# John Hewson

by Kathy Hall

for Winterthur Museum and Country Estates





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## Winterthur John Hewson Quilt

Introducing Andover Fabrics new collection: John Hewson by Kathy Hall for Winterthur Museum and Country Estates Quilt designed by Jean Ann Wright

Fabric E

Fabric Requirements			
	•	Yardage	
Fabric A	center panel	24" motif	5491-M
Fabric B	border panels	⅔ yard	5495-M
Fabric C	borders, cornerstones	<sup>2</sup> /3 yard	5624-B
Fabric D	borders, blocks	11/4 yards	5623-B
Fabric E	borders, blocks	1 yard	5625-R
Fabric F	borders	1/4 yard	5625-N
Fabric G	blocks	3/8 yard	5622-E
Fabric H	blocks	3/8 yard	5623-M
Fabric I	blocks, binding	11/4 yards	5624-R
Fabric J	blocks	1 yard	5624-L
Fabric K	outer borders	2 yards	5494-M
Fabric L	backing	47/8 yards	5622-M

Quilt finishes 74" x 74" 16 Star Blocks: 12" x 12" 4 Corner Blocks: 6" x 6"

Start with a large-scale printed floral basket motif showcased as the center of an historic quilt design. Next add an innovative pieced and printed border. Then add another border all around using traditional star blocks. Finally, add the perfect ending with the floral-bouquet stripe in the outer border of this medallion-style quilt.

#### **Cutting Directions**

**Note:** WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

**Fabric A** Fussy-cut (1) 22½" high x 20½" wide rectangle for center panel

Fabric B Fussy-cut (2) 5½" x 10½" rectangles, centering the large bird motif

Fussy-cut (2) 4½" squares, centering the small bird motif

Fussy-cut (4) 6" squares, center the medium bird motif (2 face left/2 face right), for corner blocks

Fabric C Cut (7) strips 1½" x WOF; cut these strips as follows for borders:

Cut (2) ½½" x 2½½" center panel side borders

(2) ½" x 2½½" center panel top/bottom borders

(4) ½" x 5½" strips, (6) ½" x 10½" strips and (2) strips ½" x 34½"

Cut (2) strips ¾" x WOF; crosscut these strips into (16) ¾¾" squares for cornerstone blocks

Fabric D Cut (1) strip 4½" x WOF; crosscut strip into (12) 2½" x 4½" rectangles for flying geese units Cut (1) strip 5¼" x WOF; crosscut strip into (2) 5¼" squares for inside corner units Cut (4) strips 4¾" x WOF; crosscut strips into (32) 4¾" squares for Star blocks Cut (3) strips 2½" x WOF; crosscut strips into (40) 2½" squares for flying geese units

Cut (2) strips 4½" x WOF; crosscut strips into (20) 2½" x 4½" rectangles for flying geese units Cut (1) strip 5¼" x WOF; crosscut strip into (2) 5¼" squares for inside corner units Cut (6) strips 1½" x WOF; piece together for (2) 1½" x 60½" and (2) 1½" x 62½" borders Cut (2) strips 2½" x WOF; crosscut into (24) 2½" squares for flying geese units

Fabric F Cut (2) strips 1½" x WOF; crosscut strips into (4) 1½" x 12½" strips for borders Cut (2) strips 1½" x 36½" for borders

**Fabric G** Cut (2) strips 4½" x WOF; crosscut strips into (16) 4½" squares for Star blocks

**Fabric H** Cut (2) strips 5½" x WOF; crosscut strips into (16) 5½" squares for Star blocks

Fabric I Cut (4) strips 51/4" x WOF; crosscut strips into (32) 51/4" squares for Star blocks
Cut (2) 1" x wof strips, recut into (4) 1" x 6" pieces and (4) 1" x 61/2" pieces
Cut (8) strips 21/4" x WOF for binding

Fabric J Cut (2) strips 5¼" x WOF; crosscut strips into (16) 5¼" squares for Star blocks
Cut (4) strips 4¾" x WOF; crosscut strips into (32) 4¾" squares for Star blocks

**Fabric K** Cut (4) identical strips 6½" x 62½" along fabric length for outer borders.

**Backing** Cut (2) panels 42" x 82" and piece to fit quilt top with 4" overlap on all sides

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#### Completing the Star Blocks

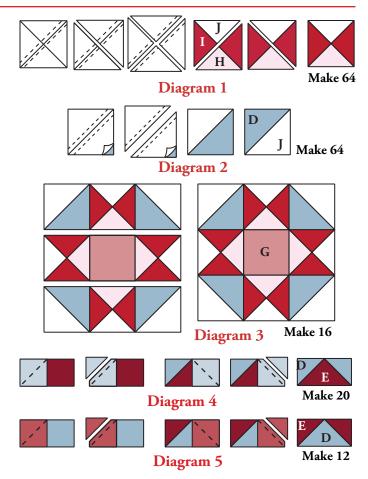
**Note:** Refer to Diagrams 1–3 to complete the Star blocks.

