

COUNTRY STARS

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Featuring ARTISAN BAFFLES Farm Country by Lynn



Finished quilt measures: 72" x 72"

Difficulty Rating: **Beginner**

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Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	AMD-7000-162 ECRU	4-5/8 yards		H	AMD-20323-268 NATURE	1/4 yard
	B	AMD-20319-115 CAYENNE	3/4 yard		I	AMD-20322-16 BROWN	1/4 yard
	C	AMD-20325-268 NATURE	1/2 yard		J	AMD-20320-268 NATURE	1/4 yard
	D	AMD-20321-158 WHEAT	1/2 yard		K	AMD-20323-133 GOLD	1/4 yard
	E	AMD-20319-176 BRONZE	1/2 yard		L	AMD-20322-158 WHEAT	1/4 yard
	F	AMD-20322-133 GOLD	1/4 yard		Binding*	AMD-20320-268 NATURE	5/8 yard
	G	AMD-20320-16 BROWN	1/4 yard	*Also used for Fabric J			

You will also need:
4-1/2 yards for backing

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Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

Cutting Instructions

From Fabric A, cut:

- twenty-three 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - thirty-two 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" rectangles for the large flying geese
 - one hundred thirty 4-1/2" squares
- seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - ninety-eight 2-1/2" squares for the small star block centers
- twenty-eight 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - seven hundred eighty-four 1-1/2" squares for the small flying geese

From Fabric B, cut:

- one 8-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - two 8-1/2" squares for the large star block centers
- two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - sixteen 4-1/2" squares for the large flying geese. Mark a diagonal on the back of each square.
- five 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - forty-eight 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles for the small flying geese
 - forty-eight 1-1/2" squares for the small star blocks. Mark a diagonal on the back of each square.

From Fabric C, cut:

- one 8-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - two 8-1/2" squares for the large star block centers
 - From the remainder of the strip, cut:
 - eight 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles for the small flying geese
 - eight 1-1/2" squares for the small star blocks
- two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - sixteen 4-1/2" squares for the large flying geese. Mark a diagonal on the back of each square.

From each of Fabrics D and E, cut:

- one 8-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - two 8-1/2" squares for the large star block centers
- two 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - sixteen 4-1/2" squares for the large flying geese. Mark a diagonal on the back of each square.

From each of Fabrics F-L cut:

- five 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:
 - forty-eight 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" rectangles for the small flying geese
 - forty-eight 1-1/2" squares for the small star blocks

From the Binding Fabric, cut:

- eight 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Assemble the Flying Geese

Step 1: Place a 1-1/2" Fabric A square RST at one end of a 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" Fabric B rectangle. Sew on the marked line and trim away the excess fabric, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance. Press toward the triangle.

