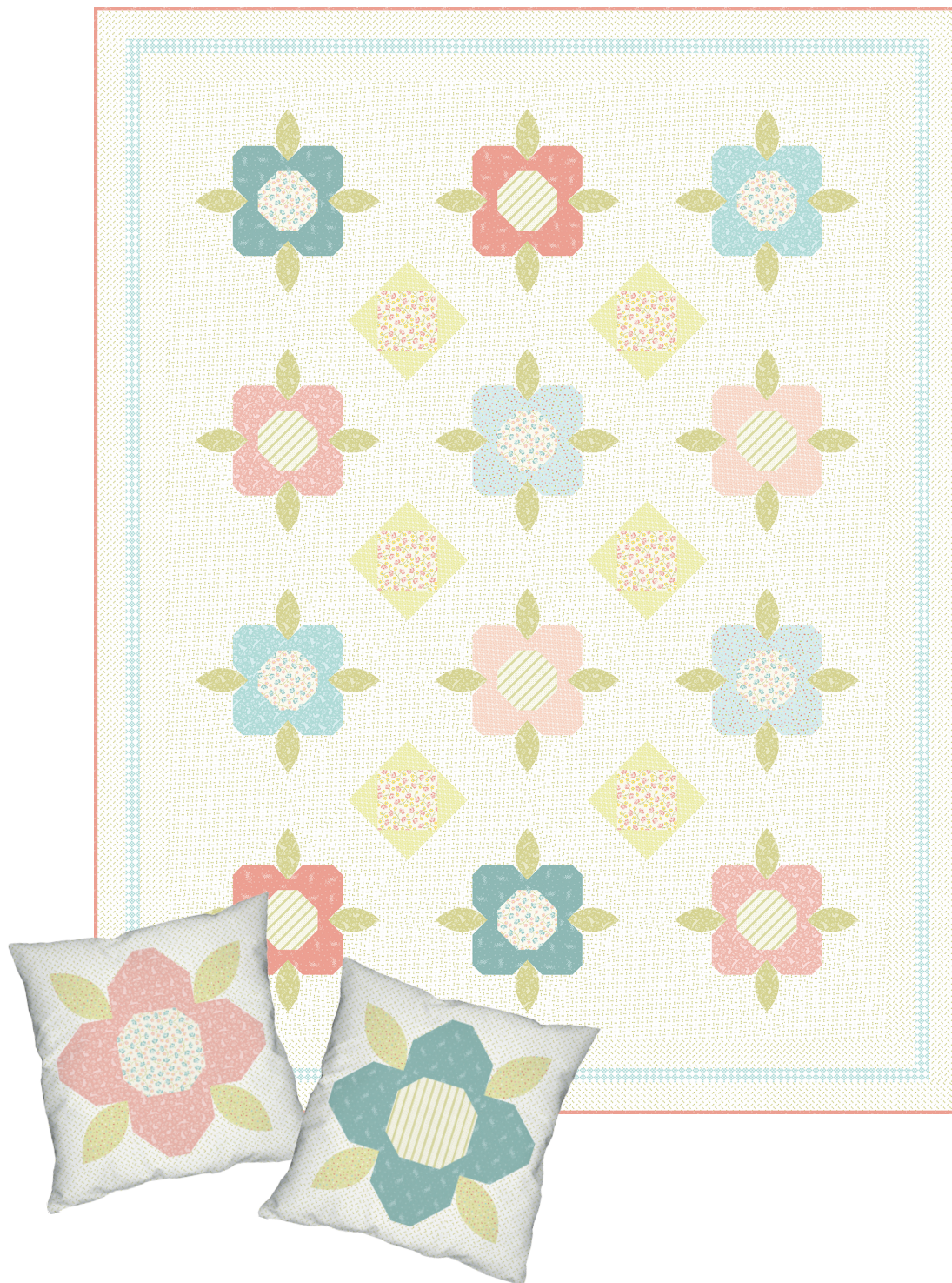


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Quilt finished 61" x 77 7/8"

Pillow finished 20" x 20"

## Cutting Directions

**Note: Read assembly directions before cutting patches.** Borders are cut to exact length required plus 1/4" seam allowance. WOF designates the width of fabric from selvedge to selvedge (approximately 42" wide).

### Quilt

- Fabric A** Cut (1) 4 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) 4 1/2" squares.
- Fabric B** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares.
- Fabric C** See instructions to cut (48) Leaves.
- Fabric D** Cut (1) 4 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) 4 1/2" squares.
- Fabric E** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares. Cut (7) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the binding.
- Fabric F** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares.
- Fabric G** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares.
- Fabric H** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares.

