## IQSC Reconciliation

FABRICS BY KATHY HALL AND JO MORTON FOR THE INTERNATIONAL QUILT STUDY CENTER


Quilt Design: Jean Ann Wright
Quilt Size: 56" x 64"
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## About Reconciliation

The Reconciliation Quilt was bought for $\$ 264,000$ in 1991, and later donated to the International Quilt Study Center and Museum at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

The quilt was made in 1867 , shortly after the Civil War, by
Lucinda Ward Honstain of New York. The quilt consists of 40 unique blocks
depicting scenes of hope and compassion as the country began to reunite.

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## Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: IQSC RECONCILIATION by Kathy Hall

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Quilt finishes 56" x 64'
36 Flying Geese Blocks: 2" x 4"

Tradition with a capital T. Lovely florals and subtle geometrics surround a folk-art panel inspired by a nineteenth-century quilt. To turn the quilt into an heirloom, quilt around the printed motifs to give the appearance of hand appliqué.

## Cutting Directions

Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches. The white border strips (Fabric H) are cut slightly over-sized. Read Step 1 before cutting. A fat $1 / 8$ is a $9^{\prime \prime} \times 20 "-22^{\prime \prime}$ cut of fabric. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately $42^{\prime \prime}$ wide).

## Fabric Requirements

|  |  | Yardage | Fabric |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fabric A | setting, blocks | 2 panels (13 yards) | $3956-\mathrm{R}$ |
| Fabric B | outer border | $13 / 4$ yards | $3626-\mathrm{E}$ |
| Fabric C | blocks | $11 / 2$ yard | $3622-\mathrm{E}$ |
| Fabric D | binding | $5 / 8$ yard | $3628-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric E | blocks | fat $1 / 8$ yard | $3958-\mathrm{B}$ |
| Fabric F | blocks | fat $1 / 8$ yard | $3959-\mathrm{R}$ |
| Fabric G | blocks, border | fat $1 / 8$ yard | $5319-\mathrm{G}$ |
| Fabric H | inner border | $11 / 2$ yards | A-T-Tapioca |
| 8 Fat $1 / 8$ s | blocks | fat $1 / 8$ yard ea. |  |
|  |  | $3628-\mathrm{Y}$ 3630-B | $3630-\mathrm{RO}$ |
|  |  | $3631-\mathrm{E}$ | $3631-\mathrm{RO}$ |
|  | $5412-\mathrm{G}$ | $5419-\mathrm{V}$ |  |
|  |  | $33 / 4$ yards |  |
| Backing |  | $3625-\mathrm{E}$ |  |

## Fabric A

Fussy-cut (2) panels each $241 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ x 401/2", cut crosswise (Read Step 1 first)

## Fabric B

Cut (4) borders $41 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 561 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, cut lengthwise

## Fabric C

Cut (96) squares $21 / 22^{\prime \prime}$ for Flying Geese Blocks

## Fabric D

Cut (7) strips $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x}$ WOF for binding

## Fabric E

Cut (7) rectangles $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41^{\prime \prime} 2^{\prime \prime}$ for Flying Geese Blocks

## Fabric F

Cut (5) rectangles $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41^{1 / 2}$ for Flying Geese Blocks

## Fabric G

Cut (4) rectangles $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ for Flying Geese Blocks
Cut (4) squares $21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ for border corners

## Fabric H

Cut (2) borders 3" x 49", cut lengthwise (Read Step 3 before cutting)
Cut (2) borders $3^{\prime \prime} \times 451 / 2^{\prime \prime}$, cut lengthwise
8 Fat 8 's
From each: Cut (4) rectangles $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 41 / 2$ " for Flying Geese Blocks

## Backing

Cut (2) panels 36 " x 64 ", pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

## Making the Quilt

1. It is important to fussy-cut the 2 Fabric A panels so that when joined, the design appears continuous and the seam is invisible. The best way to accomplish that is to trim the panels so they are joined at the edge of the horizontal red "sash." Trim the top long side of one panel $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ beyond the red sash. (You will be trimming the background.) Trim the bottom long side of the second panel $1 / 4$ " away from the edge of the white printed squares. (You will be trimming off some of the outer red sash.) Place the first panel on top of the second and pin to be sure that the panels don't shift. You want the vertical sashes to look continuous. Join the panels in a scant $1 / 4$ " seam. Check the front side to be certain that the seam is right at the edge of the printed sash. If you are happy with the results, press the seam toward the sash.

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2. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each Fabric C $2^{1 / 2 \prime \prime}$ square. Place a marked square on one end of a $21 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x}$ $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle, right sides together. Note orientation of the printed stripe on the square. Sew on the marked line; trim away and discard excess fabric (Diagram 1). Press open. Repeat this process on the opposite end of the rectangle (Diagram 2) to make a Flying Geese Block. Make 48 total, using Fabric C squares and all $2^{11 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x}} 4^{1 / 2^{\prime \prime}}$ rectangles. Set aside.

3. The Fabric H borders are cut slightly oversized to allow for any discrepancy in size once the panels are joined. Sew the long borders to the sides of the panel; trim ends even with the edges of the quilt. Sew the shorter borders to the top and bottom. Measure and trim the quilt to $441 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 521 / 2^{\prime \prime}$.
4. Referring to the Quilt Diagram, join 13 Flying Geese side by side to make a pieced border. Feel free to follow the diagram for color placement or arrange them as you wish. Sew to the side. Repeat for the other side. Sew 11 Flying Geese side by side to make a border. Sew Fabric G squares to both ends. Sew to the top. Repeat for the bottom.
5. Sew Fabric B borders to the sides, and then to the top and bottom.

## Finishing the Quilt

6. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs and sashes in the panels. Quilt outer border as desired. Bind to finish the quilt.


Quilt Diagram

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$3628-G$


3631－E

3625－E


3628－Y


3631－RO
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3630－B


3958－B


3956－R


3622－E


3959－R

Fabrics from Andover Textured Solids

A－T－Tapioca

Fabrics from Crimson Bouquet by Jo Morton


5319－G


5319－V


5412－G


5415－G

All fabrics are used in quilt pattern．Fabrics shown are $15 \%$ of actual size．

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