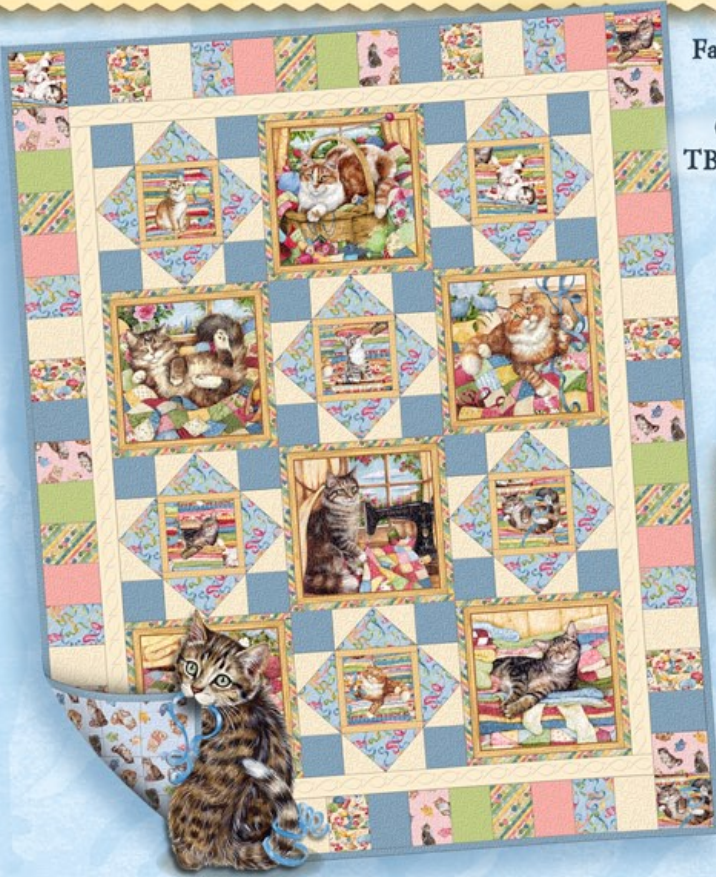


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QUILTING PURR-FECTION

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FREE
PATTERN
OFFERED
IN INDEPENDENT
QUILT SHOPS TO
COMPLEMENT THIS
FABRIC COLLECTION



Fabrics needed:

Q: Quilt
TB: Tote Bag



Fabric A - 33551-427 Q- 1 panel (2/3 yard)



Tote Bag - 12" x 12" x 6"



Fabric B - 33552-247 TB- 1 yard



Fabric C - 33553-721
Q- 3/4 yard



Fabric D
33555-321
Q- 1/4 yard

Fabric E - 33555-421
Q- 3 1/4 yards
(backing only)



Fabric F - 33556-174
Q- 1/4 yard
TB - 1 yard



Fabric G - 33557-437
Q- 2/3 yard

Fabric H
33557-737
TB- 1 1/8 yards
(bag lining only)



Fabric I - 33558-135
Q- 5/8 yard

Fabric J - 33558-522
TB- 2/3 yard



Q1875 - Studio Coordinates (used in Quilt only):



Fabric K
31073-111
1 1/8 yard

Fabric L
31073-333
1/4 yard

Fabric M
31073-444
1 1/8 yards
(incl. binding)

Fabric N
31073-552
1/4 yard

Fabric O
31073-700
1/4 yard



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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.

Quilt Instructions

approximate size 47 1/2" x 59 1/2"

1. Cut the following:

Fabric A - **cut 6 - 11 1/2" x 11 1/2" squares (center designs evenly)

Fabric C - fussy cut the following by centering designs:

cut 6 - 5 1/2" x 5 1/2" squares (block centers)

cut 4 - 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" squares (corners)

Fabric D - cut 1 - 3 1/2" strip

Fabric F - cut 1 - 3 1/2" strip

Fabric G - cut 5 - 3 1/2" strips, use 4 strips and subcut 24 - 3 1/2" x 6 1/2"

Fabric I - **cut 8 - 1" strips, subcut 12 - 1" x 11 1/2" and 12 - 1" x 12 1/2"

cut 1 - 3 1/2" strip

Fabric K - cut 6 - 3 1/2" strips, use 5 strips and subcut 48 - 3 1/2" squares

Borders - cut 5 - 2" strips, sew end to end then subcut 2 - 2" x 48 1/2" and 2 - 2" x 39 1/2"