## Fabric Requirements

QUILT		Yardage	Fabric
<b>Fabric A</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	404-T
<b>Fabric B</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	396-T
<b>Fabric C</b>	<b>blocks</b>	3/8 yard	405-G
<b>Fabric D</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	407-G
<b>Fabric E</b>	<b>blocks, binding</b>	3/4 yard	396-E
<b>Fabric F</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	405-T
<b>Fabric G</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	405-E
<b>Fabric H</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	408-E
<b>Fabric I</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	406-T
<b>Fabric J</b>	<b>blocks, border</b>	4 1/8 yards	397-G
<b>Fabric K</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	404-E
<b>Fabric L</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	408-G
<b>Fabric M</b>	<b>blocks</b>	3/8 yard	409-T
<b>Backing</b>		5 yards	404-E

BONUS PILLOW #1		Yardage	Fabric
<b>Fabric A</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	404-T
<b>Fabric B</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	405-E
<b>Fabric C</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/8 yard	406-G
<b>Fabric D</b>	<b>blocks, backing</b>	1 yard	397-G

BONUS PILLOW #2		Yardage	Fabric
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<b>Fabric B</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/4 yard	396-T
<b>Fabric C</b>	<b>blocks</b>	1/8 yard	406-G
<b>Fabric D</b>	<b>blocks, backing</b>	1 yard	397-G

**Fabric I** Cut (1) 3 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" strips. Cut (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 1 1/2" squares.

**Fabric J** Cut (2) 18 1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (3) 18 1/4" squares and (2) 9 3/8" squares. Cut the 18 1/4" squares across both diagonals to make (12) 18 1/4" triangles. *Note: You will only use (10) 18 1/4" triangles.* Cut the 9 3/8" squares across (1) diagonal to make (4) 9 3/8" triangles. Cut (4) 3 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (48) 3 1/2" squares. Cut (2) 3 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (12) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" strips.



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## Cutting Directions - Continued

- Cut (4) 3 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (12) 3 1/2" x 12 1/2" strips.
- Cut (7) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the inner border.
- Cut (8) 2 1/2" x WOF strips for the outer border.
- Cut (5) 2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (96) 2" squares.
- Cut (6) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" strips.
- Cut (8) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 1 1/2" x 12 1/2" strips.

**Fabric K** Cut (1) 6 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (6) 6 1/2" squares.

**Fabric L** Cut (2) 3 1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut the strips into (24) 3 1/2" squares.

**Fabric M** Cut (7) 1 1/2" x WOF strips for the middle border.

**Backing** Cut (2) 86" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make (1) 69" x 86" backing.

## Pillow (both versions)

**Fabric A** Cut (1) 6 1/2" square.

**Fabric B** Cut (1) 5" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 5" x 6 1/2" strips and (4) 2" squares.

**Fabric C** See instructions to cut (4) Leaves.

- Fabric D** Cut (1) 14 1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 14 1/2" x 20 1/2" strips.
- Cut (1) 5" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (4) 5" squares.
- Cut (1) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 3" x 15 1/2" strips.
- Cut (1) 3" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (2) 3" x 20 1/2" strips.
- Cut (1) 2 3/4" x WOF strip. Sub-cut the strip into (8) 2 3/4" squares.

### You will also need:

- (2) 20" pillow forms

## Making the Quilt

*Note: The arrows in the figures denote fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations while assembling the various components.*

### 1. Block Assembly

Place (1) 1 1/2" Fabric B square on the top left corner of (1) 4 1/2" Fabric A square, right sides together (Diagram 1). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 1). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam (Diagram 2).

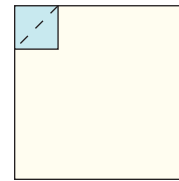


Diagram 1

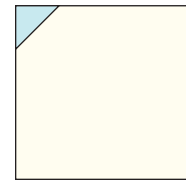


Diagram 2

2. Follow Diagram 3 for the seam direction to add a 1 1/2" Fabric B square to each of the remaining corners of the 4 1/2" Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Diagram 4).

3. Repeat Steps 1-2 to make a second Unit 1 square.

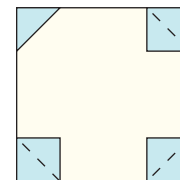


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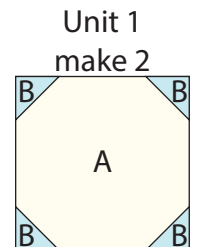


Diagram 4

4. Repeat Steps 1-2 and refer to Diagrams 5-9 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (2) of each unit square for Unit 2 through Unit 6.

