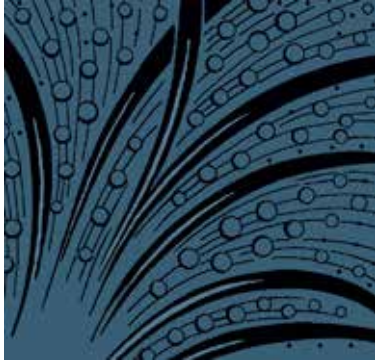


# Downton Abbey®

FABRICS BY KATHY HALL



Sisters – Mary  
Quilt Design: **Chris Hoover**

Quilt Size: **52" x 52"**

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## About Downton Abbey®

In addition to the women's fabric collections, we've also included four additional patterns that are unmistakably Downton. Each companion print is colored to complement and tie together the women's collections, and sets the scene for each character, just as Downton Abbey does.

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Quilt finishes 52" x 52"

## Cutting Directions

**Note:** Read assembly directions before cutting patches. All measurements are cut sizes and include ¼" seam allowances. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

### Fabric A

Fussy-cut (4) squares 6½" *on point*, centering Downton Abbey motif (cut first)

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### Fabric B

Cut (2) squares 4¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 8 quarter-square triangles for center

Cut (1) square 3½" for center

Cut (44) squares 2⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 88 half-square triangles for star and border

### Fabric C

Cut (4) squares 3⅞" for HST for center

Cut (56) squares 2⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 112 half-square triangles for star and border

Cut (12) squares 3¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 48 quarter-square triangles for star

### Fabric D

Cut (22) squares 5¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 88 quarter-square triangles for border

Cut (4) squares 2⅝" for center

Cut (4) squares 2" for center

Cut (1) square 3¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 4 quarter-square triangles for star

Cut (8) rectangles 2½" x 5⅓/16" for star

Cut (6) squares 2⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 12 half-square triangles for border

### Fabric E

Cut (2) strips 2" x 18½" for center

Cut (2) strips 2" x 15½" for center

Cut (4) squares 6⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 8 half-square triangles for star

## Fabric Requirements

		Yardage	Fabric
<b>Fabric A</b>	setting	¾ yard	7317-N
<b>Fabric B</b>	star, border	½ yard	7321-R
<b>Fabric C</b>	star, border	¾ yard	7322-B
<b>Fabric D</b>	star, border	¾ yard	7322-R
<b>Fabric E</b>	star	⅜ yard	7323-RB
<b>Fabric F</b>	background	1⅝ yards	7330-UGL
<b>*Fabric G</b>	star, border	1 yard	7332-B
<b>Backing</b>		3½ yards	7332-K

\*includes binding

### Fabric F

Cut (2) borders 1½" x 40½"

Cut (2) borders 1½" x 38½"

Cut (2) squares 11¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 8 quarter-square triangles for setting

Cut (4) rectangles 4½" x 10½" for setting

Cut (4) rectangles 4½" x 6½" for setting

Cut (2) squares 3⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 4 half-square triangles for center

Cut (4) squares 3⅞" for HST for center

Cut (4) squares 3½" for center

Cut (10) squares 5¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 40 quarter-square triangles for border

Cut (18) squares 2⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 36 half-square triangles for star and border

Cut (1) square 4¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 4 quarter-square triangles for center

Cut (14) squares 3¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 56 quarter-square triangles for star

### Fabric G

Cut (6) strips 2½" x WOF for binding

Cut (11) squares 5¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 44 quarter-square triangles for border

Cut (2) squares 4¼", cut in half diagonally twice to make 8 quarter-square triangles for center

Cut (2) strips 2" x 6½" for center

Cut (2) strips 2" x 3½" for center

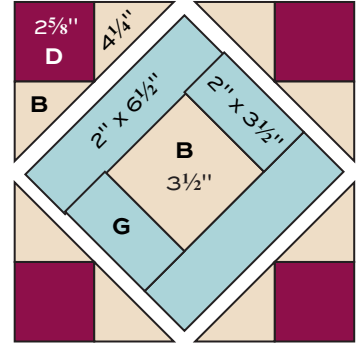
Cut (6) squares 2⅞", cut in half diagonally to make 12 half-square triangles for border

