2^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Cut patches for (1) Negative and (1) Positive $6^{\prime \prime}$ Block (see above) |
| Fabric K | Cut patches for (1) Negative 6" Block (see above) |
| Fabric L | Cut patches for (5) Negative and (6) Positive 6" Blocks (see above) |
| Fabric N | For (2) Red 12" Blocks: <br> Cut (4) squares $3^{7 / 8 "} \times 3^{7 / 8 "}$, cut in half diagonally to make 8 half-square triangles <br> Cut (8) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Cut (24) squares 2" x $2^{\prime \prime}$ <br> Cut patches for (3) Negative and (3) Positive 6" Blocks (see above) |
| Fabric O | Cut (8) strips 2" x 9¹⁄2" for Red 12" Blocks, cut lengthwise |
| Fabric P | Cut (4) borders 53/4" x 541/2" <br> Cut (8) strips 2" x $9^{1 / 2}$ " for Green $12^{\prime \prime}$ Blocks, cut lengthwise |

Fabric $\mathbf{Q} \quad$ Cut (6) strips 2" $\times$ WOF, pieced to make the following: (4) borders 2 " x $511 / 2 "$

Cut patches for (6) Negative and (5) Positive 6 " Blocks
Fabric R Cut (7) strips 21/2" x WOF for binding
For (2) Red 12" Blocks:
Cut (8) rectangles 2 " x $3^{1 ⁄ 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$
Cut (2) squares $33 / 8 " \times 33 / 8^{\prime \prime}$, cut in half diagonally twice to make 8 quarter-square triangles
Cut (8) squares $23 / 8^{\prime \prime} \times 23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
Cut (4) squares 2 " x 2 ", cut in half diagonally to make 8 half-square triangles
Cut (10) squares $2^{\prime \prime} \times 2^{\prime \prime}$
Cut patches for (6) Negative and (5) Positive 6" Blocks (see above)
Fabrics C, F, J Cut patches for (3) Negative and (3) Positive 6" Blocks from each (see above)
Fabrics E, H, M Cut patches for (2) Negative and (2) Positive 6" Blocks from each (see above)

Backing $\quad$ Cut (2) panels $37^{\prime \prime} \times 73^{\prime \prime}$, pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

## Making and Assembling the Quilt

1. Feel free to cut patches for the $6 "$ blocks in any color combinations you wish. The yardage is sufficient to cut more negative or positive blocks than listed under each fabric. Referring to Diagram 1, join the $4^{1} / 4^{\prime \prime}$ quarter-square triangles, $23 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ halfsquare triangles, and $25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ squares as shown to make the number and colors of blocks listed. Set blocks aside.



Make 12 + Block


Make 8 + Block


Make 2 + Block


Make 12 - Block


Make 8 - Block


Make 2 - Block
2. Refer to the Flying Geese Unit (Diagram 2). Fabrics in parentheses are for the Red Block. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each Fabric I (N) 2" square. Place a
 marked square on one end of a
Fabric B (R) 2 " x $3^{1 ⁄ 2} 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle, right sides together.
Sew on the marked line; trim away and discard excess fabric. Press open. Repeat this process on the opposite end of the rectangle to make a Flying Geese Unit. Make 4 units per block ( 16 total).
3. The 12 " blocks use halfsquare triangles (HST) that finish $11 / 2$ " square. Use your favorite method to make HST, or follow these directions. Draw a


Diagram 3 diagonal line on the wrong side of each Fabric I (N) $23 / 8$ " square (Diagram 3). Place a marked square on a Fabric B (R) square, right sides together. Sew $1 / 4$ " seam on each side of the marked line; cut apart on the marked line. Press open to make pieced HST. Make 8 HST for each block ( 32 total).
4. To make the center pieced units for each 12" block, sew Fabric G $2^{\prime \prime}$ squares, Fabric B (R) 33/8" quarter-square triangles, and Fabric B (R) 2" half-square triangles as shown (Diagram 4). Make 2 of each colorway ( 4 total). The 2 " corner patches are slightly oversized, so trim the units to $43 / 4$ " square (includes seam allowance).
5. Referring to the Green 12" Block

Assembly, sew Fabric I $37 / 8$ " half-square triangles to each side of the blue centers from Step 4. Sew an HST Unit to ends of a Flying Geese Unit (Diagram 5). Be careful to rotate the HST correctly. Repeat. Sew these rectangles to opposite sides of the center square. Make 2 more pieced rectangles, and add $2 "$ background squares to the ends (Diagram 6). Sew to the top and bottom. Sew Fabric P 2" x $91 / 2$ " strips to sides of the block. Add Fabric I 2" squares to ends of remaining strips and sew to top and bottom. Make 2 Green Blocks. Make 2 Red Blocks referring to Red Block diagram for colors.


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6. Referring to the Quilt Assembly, join 2 Positive and 2 Negative $6 "$ red blocks to make the center square. Join 1 red, 2 green, and 1 blue 6 " blocks to make (4) four-block squares, following the diagram carefully for color and positive/negative block placement. Sew the 12 " blocks and four-block squares into 3 rows of 3 blocks each. Join the rows.
7. Sew the remaining green and red $6 "$ blocks into diagonal rows, again noting placement of the positive and negative blocks. Sew Fabric A $93 / 4$ " quarter-square triangles to ends of the rows. Join the rows to make 4 corner units. Sew to the edges of the quilt. Sew a Fabric A $93 / 8$ " half-square triangle to each corner.
8. Sew Fabric Q borders to the sides. Add Fabric A 2" squares to the ends of 2 borders and sew to the top and bottom. Repeat these steps to add Fabric P borders and Fabric A $53 / 4$ " corner squares.

## Finishing the Quilt

9. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Bind to finish the quilt.


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