

## Arabesque Quilt

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: Arabesque by Kathy Hall Quilt designed and made by Davida J. Hyland and machine quilted by Barbara Persing

#### Welcome!

Rich with detail, and warm in color, the fabrics in this quilt bring elegance to the traditional Ohio Star block. And, to make this quilt even more attractive, it can be made in a day! Smart piecing and large blocks combine for a wonderfully quick design.

This pattern calls for bias binding using a plaid print fabric for a stunning finish. Our cutting list gives you the correct square size for continuous bias techniques as well as number of inches needed. For help with continuous bias or traditional bias piecing, ask your favorite quilt store or check out the many online instructions.

Quilt finishes 70" x 70" 9 Ohio Star Blocks 15" x 15"

### **Fabric Requirements and Cutting Directions**

| 1867-O10   | 3/4 yard Dark Orange Dimple Print (blocks, 3rd border)  |
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| Cut (10)   | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " squares   |
| Cut (2)  | 1½" x 53" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips  |
| Cut (2)  | 1½" x 55" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips  |
| 1867-N1<br>Cut (10)<br>Cut (4)<br>Cut (2)<br>Cut (2)   | 3/4 yard Dark Brown Dimple Print (blocks, cornerstones, 2nd border) 61/4" squares 2" squares 11/4" x 511/2" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips 11/4" x 53" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips |
| <b>1867-N</b><br>Cut (8)   | 1/2 yard Light Gold Dimple Print (blocks)<br>61/4" squares  |
| 4084-MR  | 5/8 yard Dark Brown/Multicolor Tiny Floral Spray Print (blocks)   |
| Cut (8)<br>Cut (5)   | 6½" squares 5½" squares   |
| <b>4080-MR</b> *Cut (2) *Cut (2) Cut (24)  | 2½ yards Brown/Multicolor Large Paisley Tapestry Print (blocks, outer border) 8" x 70" strips lengthwise 8" x 55" strips lengthwise 5½" squares   |
| <b>4083-MR</b> Cut (16)  | 5/8 yard Brown/Gold/Turquoise Paisley Print (blocks) 51/2" squares  |
| <b>4086-T</b> Cut (12) Cut (2) Cut (2)   | 7/8 yard Turquoise/Brown Small Print (sashing, inner border) 2" x 15½" strips 2" x 48½" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips 2" x 51½" strips, pieced from 3 width of fabric strips                       |
| *Cut first.  |   |
| Backing and Binding  |   |
| 4082-MR 4 yards Brown/Multicolor Paisley Tapestry Stripe (backing) Cut and piece lengthwise to fit quilt top with 4" overlap on all sides. |   |

Brown/Red Plaid Print (bias binding)

33" square for continuous bias binding (a total of 300" of 2½-3"-wide binding is needed)

4085-MR

Cut (1)

1 yard

### Making the Blocks and Pieced Border

- 1. Referring to Diagram A, draw 2 diagonal lines on wrong side of dark orange dimple 6½" square. Place marked square on dark brown 6½" square, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Sew ½" seam on each side of 1 marked line. Cut apart on unsewn line first and then on sewn line. Press open to make pieced triangles. Make 40. In same manner, stitch together light gold dimple and dark brown/multicolor floral spray print 6½" squares to make pieced triangles. Make 32.
- 2. Stitch pieced triangles together as shown (Diagram B) to make hourglass units. Make in fabrics and quantities shown.
- 3. Referring to Diagram C and watching orientation of hourglass units, sew 3 rows using 4 brown/multicolor large paisley tapestry print 5½" squares, 4 orange/brown hourglass units and 1 floral spray 5½" square. Stitch rows together to make Ohio Star Block A. Make 5. In same manner, sew 3 rows using brown/teal small paisley 5½" squares, 4 gold/spray hourglass units, and 1 large paisley tapestry print 5½" square. Stitch rows together to make Ohio Star Block B. Make 4.