**Backing** Cut (2) panels 30" x 60", pieced to fit quilt top with overlap on all sides

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## Making the Center Block

1. Refer to the Block Center diagram. Sew a 2" x 3½" Fabric G strip to opposite sides of a 3½" Fabric B square. Sew a 2" x 6½" Fabric G strip to the top and bottom. Sew Fabric B 4¼" quarter-square triangles to adjacent sides of a Fabric D 2⅝" square as shown. Make 4 units like this. Sew units to sides of the center square. The square should measure 9" from edge to edge. Set center aside.
2. Use your favorite method to make half-square triangles (HST) that finish 3" square, or follow these directions. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of 4 Fabric F 3⅞" squares (Diagram 2). Place a marked square on a Fabric C square, right sides together. Sew ¼" seam on each side of the marked line; cut apart on the marked line. Press open to make pieced HST. The square should measure 3½" from edge to edge. Make 8 total HST.
3. Place a Fabric D 2" square on one corner of a Fabric F 3½" square. Sew on the diagonal as indicated by the dotted line (Diagram 3). Trim corner as shown by the solid line. Make 4.
4. Sew Fabric F and Fabric G 4¼" quarter-square triangles together as shown (Diagram 4). Make 2 of each diagram.
5. Arrange 2 HST from Step 2, a unit from Step 3, 2 Fabric G 4¼" triangles, and a Fabric F 3⅞" triangle as shown (Diagram 5A). Sew together. Make 2. Sew to opposite sides of the center square from Step 1 as shown in the Center Block (Diagram 6).
6. Arrange units from Steps 2-4 and a Fabric F 3⅞" triangle as shown (Diagram 5B). Sew together. Make 2. Sew to the remaining sides of the center square from Step 1.
7. Sew Fabric E 15½" strips to opposite sides of block. Sew 18½" strips to the top and bottom to make the Center Block (Diagram 6). Set aside.



Block Center – Diagram 1

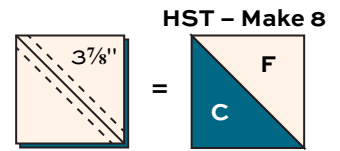


Diagram 2

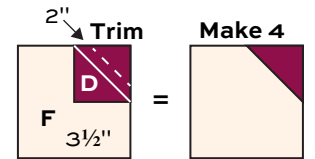


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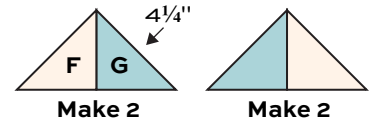
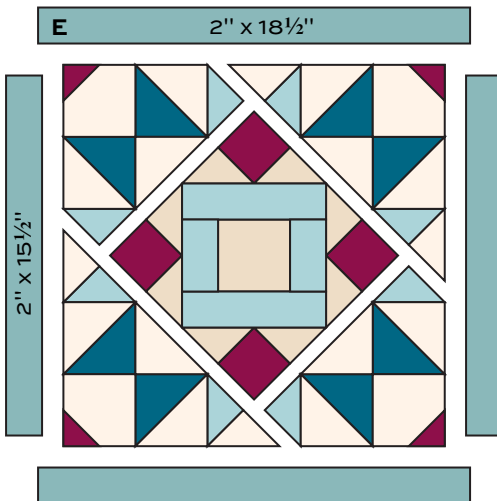


Diagram 4



Center Block – Make 1  
Diagram 6

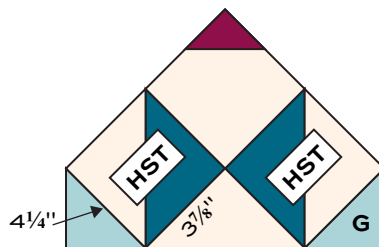


Diagram 5A – Make 2

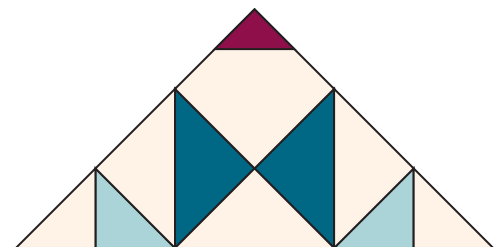


Diagram 5B – Make 2



Diagram 7

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## Making the Feathered Star Units and Corner Units

8. To prepare the star points, place 2 Fabric D  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 5\frac{3}{16}''$  rectangles right sides together. Position a 45-degree ruler at the right end of the rectangles and cut along the angled edge of the ruler as shown with the dotted line (Diagram 7). Rotate the rectangles and cut the other end in the same manner. The patches should look like the ones shown. Repeat this process for all Fabric D rectangles to make 8 star points.