Fabric L - cut 1 - 3 1/2" strip

Fabric M - cut 4 - 3 1/2" strips, use 3 strips and subcut 24 - 3 1/2" squares

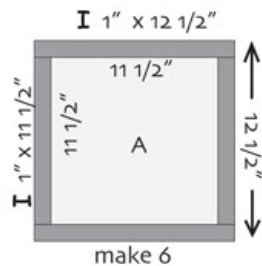
BINDING - cut 6 - 2 1/4" strips, sew end to end and press in half

Fabric N - cut 4 - 1" strips, subcut 12 - 1" x 5 1/2" and 12 - 1" x 6 1/2"

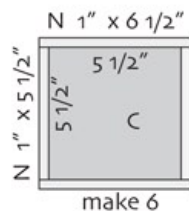
Fabric O - cut 1 - 3 1/2" strip

2. Piecing Order:

1. Sew **I** 1" borders around 6 **A** 11 1/2" squares, **SIDES** first, then **TOP** and **BOTTOM** borders. ** (If **A** measurements are slightly different, cut **I** borders slightly larger, sew around **A** squares, then trim all **A** blocks to measure 12 1/2" x 12 1/2".)



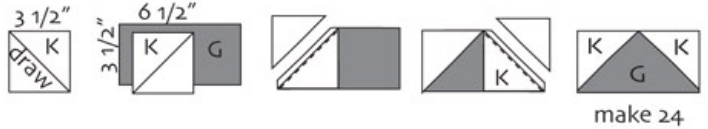
2. Make 6 - 12" finished (12 1/2" unf.) pieced blocks. First, sew **N** 1" borders around 6 **C** 5 1/2" squares, **SIDES** first, then **TOP** and **BOTTOM** borders for 6 center squares.



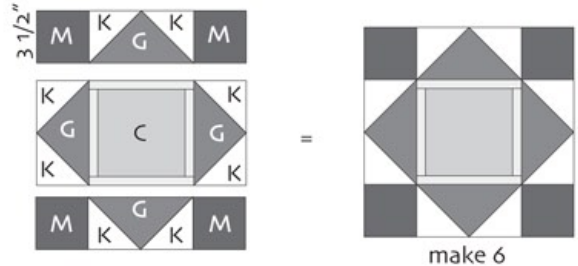
Next, draw a diagonal line on the backside of 48 **K** 3 1/2" squares.

Place one **K** square over one corner of **G** 3 1/2" x 6 1/2", right sides together and match corners. Stitch ON the diagonal line. Trim 1/4" from seam. Flip triangle outward and press. Next, place another **K** square over the opposite corner of **G**, right sides together. Stitch ON the diagonal line, trim 1/4" from the seam and press outward.

Make 24 units.



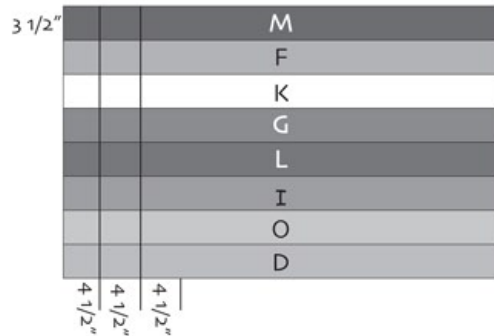
Sew blocks together by rows according to the diagram.



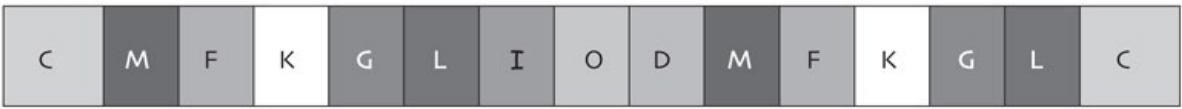
3. Sew quilt center together by rows alternating **A** blocks and pieced blocks according to the diagram on the next page.