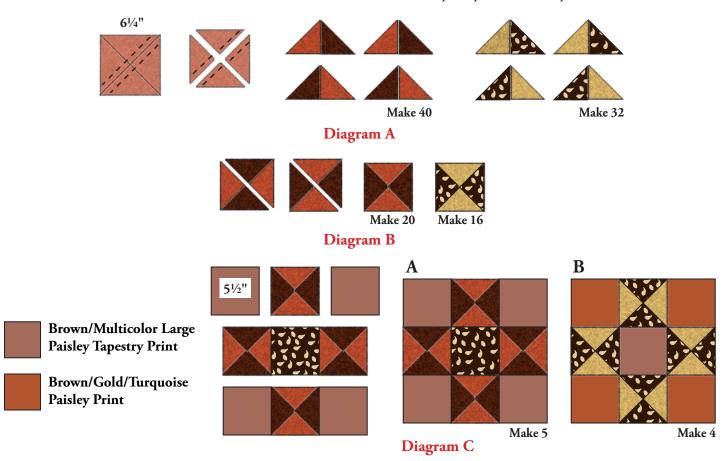
### Assembling the Quilt

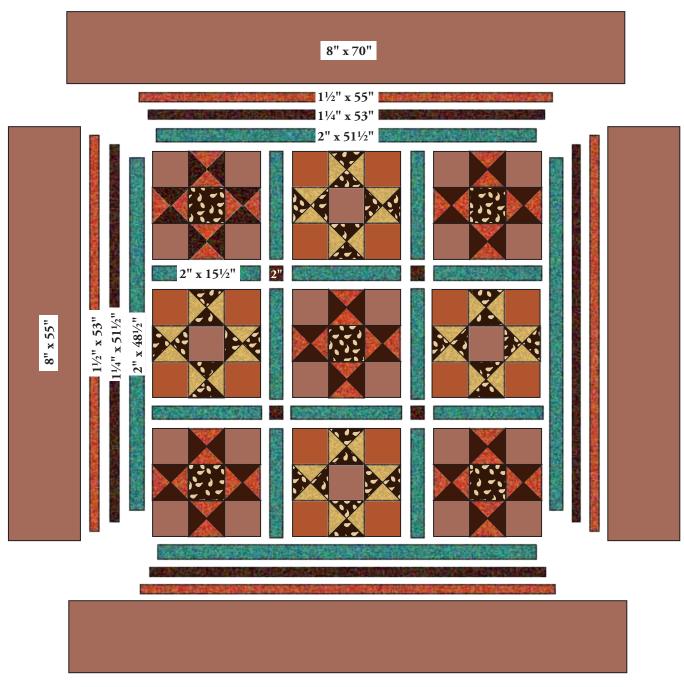
Note: Refer to Quilt Diagram and photo for following steps.

- 4. Stitch together 2 A blocks, 2 turquoise/brown small print 2" x 15½" strips, and 1 B block to make top block row. Repeat to make bottom block row. In same manner, stitch together 2 B blocks, 2 turquoise/brown 15½" strips, and 1 A block to make middle block row.
- 5. Sew 3 turquoise 15½" strips and 2 dark brown dimple 2" squares together, alternating, to make sashing row. Make 2. Stitch block rows and sashing together, alternating, to make quilt center.
- 6. Sew turquoise 48½" strips to sides. Sew turquoise 51½" strips to top and bottom. Stitch dark brown dimple 51½" strips to sides. Sew brown 53" dimple strips to top and bottom. Sew dark orange dimple 53" strips to sides. Stitch orange dimple 55" strips to top and bottom. Lastly, stitch large paisley tapestry print 55" strips to sides and large paisley 70" strips to top and bottom.

### Finishing the Quilt

7. Layer quilt with batting and brown/multicolor paisley tapestry stripe backing. Quilt as desired. Bind with bias-cut brown/red plaid print to finish quilt (see Welcome!).





Quilt Diagram

Brown/Multicolor Large Paisley Tapestry Print

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