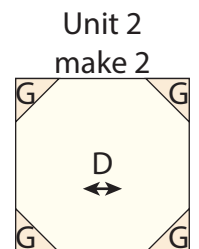


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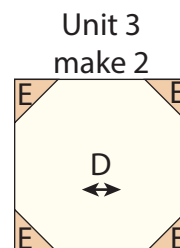


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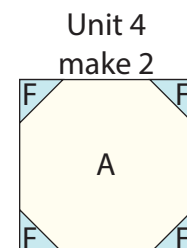
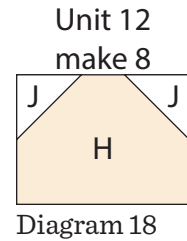
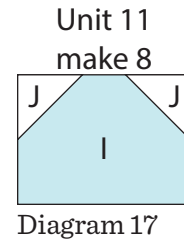
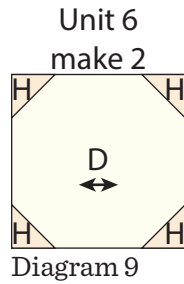
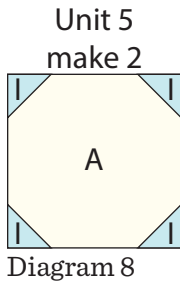
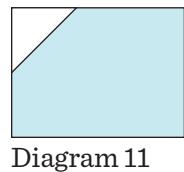
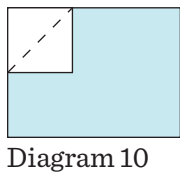


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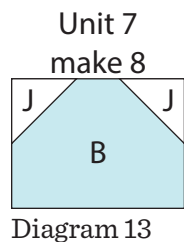
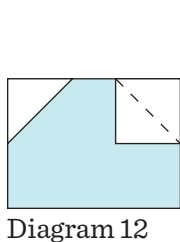
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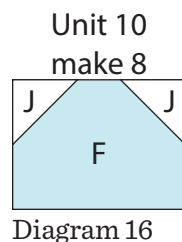
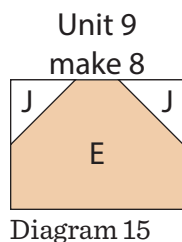
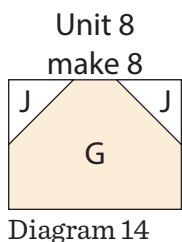
5. Place (1) 2" Fabric J square on the top left corner of (1) 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" Fabric B strip, right sides together (Diagram 10). Sew across the diagonal of the small square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 10). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam (Diagram 11).



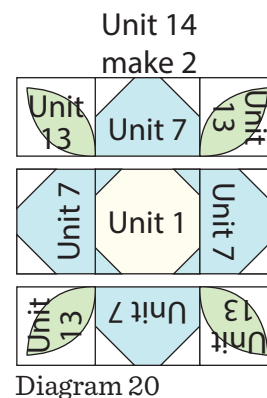
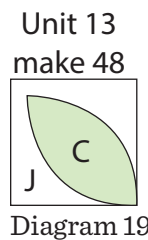
6. Follow Diagram 12 for the seam direction to add a 2" Fabric J square to the upper right corner of the 3 1/2" x 4 1/2" Fabric B strip to make (1) Unit 7 strip (Diagram 13).
7. Repeat Steps 5-6 to make (8) Unit 7 strips total.



8. Repeat Steps 5-6 and refer to Diagrams 14-18 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (8) of each unit strip for Unit 8 through Unit 12.



9. Following the manufacturer's instructions, trace the listed number of each template onto the paper side of the fusible web. Roughly cut out each template about 1/8" outside the drawn lines.
10. Press each template onto the wrong side of the fabrics as listed on the templates. Cut out each template on the drawn lines.
11. Refer to Diagram 19 to arrange and press (1) Fabric C leaf onto (1) 3 1/2" Fabric J square.
12. Finish the raw edges of each shape with a decorative stitch such as a buttonhole or satin stitch to make (1) Unit 13 square.
13. Repeat Steps 11-12 to make (48) Unit 13 squares total.
14. Sew (1) Unit 13 square to each end of (1) Unit 7 strip to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 7 strip to each side of (1) Unit 1 square to make the middle row. Sew together the (3) rows lengthwise to make (1) 10 1/2" Unit 14 square (Diagram 20). Repeat to make a second Unit 14 square.





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**15.** Repeat Step 14 and refer to Diagrams 21-25 for component identification, placement and orientation to make (2) of each unit square for Unit 15 through Unit 19.

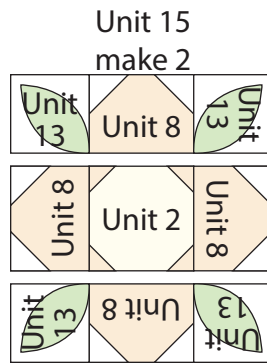


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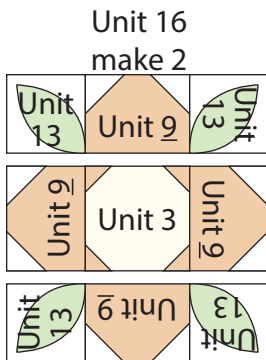


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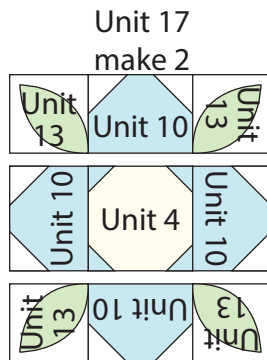