4. Next, sew **K** 2" borders around the quilt, **SIDES** first, then **TOP** and **BOTTOM** borders.

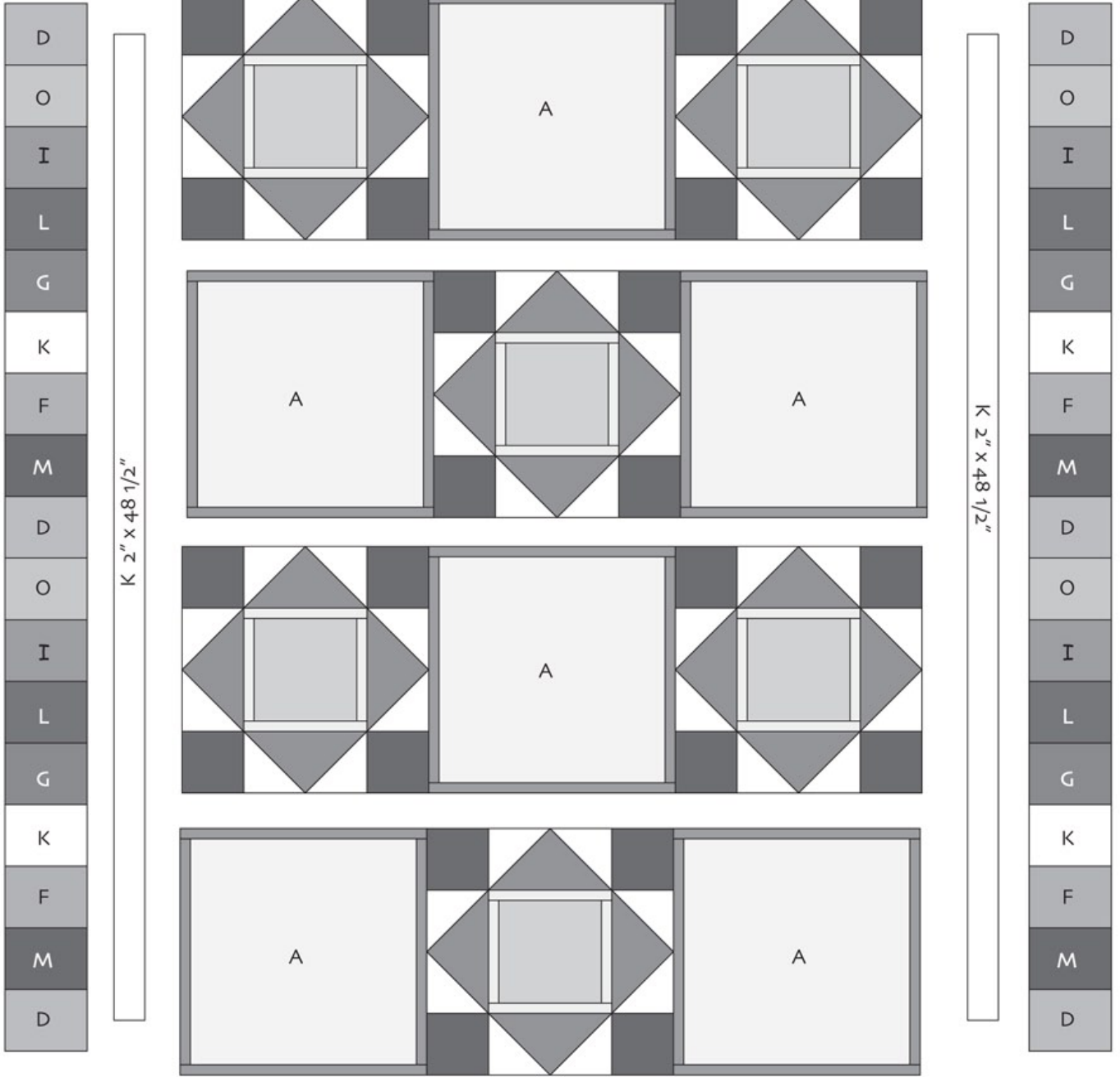
5. Outer borders: sew 8 - 3 1/2" strips side by side in order according to the diagram. Press to one side. Subcut 8 - 4 1/2" segments. Then sew segments together end to end for 1 long strip. Remove 13 squares for both **TOP** and **BOTTOM** borders and remove 17 squares for both **SIDE** borders. Sew **SIDE** borders to the quilt first. Next, sew a **C** 4 1/2" square to both ends of the **TOP** and **BOTTOM** borders, then sew both to the quilt.



4 1/2"



K 2" x 39 1/2"



K 2" x 39 1/2"



6. The quilt measures approximately 47 1/2" x 59 1/2". Make backing (**Fabric E**) at least 6" larger than the top. Layer and baste together top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Attach binding (**Fabric M**) and enjoy!!