- 1. Draw diagonal lines from corner to corner to make an X on the wrong side of each 51/4" fabric H and fabric J square.
- Place a marked 51/4" fabric H square right sides together with a 51/4" fabric I square. Stitch 1/4" on each side of one marked line. Cut apart on both marked lines and press the four resulting units with seams toward I. Repeat with all H squares to make a total of 64 H/I units.
- 3. Repeat step 2 with the 51/4" fabric J squares and remaining 51/4" fabric I squares to make a total of 64 I/J units.
- Select and join one each H/I and I/J unit to complete a pieced H/I/J unit. Repeat to make a total of 64 H/I/J units.
- Mark a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each 47/8" fabric J square. Place a marked fabric J square right sides together with a 47/8" fabric D square. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked line; cut apart on the marked line to make two D/J units referring to Diagram 2. Repeat with the remaining fabric D and fabric I squares to make a total of 64 D/J units.
- To complete one Star block, select and sew one H/I/J unit between two D/J units to make a row; press seams toward the D/J unit. Repeat to make a second row.
- Select and sew one H/I/J unit to opposite sides of a 4½" fabric G square to make the center row; press seams toward the fabric G square.
- Sew the center row between the two rows pieced in step 6 to complete one Star block; press seams toward the center row.
- Repeat steps 6–8 to complete a total of 16 Star blocks.

#### Completing the Flying Geese Units

Note: Refer to Diagrams 4 and 5 for making Flying Geese units.

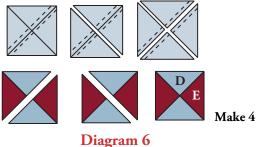
- 10. Mark a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each 21/2" fabric D square.
- 11. Place a marked fabric D square right sides together on one corner of a 21/2" x 41/2" fabric E rectangle and stitch on the marked line; trim seam to 1/4" and press the fabric D piece to the right side. Repeat on the opposite end of the fabric E rectangle to complete one D/E/D Flying Geese unit. Repeat to make a total of 20 D/E flying geese units.
- 12. Repeat step 10 with the marked 2½" fabric E squares and the 2½" x 4½" fabric D rectangles to make a total of 12 E/D/E flying geese units.



#### Completing the Inner Corner Units

Note: Refer to Diagram 6 for all steps.

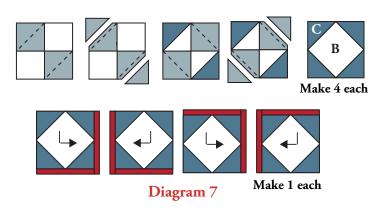
- 13. Draw diagonal lines from corner to corner to make an X on the wrong side of each 51/4" fabric D square.
- 14. Place a marked 51/4" fabric D square right sides together with a 51/4" fabric E square. Stitch 1/4" on each side of one marked line referring to Diagram 6. Cut apart on both marked lines and press the four resulting units with seams toward E. Repeat to make a total of eight pieced units.
- 15. Select and join two pieced units to complete one inner corner unit; press seam to one side. Repeat to make a total of four inner corner units.



#### Completing the Corner Blocks

Note: Refer to Diagram 7 for all steps.

- **16.** Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" fabric C square.
- 17. Place a marked fabric C square on opposite corners of a 6" fabric B square and stitch on the marked lines; trim seams to ½" and press fabric C triangles to the right side. Repeat with two more marked fabric C squares on the remaining corners of the B square to complete one Corner block. Sew a 1" x 6" fabric I strip to one side of a corner block. Sew a 1" x 6-1/2" fabric I strip to an adjacent side as shown in the diagram. Alternate sides to keep birds standing in an upright position.



