Fifth in a Series
Antique Quilt Reproduction
Finished Quilt: 79”x89”
Construction

Star Blocks – 76 Total

The following instructions will make 6 star blocks. Repeat steps with the remaining 8" x 22" strips to make a total of 76 – 6½" squares star blocks with seams – 72 blocks will be used in the quilt.

1. Select 1 ivory 8" x 22" strip 1 print 8" x 22" strip and 1–3 "square" strip from roll of quarter square triangle paper. Note: with strips from multi print fabric use 1–2 "square" strip from roll of quarter square triangle paper. See diagram.
2. Place the 2 strips right sides together. Center and pin the strip of triangle paper on top of the matched pair.
3. Using a shorter stitch length, stitch on dotted lines.
4. Cut on solid lines and remove paper from half square triangles.
5. Press seam toward print fabric. You should have a total of 24– half square triangle units.

4. Using a mechanical pencil draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of 12 quarter square triangle units.
5. Select 1 marked and 1 plain Quarter square triangle unit place right sides together nesting seams.
6. Triangle points should be opposite each other – print to ivory and ivory to print. See diagram.
7. Stitch ¼" on each side of marked line. Cut on marked lines. Press. You should have 24 hourglass units.
8. Trim units to measure 2½" x 2½" with seams.

Assemble Star Blocks – 76 total

For each star block you will need: 4 – 2½" ivory squares, 4 – 2½" hourglass units with same print and 1 – 2½" print square that matches hourglass print fabric.

2. Sew 2 remaining hourglass units to opposite side of print square. Press seams toward print.
3. Assemble rows nesting seams. Press. See diagram. Blocks should measure 6½" x 6½" with seams. Repeat Steps 1–3 to make 76 star blocks.
Sashing Blocks – 64 Total

MAKE STRIP SETS
1. Sew 1 – 1¾"x WOF cheddar strip to opposite sides of 1 – 2"x WOF main print strip. Press seams toward cheddar. Strip set should measure 4½"x WOF with seams. Repeat to make 11 strip sets.
2. Cut 6 – 4½"x 6½" from each strip set. Total 66 sashing blocks (64 sashing blocks used in quilt)

Long Sashing Borders – 7 total

Important: In order to minimize curving of long sashings and borders, stitch each strip in opposite directions. See diagram at right.
1. Stitch a 1¾"x LOF cheddar strip to opposite sides of a 2"x LOF print strip using the method above to avoid curves. Press seams toward print. Make 7 Long Sashing Borders.

Assemble Quilt Top
Refer to quilt image to arrange star blocks.

1. Stitch 8 columns of 9 star blocks and 8 sashing blocks beginning and ending with a star block. See diagram. Press seams toward sashing blocks. Columns should measure 6½"x 86½" with seams.
2. Trim 7 Long Sashing Borders to measure 4½"x 86½" with seams and 2 of the remaining 2"x LOF print strips to measure 2"x 86½" with seams.
3. Join 8 star columns and 7 long sashing borders beginning and ending with a star column. Press.
4. Add 2"x 86½" print border strip to opposite sides of quilt top. Press toward print.
5. Measure the quilt top through the center including the print border strips. Cut the final 2 print strips to that measurement (approx. 79½" with seams). Add to top and bottom of quilt top.
6. Press toward print to complete quilt top.

Binding
Using a bias seam, join the 4 remaining long cheddar strips end to end. Press seams open. Fold prepared strip in half wrong sides together to make binding.

Layer, quilt and bind.
**Fabric Requirements**

**Star Prints:** Cut 8"xWOF of each of the following:

- 46060–16
- 46062–13
- 46063–11
- 46064–11
- 46064–19
- 46065–11
- 46066–11
- 46067–15
- 46068–30
- 46069–25

**Multi Print** 46070 – ⅔ yards

**Sashings & Binding**

- 9900-152 3¾ yards

**Background**

- 9900-60 3¾ yards

**Main Print – Sashings & Long Borders**

- 46067-11 3¼ yards

**Extras:** *Triangle Paper on a Roll*

- 2" Finished Quarter Square Triangles

**Backings:** 5½ yards

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*Please note, kit yardage may vary slightly from amounts given on this project sheet.*