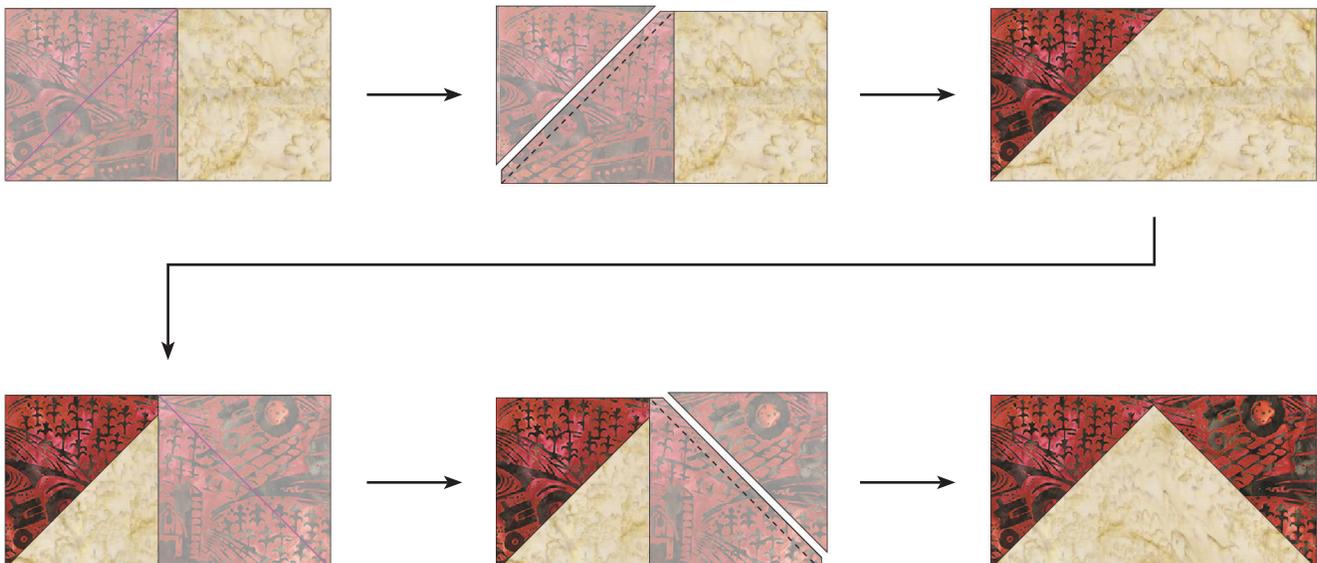


Step 2: Repeat Step 1 at the remaining end of the rectangle. The resulting flying geese block should measure 1-1/2" x 2-1/2".



Step 3: Repeat with all remaining 1-1/2" x 2-1/2" Fabric B, Fabric C, and Fabric F-L rectangles. These are the Small Flying Geese.

Step 4: Repeat the process in Steps 1 and 2, using 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" Fabric A rectangles and 4-1/2" Fabric B-E squares to make eight 4-1/2" x 8-1/2" flying geese from each of Fabrics B-E. These are the Large Flying Geese.



Assemble the Star Blocks



Step 5: Gather:
four 4-1/2" Fabric A squares
four Large Flying Geese from Fabric B
one 8-1/2" Fabric B square

Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 6: Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams toward the squares.

Step 7: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block.

The block should measure 16-1/2" square. Make two each from Fabrics B-E. These are the Large Star Blocks.



Step 8: Gather:
four 1-1/2" Fabric C squares
four Small Flying Geese from Fabric C
one 2-1/2" Fabric A square

Arrange the units into three rows of three. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 9: Sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams toward the squares.



Step 10: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the block.

The block should measure 4-1/2" square. Make two each from Fabric C and twelve each from Fabrics B and F-L. These are the Small Star Blocks.

Assemble the Grid Blocks



Step 11: Gather:

eight 4-1/2" Fabric A squares

eight Small Star Blocks, in assorted fabrics*

**or use the Quilt Assembly Diagram for fabric placement if you wish to recreate the sample exactly as shown*

Arrange the units into four rows of four. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 12: Sew the squares together to form the rows. Press the seams toward the Fabric A squares.

Step 13: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the Grid Block.

The Grid Block should measure 16-1/2" square. Repeat to make a total of eight Grid Blocks.

Assemble the Borders

Step 14: Gather:

eight 4-1/2" Fabric A squares

eight Small Star Blocks

Arrange the units into row, alternating square and blocks to form the top border. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.



Step 15: Sew the units together to form the border. Press the seams toward the squares. Repeat to make the bottom border.

Step 16: Repeat Steps 14 and 15, this time using nine Fabric A squares and nine Small Star Blocks, to make the left and right side borders.



Assemble the Quilt



Step 17: Arrange the Large Star Blocks and Grid Blocks into four rows of four blocks. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Quilt Assembly Diagram.

Step 18: Sew the blocks together to form rows. Press the rows to the left in the even numbered rows and to the right in the odd numbered rows.

Step 19: Sew the rows together to form the quilt center. Press the row seams open.

Step 20: Sew the top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

Your quilt top is complete! Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!

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