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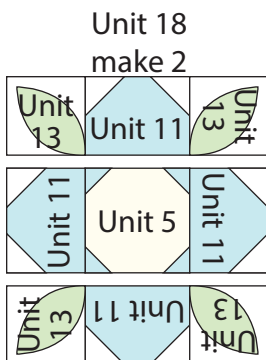


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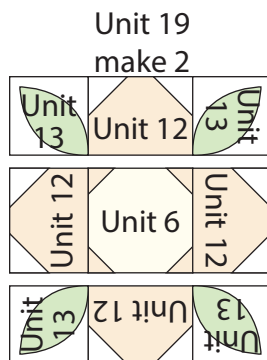


Diagram 25

**16.** Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 10 1/2" Fabric J strip to each side of (1) Unit 14 square. Sew (1) 1 1/2" x 12 1/2" Fabric J strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 14 square to make (1) 12 1/2" Block One square (Diagram 26). Repeat to make a second Block One square.

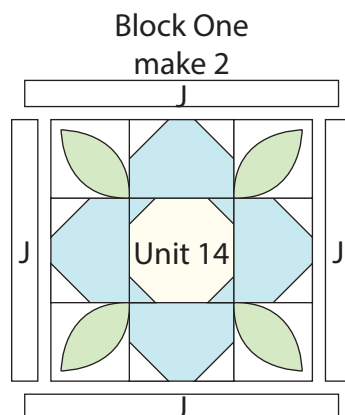


Diagram 26

**17.** Repeat Step 16 and refer to Diagrams 27-31 for component identification, placement and orientation to make (2) of each block square for Block Two through Block Six.

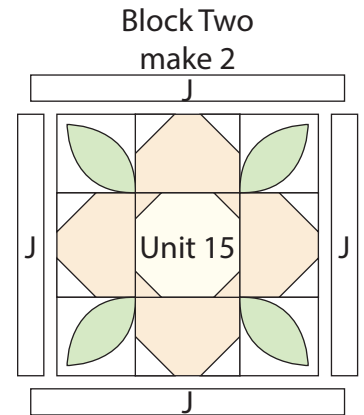


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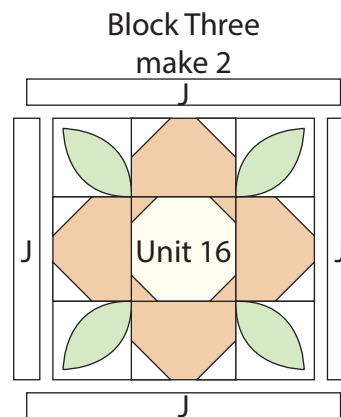


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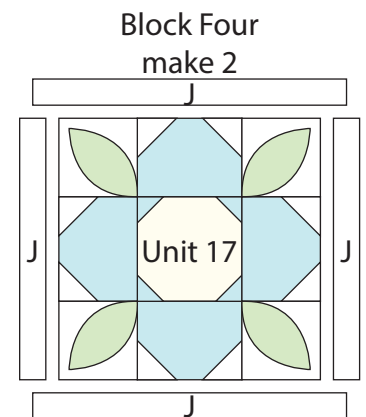


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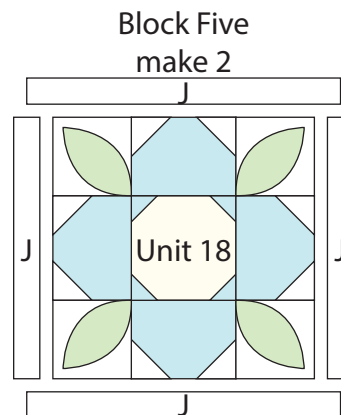


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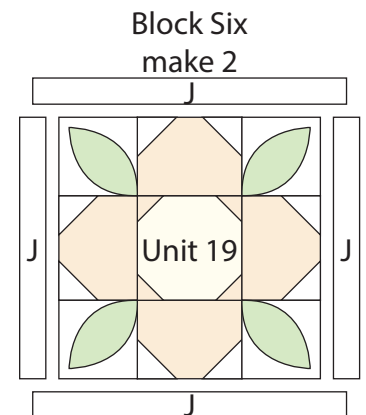


Diagram 31

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**18.** Place (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric L square on the top left corner of (1)  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric K square, right sides together (Diagram 32). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 32). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle  $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from the sewn seam (Diagram 33).

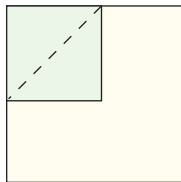


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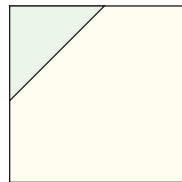


Diagram 33

**19.** Follow Diagram 34 for the seam direction to add a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric L square to each of the remaining corners of the  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric K square to make (1) Unit 20 square (Diagram 35).