9. Refer to the Feathered Star Unit (Diagram 8) for these steps. The star points are pieced into units. Since the outer edges of some pieced units are on the bias, be careful when sewing and pressing. Sew 4 Fabric F and 3 Fabric C  $2\frac{7}{8}''$  triangles together into a vertical row for the left side, paying attention to the orientation of the triangles. Sew this row to a Fabric E  $6\frac{7}{8}''$  triangle to make Unit 1A. Repeat to make Unit 1B for the right side, again noting orientation of the triangles.

10. To make Unit 2A, join 7 Fabric F  $3\frac{1}{4}''$  quarter-square triangles with 6 Fabric C triangles in a row. Add the Fabric D star point from Step 8 to the end as shown. Repeat these steps to make Unit 2B, noting orientation of the triangles. Add a Fabric D  $3\frac{1}{4}''$  quarter-square triangle to the top end of the 2B row as shown.

11. Sew Unit 2A to Unit 1A. This completes Unit A. Repeat to make Unit B. Hint: If any of the units are a bit large, re-sew as many seams as needed with a seam that is 1-2 threads larger than a  $\frac{1}{4}''$  seam.

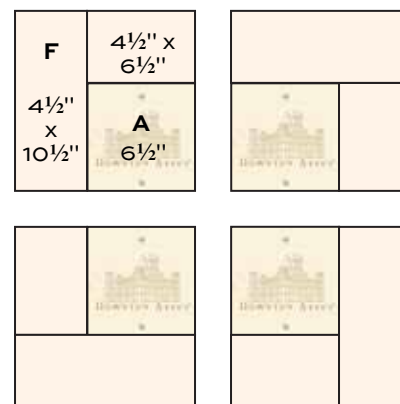
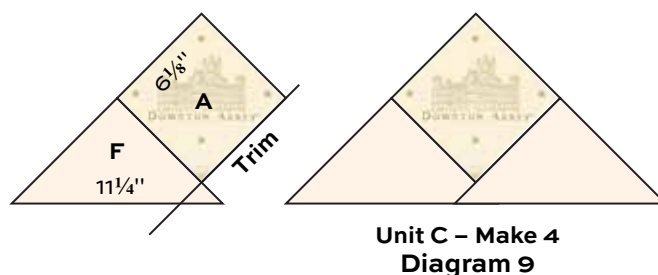
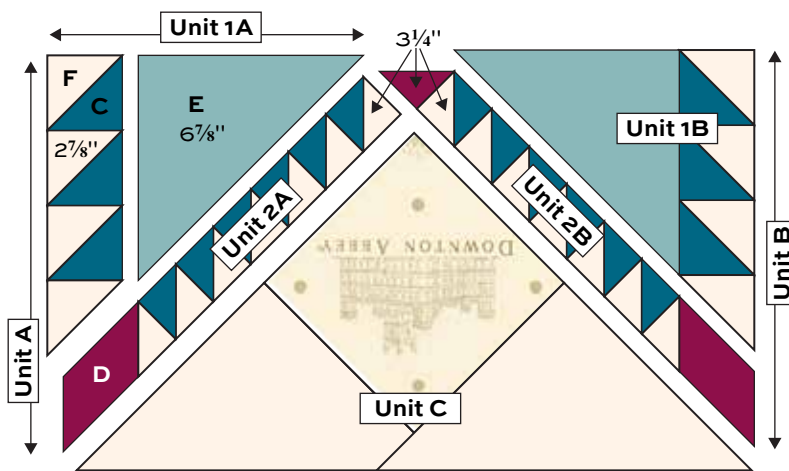
12. To make Unit C, sew a Fabric F  $11\frac{1}{4}''$  triangle to the bottom side of a Fabric A  $6\frac{1}{2}''$  square as shown. Trim Fabric F triangle even with edge of the square (Diagram 9). Sew another Fabric F triangle to adjacent side as shown. Make 4 Unit C.

