

Hurrah Quilt

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: Hurrah by Jo Morton
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Have fun making quick scrappy stars with prints and stripes from Jo Morton's new patriotic collection. What a great gift this quilt would be for a veteran or for your favorite collector of Americana. Go ahead and wave the flag!

Quilt finishes: 63½" x 63½" 40 Pieced Blocks: 6" x 6"

Fabric Requirements and Cutting Directions

Note: Border measurements are given in the exact lengths required, including ¹/₄" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide). A fat quarter is an 18" x 21" cut of fabric. A fat eighth is a 9" x 21" cut of fabric.

1½ yards 4899-B

From the length of the fabric, cut (4) outer border strips $6\frac{1}{2}$ " x 52"

11/4 yards 4900-R*

Cut (12) strips 2" x WOF. Cut and piece to make:

- (2) top/bottom inner borders 52" long
- (2) side inner borders 49" long
- (36) sashes 6½" long

Cut (7) binding strips 2½" x WOF)

3/4 yard 5197-K

Cut (8) strips 2½" x WOF, cut into (24) sashes 14" long

Cut (1) strip 2" x WOF, cut into (9) 2" squares

1/4 yard 2879-R

For cornerstones, cut (16) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " squares, centering each square on a star

5/8 yard 5196-R

Cut (16) 2" x 3½" rectangles and (16) 2" x 2" squares for (4) block backgrounds

* includes binding

Fat ¼ each: 4901-N, 5198-B

From each, cut (24) 2" x 3½" rectangles and (24) 2" x 2" squares for (6) block backgrounds

4223-Y, 4901-L, 5196-Y, 5198-Y

From each, cut (20) 2" x 3½" rectangles and (20) 2" x 2" squares for (5) block backgrounds

4223-R

Cut (4) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares and (32) 2" x 2" squares for the (4) corner block stars

5195-K, 4223-DW, 4899-K, 5197-B, 4900-B, 5195-B, 2879-LB

Cut 32 sets of star patches, with each set containing (1) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square and (8) 2" x 2" squares

Backing**

5196-R 4 yards or two panels 72" x WOF

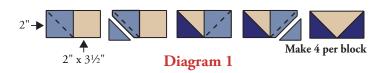
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Assembly

- 1. Make the blocks. For each star, choose (1) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square and (8) 2" x 2" squares from the same star fabric and (4) 2" x 3½" rectangles and (4) 2" x 2" squares from the same background fabric. Referring to diagram 1, align a 2" x 2" star square with an end of a 2" x 3½" background rectangle. Sew diagonally across the star square. Trim off excess fabric, leaving 1/4" seam allowance. Press the triangle open. Repeat for the other end of the rectangle. Make 4 units like this.
- 2. Arrange these units and remaining patches as shown in the block piecing diagram. Join the patches. Make 36 blocks.
- 3. Sew a 4900-R 2" x 6½" sash between two blocks. Repeat to make two block rows. Sew a 5197-K square between two more 4900-R sashes to make a sash row. Referring to the quilt assembly, sew the sash rows between the block rows to make a four-block unit. Make 9 four-block units.
- **4.** Sew three four-block units alternately with (4) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 14" 5197-K sashes, beginning and ending with the sashes. Make 3 rows like this.
- **5.** Sew (3) 2½" x 14" 5179-K sashes alternately with (4) 2½" x 21/2" 2879-R fussy-cut squares, beginning and ending with the squares, to make a sash row. Make 4 sash rows.
- **6.** Referring to the quilt assembly diagram, join the sash rows alternately with the rows of four-block units.
- 7. Matching centers and ends, sew the 2" x 49" 4900-R side borders to the sides of the guilt. Similarly, sew the 2" x 52" top/bottom borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.
- Referring to step 1 and using star patches cut from 4223-R and background patches cut from 5196-R, make 4 corner blocks.
- 9. Matching centers and ends, sew 4899-BG borders to the sides of the quilt. Sew the corner blocks to the ends of the remaining 4899-BG borders. Matching centers, ends, and side seams, sew these borders to he top and bottom of the quilt.

Finishing

- 10. Join the 2 backing panels along the long edges and trim to fit the guilt with a 4" overlap. Layer the guilt top with batting and backing. Quilt in the ditch around the block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs in the borders or as desired.
- 11. Join the 4900-R binding strips end to end with diagonal seams. Bind to finish the quilt.



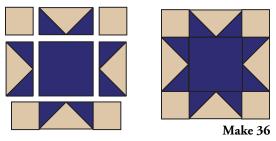


Diagram 2

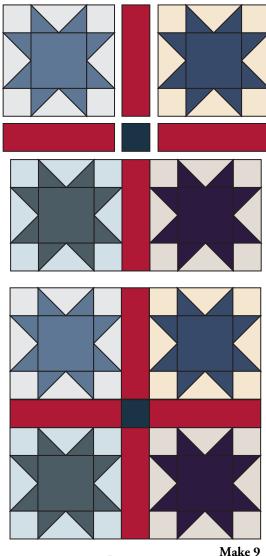


Diagram 3



Quilt Diagram

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