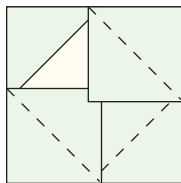


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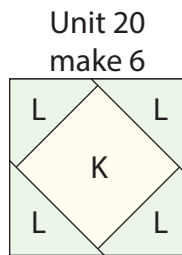


Diagram 35

**20.** Repeat Steps 18-19 to make (6) Unit 20 squares total.

**21.** Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric J strip to each side of (1) Unit 20 square. Sew (1)  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric J strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 20 square to make (1)  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " Block Seven square (Diagram 36). Repeat to make (6) Block Seven squares total.

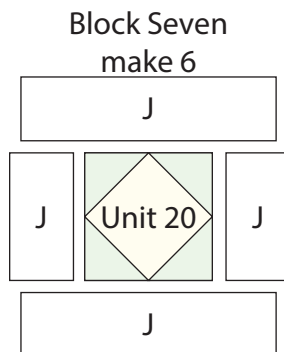


Diagram 36

**22.** Sew (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle to each side of (1) Block One square. Sew (1)  $9\frac{3}{8}$ " Fabric J triangle to the top of the Block One square to make Row One (Diagram 37).

**23.** Sew together (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Three square and (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Diagram 37).

**24.** Sew together (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, (1) Block Four square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Five square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Four square and (1)  $9\frac{3}{8}$ " Fabric J triangle, in that order from left to right, to make Row Three (Diagram 37).

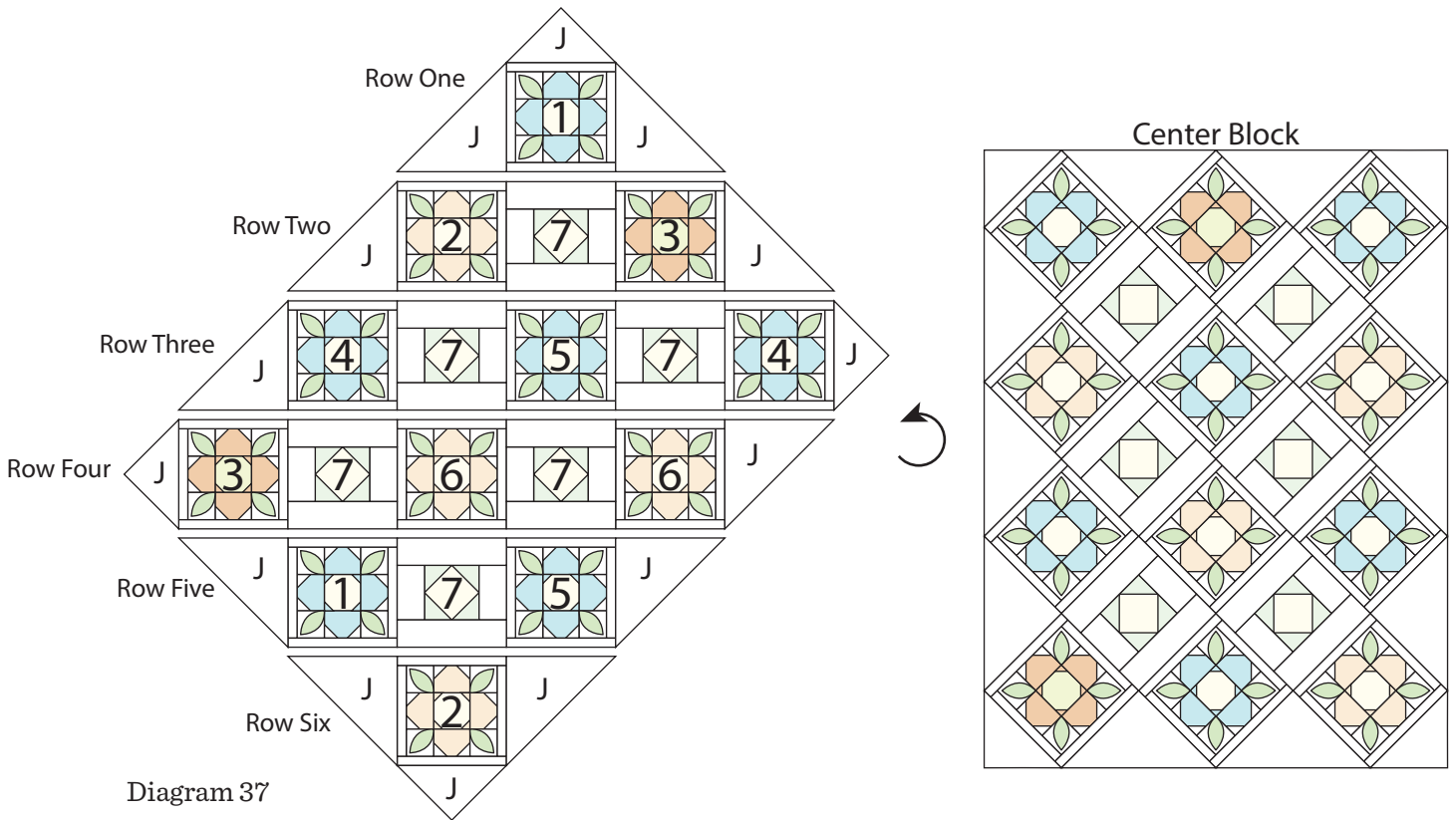
**25.** Sew together (1)  $9\frac{3}{8}$ " Fabric J triangle, (1) Block Three square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Six square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Six square and (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, in that order from left to right, to make Row Four (Diagram 37).