**Note:** The Feathered Star Unit diagram shows the section for the bottom of the quilt. Be sure to rotate the Fabric A squares in the other 3 units so that Downton Abbey motif is right side up when you sew everything together. Each unit will have the Fabric A square rotated in a different position as shown in the quilt photograph.

13. Sew Unit A to Unit C (Diagram 8). Press seam to Unit C. Sew Unit B to Unit C. Press seam to Unit C.

14. Repeat steps 9–13 to make a total of 4 Feathered Star Units.

15. To make the Corner Units, sew a Fabric F  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangle to one side of a Fabric A  $6\frac{1}{2}''$  square as shown. Sew a Fabric F  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 10\frac{1}{2}''$  rectangle to the adjacent side. Make 1 of each unit, positioning the rectangles as shown in Diagram 10 so that Downton Abbey motif is upright when the sections are stitched into the quilt.



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## Quilt Assembly

16. Refer to the Quilt Assembly Diagram for these steps. Arrange and sew the Center block, the Feathered Star Units, and the Corner Units into 3 horizontal rows. Sew rows together.
17. Sew Fabric F 38½" borders to opposite sides of the quilt. Sew 40½" borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.

## Piecing the 6" Outer Border

18. Sew Fabric B 2⅞" half-square triangles to short edges of Fabric F 5¼" quarter-square triangles to make 20 flying geese units as shown (Diagram 11). Repeat to make 20 flying geese in each combination: Fabrics C and F, Fabrics B and D, and Fabrics C and D.
19. Join pairs of 2⅞" triangles to make squares in these fabric combinations: Fabrics C and F, Fabrics B and D, and Fabrics C and D (Diagram 12). Make the number of squares as shown.
20. Arrange flying geese units and squares from Step 19 in the order shown to make 2 horizontal rows (Diagram 13). Look carefully at the diagrams and turn the flying geese units and squares in the correct orientation. Double check before you sew units together into 2 rows. Join the 2 rows to make a side border. Repeat to make 2. Sew side borders to quilt center with Fabric F patches next to quilt.

21. Join units to make top and bottom borders (Diagram 14), again noting orientation of units. Sew to the quilt.
22. Join 11 Fabric G and 12 Fabric D 5¼" quarter-square triangles (Diagram 15). Sew a Fabric G 2⅞" triangle at each end. Make 4 outer borders like this. Sew 2 borders to opposite sides of the quilt with the red triangles touching the quilt. Sew an additional Fabric G 2⅞" triangle to each end of the remaining outer borders as shown in the Quilt Assembly Diagram. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt.

## Finishing the Quilt

23. Layer the quilt with batting and backing and baste. Quilt in the ditch around borders and block patches. Quilt around the printed motifs or quilt as desired. Bind with Fabric G strips



Diagram 11

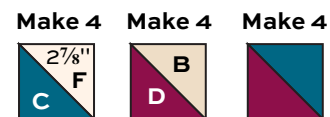


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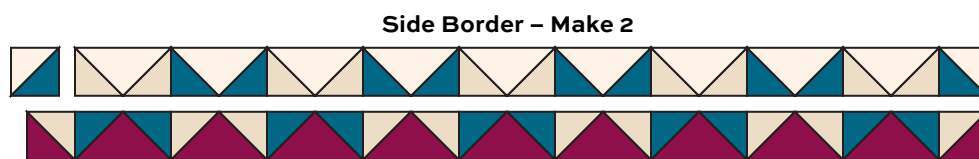