Tote Bag Instructions

approximate size 12" x 12" x 6"

1. Cut the following:

Fabric B - cut 2 - 7 1/2" x 18 1/2" border stripes for pockets

Fabric F - cut 2 - 15 1/2" x 18 1/2" (Front & Back)

Fabric H - lining - cut 2 - 15 1/2" x 18 1/2"
pocket lining cut 2 - 8 1/2" x 18 1/2"

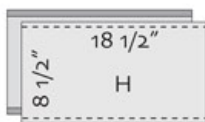
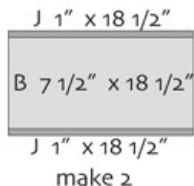
Fabric J - Handles - cut 2 - 6" strips
cut 2 - 1" strips, subcut 4 - 1" x 18 1/2"

BATTING - cut 2 - 15 1/2" x 18 1/2"

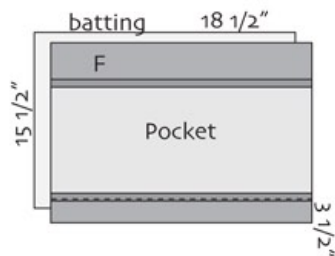
2. Piecing Order:

1. Handles: Double fold two 6" J strips. First, press both strips in half, then open strips and fold both edges to the center pressed line. Press. Next, fold again and match folded edges. Press. Topstitch 1/8" along both sides of each handle for 2 - 1 1/2" x 40" handles.

2. Pockets: Sew J 1" x 18 1/2" strips above and below both B strips. Next, place pocket lining H 8 1/2" x 18 1/2" over J/B/J, right sides together. Match corners and pin to secure layers. Stitch top and bottom seams only on both pockets. Turn pockets right sides out and press.



3. Place F 15 1/2" x 18 1/2" over batting. Place bottom edge of pocket 3 1/2" from the bottom of F (both right sides up). Use walking foot and attach pocket to F by stitching along bottom edge of pocket. Make 2.

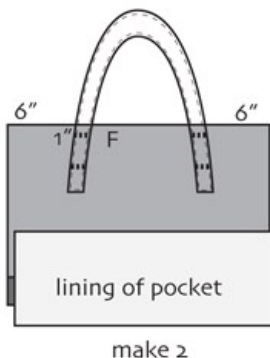


4. Next, move pocket out of the way and pin handles in place at least 5" below the top of F according to the diagram.

The length of handles may be adjusted because the excess will be covered by the pocket.

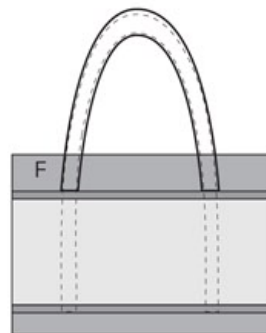
Begin stitching handle 1" from top of F, stitch along both sides of handle to secure.

Stitch a handle to both tote front and back.

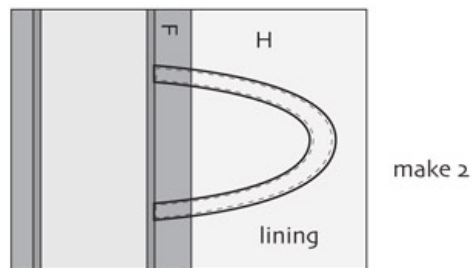


5. Fold pocket back (should cover bottom of handles).

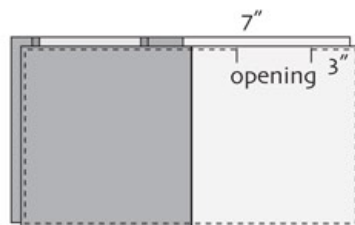
Topstitch both edges of handle (that are under pocket) to create pocket dividers. Stitch to the bottom of the pockets on both pieces.



6. Pin handles away from the top raw edge, then place lining H 15 1/2" x 18 1/2" over both front and back pieces, right sides together. Match raw edges and secure with pin. Stitch TOP seam only. Press.



7. Place both front and back pieces, right sides together. Match raw edges and secure with pins. Stitch 1/4" around edge, leave approximately 7" opening for turning along one side of the lining, at least 3" from corner.



8. Make boxed corners along the bottom by folding bottom seam to match the side seam, create a flattened triangle.

Stitch a line even with the bottom of the pocket seam. Repeat for all 4 corners (bag and lining). Pull bag thru opening.

Stitch opening closed and fold lining inside bag. Enjoy!!