**26.** Sew together (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, (1) Block One square, (1) Block Seven square, (1) Block Five square and (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle, in that order from left to right, to make Row Five (Diagram 37).

**27.** Sew (1)  $18\frac{1}{4}$ " Fabric J triangle to each side of (1) Block Two square. Sew (1)  $9\frac{3}{8}$ " Fabric J triangle to the bottom of the Block Two square to make Row Six (Diagram 37).

**28.** Sew together the (6) rows from Steps 22-27, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the Center Block (Diagram 37).

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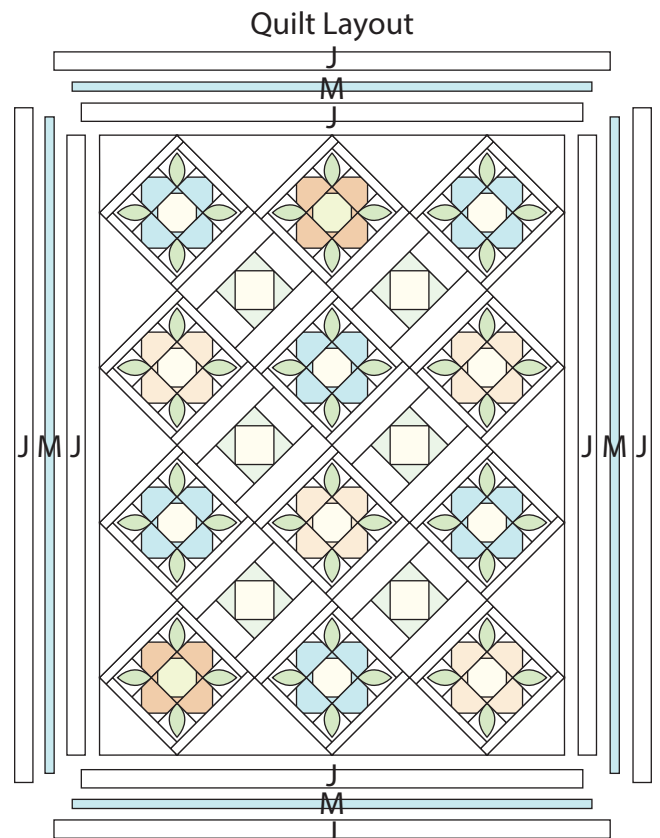
## Quilt Top Assembly

(Refer to the *Quilt Layout* when assembling the quilt top.)

29. Measure the sides of the Center Block. Sew (4)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric J strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Cut (2) strips to the measured sides of the Center Block and sew (1) strip to each side of the Center Block.
30. Measure the top and bottom of the Center Block. Sew (3)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric J strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) strips to the top and bottom measurement. Sew the top and bottom strips to the top and bottom of the Center Block.
31. Repeat Steps 29-30 and refer to the quilt layout while using the (7)  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric M strips and (8)  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF Fabric J strips to make the quilt top.

## Finishing the Quilt

32. Layer and quilt as desired.
33. Sew the (7) Fabric E binding strips together, end to end with a 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
34. Bind as desired.





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## Making the Pillows

### 35. Pillow Assembly

Place (1) 2" Fabric B square on the top left corner of (1) 6 1/2" Fabric A square, right sides together (Diagram 39). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 39). Flip open the triangle formed and press (Diagram 40). Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam.

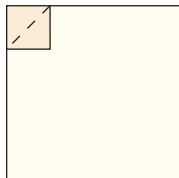


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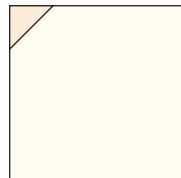


Diagram 40

36. Follow Diagram 41 for the seam direction to add a 2" Fabric B square to each of the remaining corners of the 6 1/2" Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 21 square (Diagram 42).

37. Repeat Steps 35-36 and refer to Diagram 43 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (1) Unit 22 square.

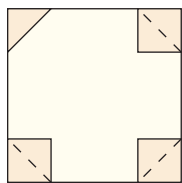


Diagram 41

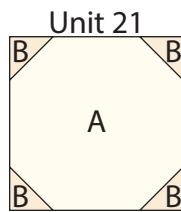


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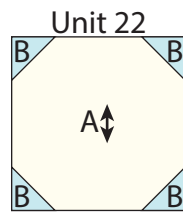


Diagram 43

38. Place (1) 2 3/4" Fabric D square on the top left corner of (1) 5" x 6 1/2" Fabric B strip, right sides together (Diagram 44). Sew across the diagonal of the small square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Diagram 44). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle 1/4" away from the sewn seam (Diagram 45).

