



"It's A Dog's Life"

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Approximate Quilt Size: 44.5" X 44.5"



Fabric A
38729-947
1 Panel -24"



Fabric B
1/2 yd
38731-729



Fabric C
1/3 yd
38732-397



Fabric D
1/2 yd
38733-938



Fabric E
1/3 yd
38734-748



Fabric F
1/8 yd piecing
3 yds backing
38734-847



Fabric G
1/2 yd
38735-973



Fabric H
1/4 yd
38736-243



Fabric I
5/8 yd
38736-943
(includes binding)



Fabric J
1/3 yd
38737-487




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Please read all instructions carefully before starting. All instructions include a 1/4" seam allowance and strips are cut from selvage to selvage unless otherwise stated.


1. Cut the following:


Fabric A - cut 12 individual squares - 7 3/4" x 7 3/4" (center designs evenly)

Fabric B - Borders - cut 2 - 4 1/2" x 36 1/2" (Sides)
cut 2 - 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" squares, cut in half diagonally for 4 triangles 


Fabric C - Sashing - cut 4 - 1 1/2" strips, subcut 16 - 1 1/2" x 7 3/4"

Fabric D - Borders - cut 2 - 4 1/2" x 36 1/2" (Top and Bottom)

cut 2 - 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" squares, cut in half diagonally for 4 triangles 

Fabric E - cut 2 - 8 1/8" x 8 1/8" squares, cut in half diagonally for 4 triangles 

Fabric F - Cornerstones - cut 1 - 1 1/2" strip, subcut 25 - 1 1/2" squares

Fabric G - cut 2 - 8 1/8" x 8 1/8" squares, cut in half diagonally for 4 triangles 

Sashing - cut 2 - 1 1/2" strips, subcut 8 - 1 1/2" x 7 3/4"

Fabric H - Border - cut 2 - 1 1/2" strips (Top and Bottom to be mitered)

Fabric I - Border - cut 2 - 1 1/2" strips (Sides to be mitered)

BINDING - cut 5 - 2 1/4" strips, sew end to end and press in half

Fabric J - Sashing - cut 4 - 1 1/2" strips, subcut 16 - 1 1/2" x 7 3/4"

2. Piecing Order:

1. Make 4 - 7 1/4" finished (7 3/4" unf.) half square triangle units by sewing **G** and **E** 8 1/8" triangles together.

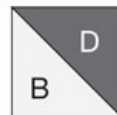


make 4

2. Sew **A** blocks and **G/E** blocks alternating **C**, **G** and **J** sashing together by rows according to the diagram. Sew **C**, **G** and **J** sashing and **F** cornerstones together by rows according to the diagram. Then sew rows of blocks and sashing rows together.

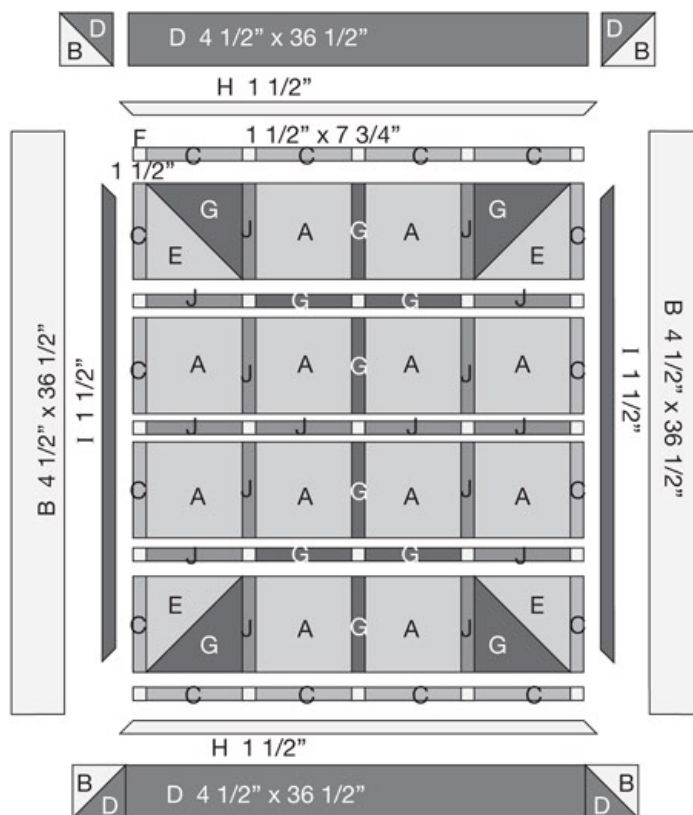
3. Sew **I** 1 1/2" borders to the quilt SIDES, then sew **H** 1 1/2" borders to the TOP and BOTTOM. Sew mitered angles last.

4. Make 4 - 4" finished (4 1/2" unf.) Half square triangle units for corners by sewing **D** and **B** 4 7/8" triangles together.



make 4

Next, sew half square triangle units to both ends of two **D** 4 1/2" x 36 1/2" for the TOP and BOTTOM borders to create a faux mitered border. Sew **B** 4 1/2" x 36 1/2" to the quilt SIDES, then sew **D** to the TOP and BOTTOM.



5. The quilt measures approximately 44 1/2" x 44 1/2". Make backing (**Fabric F**) at least 6" larger than the top. Baste together top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Attach binding (**Fabric I**) and enjoy!!