#### Completing the Quilt Top

**Note:** Refer to Diagrams 8–9 and the Quilt Diagram to complete the pieced top.

- 19. Sew a 2½" x 22½" fabric C strip to opposite sides and the ½" x 24½" fabric C strips to the top and bottom of the 2½" high x 20½" wide fabric A center panel. Press seams toward the fabric C strips.
- 20. Join five D/E/D Flying Geese units to make a five-unit strip; press seams in one direction. Repeat to make a total of four five-unit strips. Join two five-unit strips with one 4½" fabric B square to make a top strip; press seams away from the pieced strips. Repeat to make a bottom strip. Sew these strips to the top and bottom of the bordered center panel. Press seams toward the fabric C strips. *Note: Position birds in the B squares in upright position referring to the quilt photo.*



Diagram 8

- **21.** Join three E/D/E Flying Geese units with one inner corner unit to make a side unit. Press seams toward the corner unit. Repeat to make four side units.
- 22. Sew a 1½" x 10½" fabric C strip to the right edge of two side units and the left edge of two side units; press seams toward the fabric C strips. Add a 1½" x 5½" fabric C strip to the Flying Geese end of each unit; press seams toward the fabric C strips.
- 23. Join one each left and right side unit with a 5½" x 10½" fabric B rectangle to make a side strip; press seams away from the fabric B rectangle. Repeat to make a second side strip. Sew the side strips to opposite sides of the bordered center panel; press seams away from the side strips.

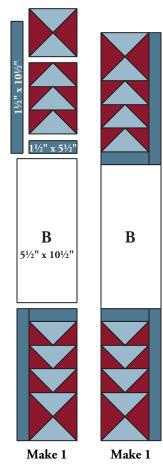


Diagram 9

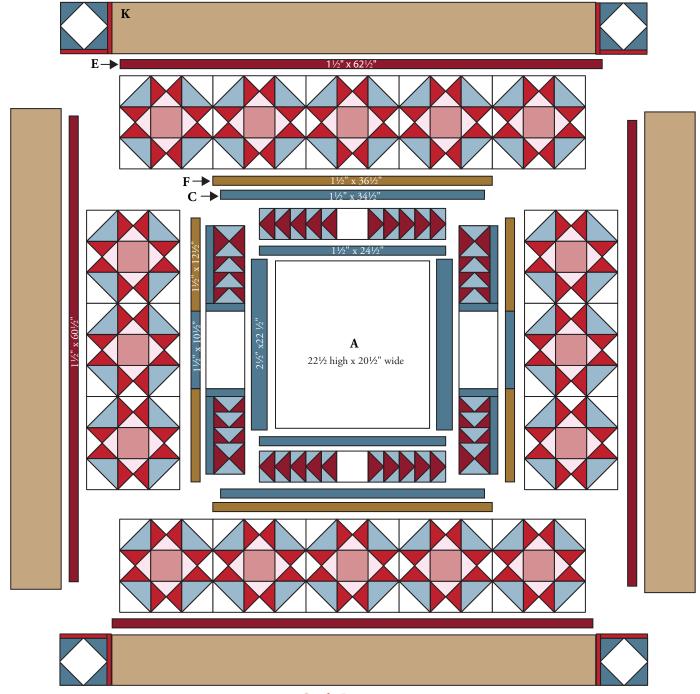
- 24. Sew a 1½" x 10½" fabric C strip between two 1½" x 12½" fabric F strips to make a C/F side strip; press seams toward the C strip. Repeat to make a second C/F side strip. Sew a 1½" x 34½" C strip to the top and bottom and a C/F side strip to opposite sides; press seams toward the strip.
- **25.** Sew a 1½" x 36½" fabric F strip to the top and bottom of the pieced center; press seams toward the strips.
- **26.** Join three Star blocks to make a block side border. Press seams in one direction. Repeat to make a second block side border. Sew the block side borders to opposite sides of the pieced center. Press seams away from the block side borders.
- **27.** Join five Star blocks to make the top border. Press seams in one direction. Repeat to make the bottom border. Sew these block borders to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press seams away from the block borders.
- **28.** Sew a 1½" x 60½" fabric E strip to opposite sides and a 1½" x 62½" fabric E strip to the top and bottom of the pieced center. Press seams toward fabric E strips.

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- **29.** Sew a 6½" x 62½" fabric K strip to opposite sides of the pieced center with flower bouquets facing the outer edge. Press seams toward the fabric K strips.
- **30.** Sew a corner block to each end of each remaining 6½" x 62½" fabric K strips. Press seams away from the corner blocks. Sew these strips to the top and bottom as for the side strips to complete the quilt top. Press seams toward the fabric K strips. **Note:** Pay close attention to the positioning of the birds in and the two adjacent border strips in the corner blocks when adding to the K strips. Refer to the quilt photo.

#### Finishing the Quilt

**30.** Center and layer quilt top with batting on the pieced backing. Quilt in the ditch of seams and as desired. Bind edges to finish the quilt.



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