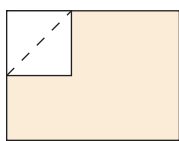


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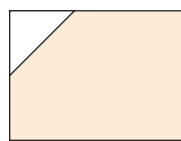
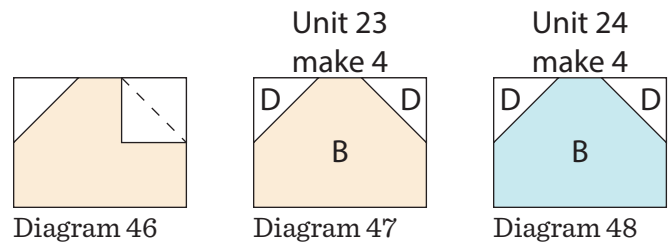


Diagram 45

39. Follow Diagram 46 for the seam direction to add a 2 3/4" Fabric D square to the upper right corner of the 5" x 6 1/2" Fabric B strip to make (1) Unit 23 strip (Diagram 47).

40. Repeat Steps 38-39 to make (4) Unit 23 strips total.

41. Repeat Steps 38-39 and refer to Diagram 48 for fabric identification, placement, seam direction and orientation to make (4) Unit 24 strips.



42. Following the manufacturer's instructions, trace the listed number of each template onto the paper side of the fusible web. Roughly cut out each template about 1/8" outside the drawn lines.

43. Press each template onto the wrong side of the fabrics as listed on the templates. Cut out each template on the drawn lines.

44. Refer to Diagram 49 to arrange and press (1) Fabric C leaf onto (1) 5" Fabric D square.

45. Finish the raw edges of each shape with a decorative stitch such as a buttonhole or satin stitch to make (1) Unit 25 square.

Unit 25  
make 8

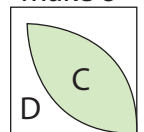


Diagram 49

46. Repeat Steps 44-45 to make (8) Unit 25 squares total.

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**47.** Sew (1) Unit 25 square to each end of (1) Unit 23 strip to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 23 strip to each side of (1) Unit 21 square to make the middle row. Sew together the (3) rows lengthwise to make (1) 15 1/2" Unit 26 square (Diagram 50).

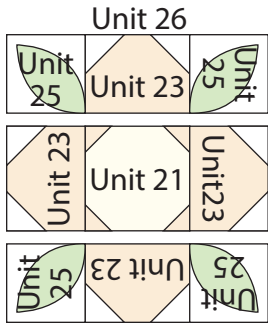


Diagram 50

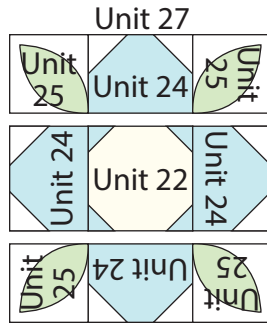


Diagram 51

**49.** Sew (1) 3" x 15 1/2" Fabric D strip to each side of (1) Unit 26 square. Sew (1) 3" x 20 1/2" Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of the Unit 26 square to make (1) 20 1/2" Pillow #1 top (Diagram 52).

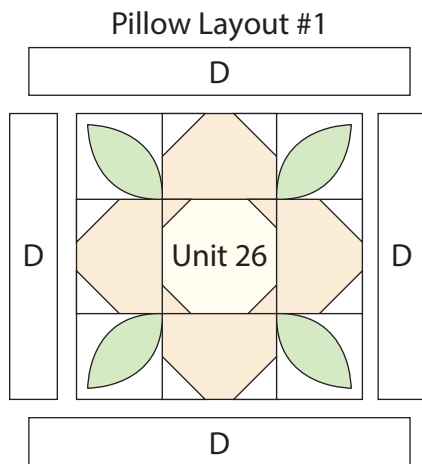


Diagram 52

**50.** Repeat Step 49 and refer to Diagram 53 for component identification, placement and orientation to make (1) Pillow #2 top.

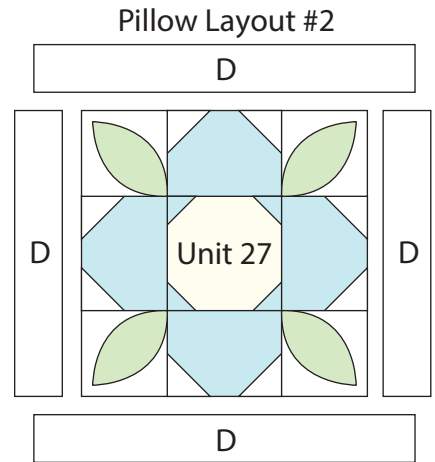


Diagram 53

**51.** Turn under the 20 1/2" edge (1) 14 1/2" x 20 1/2" Fabric D strip approximately 1/4", press and repeat to make a finished edge on one edge of the Fabric D strip. Repeat with the second 14 1/2" x 20 1/2" Fabric D strip.