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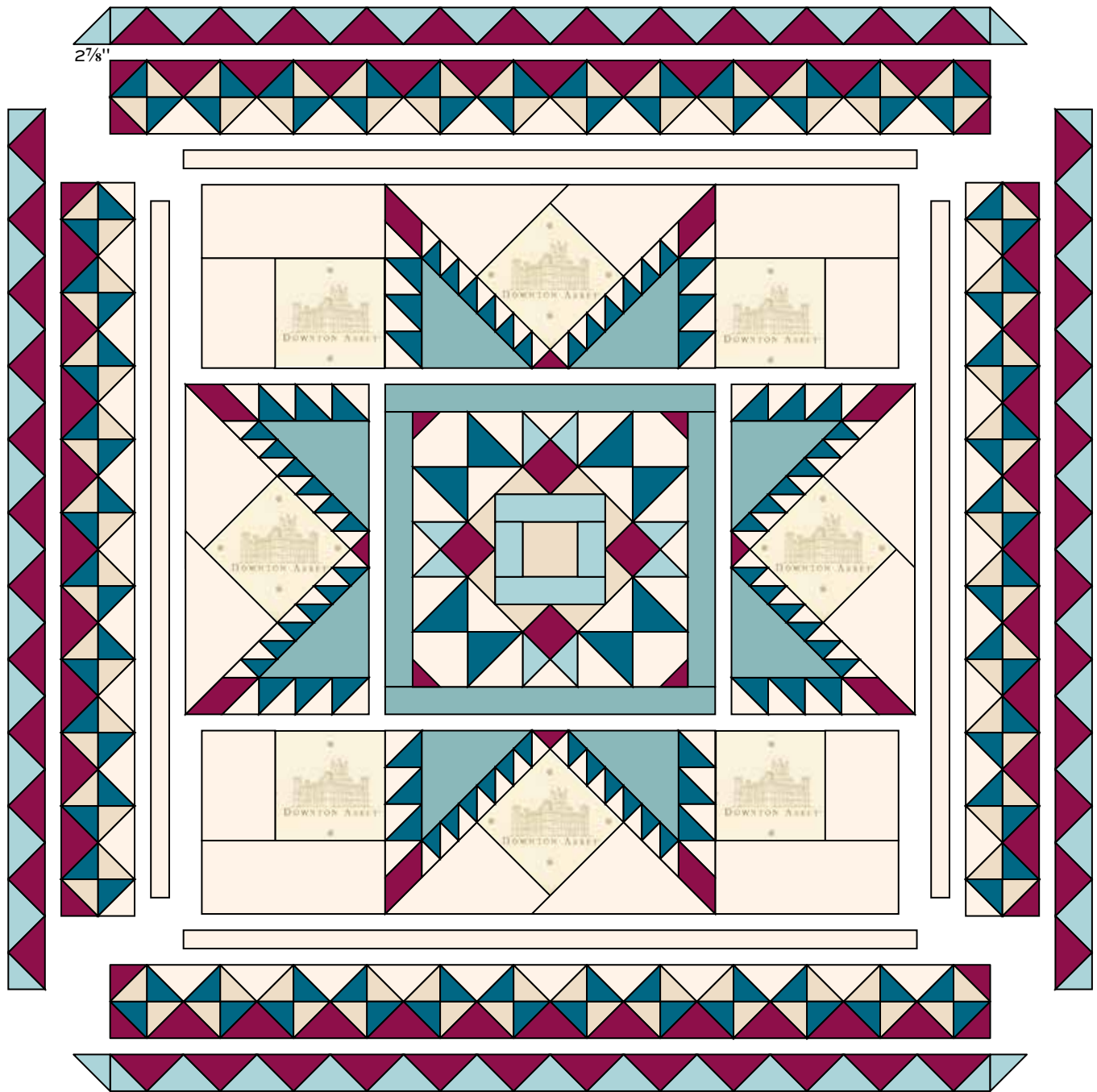


Diagram 14



Diagram 15

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Quilt Assembly Diagram

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## The Women's Collection



7330-ET\*



7330-GK



7330-UGL\*



7331-EB



7331-PK



7331-RG

7317-N\*



7332-B\*



7332-K\*



7332-OG



7390-BR



7390-P



7390-RB

## Dowager Countess Collection



7318-K



7318-P



7319-K



7319-P



7320-K



7320-P

## Lady Edith Collection



7327-B



7327-O



7328-B



7328-OG



7329-B



7329-O

## Lady Mary Collection



7321-G



7321-R\*



7322-B\*



7322-R\*



7323-GN



7323-RB\*

## Lady Sybil Collection



7324-B



7324-E



7325-B



7325-ET



7326-B



7326-E

\*Indicates fabrics used in quilt pattern. Fabrics shown are 30% of actual size.

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