**52.** Position and pin each back envelope flap, right sides together with the Pillow #1 front, overlapping the finished edges in the middle and aligning the raw edges with the pillow front (Diagram 54). Stitch around the pillow front and back to complete the Pillow #1.

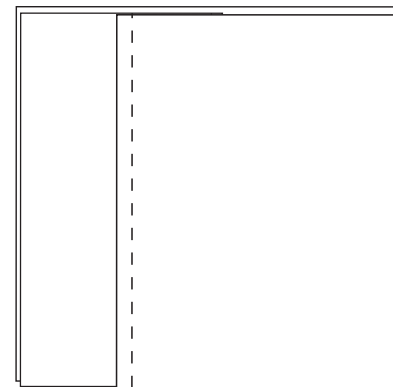
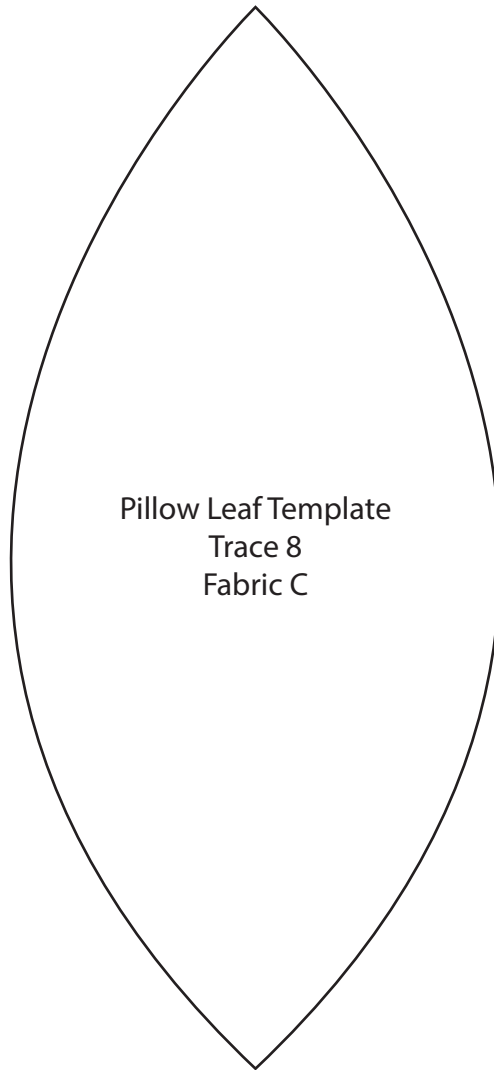
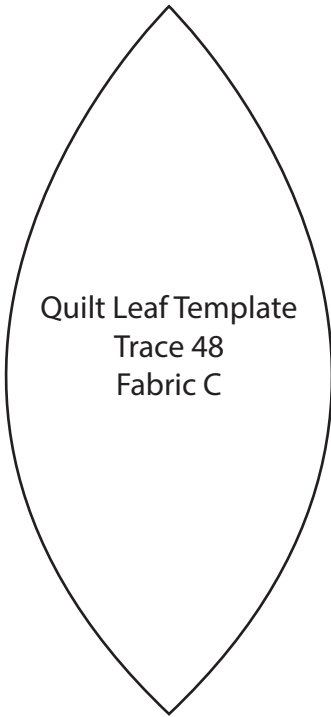
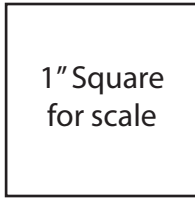


Diagram 54

**52.** Turn the pillow right side out.

**53.** Repeat Steps 51-53 for Pillow #2 top.

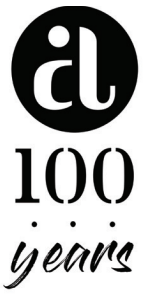
100% Templates





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## ANDOVER FABRICS



Note: Yardages listed below are for the quilt. Refer to the Fabric Requirements on Page 2 for the Bonus pillow yardages.



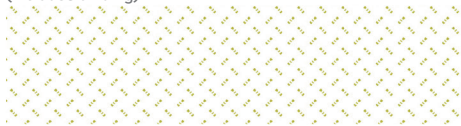
396-E (includes binding) 3/4 yd



396-G



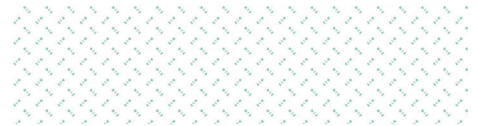
396-T 1/4 yd



397-G 4 yds



397-L



397-T



404-E (includes quilt backing) 5 1/4 yds



404-T 1/4 yd



404-Y



405-E 1/4 yd



405-G 3/8 yd



405-T 1/4 yd



406-G



406-L



406-T 1/4 yd



407-E



407-G 1/4 yd



407-T



408-E 1/4 yd



408-G 1/4 yd



408-T



409-E



409-T 3/8 yd



409-V

Fabrics shown are 25% of actual size.