

Homecoming

Fabric Collection by Rachel Pellman

Hearth and Home quilt by Bunny Henningsen

Size: 36" Square



Yardages

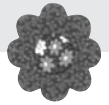
HOCO 143 N	Wreath Panel (navy)	1 panel for quilt center and corner squares
HOCO 145 G	Fabric E (green)	1/4 yard for blocks
HOCO 145 N	Fabric D (blue tiny print)	1 yard for blocks, middle border, outer border, and binding
HOCO 149 D	Fabric A (red)	3/8 yard for blocks and inner border
HOCO 149 N	Fabric B (blue)	1/8 yard for blocks
HOCO 149 X	Fabric C (gold)	5/8 yard for blocks
BACKING:	Any Homecoming fabric	1 1/8 yards



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Cutting

All strips are cut across width of fabric (wof). All seam allowances are 1/4".

From Fabric A (red), cut:

- (1) 4 1/4" x wof strip; crosscut into (9) 4 1/4" squares
- (1) 2 3/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (14) 2 3/4" squares. Cut each square twice diagonally to make (56) quarter-square triangles.
- (2) 1 1/2" x 16 1/2" inner-border strips
- (2) 1 1/2" x 18 1/2" inner-border strips

From Fabric B (blue), cut:

- (1) 2 3/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (14) 2 3/4" squares. Cut each square twice diagonally to make (56) quarter-square triangles.

From Fabric C (gold), cut:

- (1) 4 1/4" x wof strip; crosscut into (9) 4 1/4" squares
- (2) 2 3/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (28) 2 3/4" squares. Cut each square twice diagonally to make (56) quarter-square triangles.
- (4) 2 3/8" x wof strips; crosscut into (56) 2 3/8" squares. Cut each square once diagonally to make (112) half-square triangles.

From Fabric D (blue tiny print), cut:

- (1) 4 1/4" x wof strip; crosscut into (9) 4 1/4" squares
- (2) 2" x 24 1/2" middle-border strips
- (2) 2" x 27 1/2" middle-border strips
- (2) 2" x 33 1/2" outer-border strips
- (2) 2" x 36 1/2" outer-border strips
- (4) 2 1/4" x wof binding strips

From fabric E (green), cut:

- 4 1/4" x wof strip; crosscut into (9) 4 1/4" squares

From the wreath panel, cut:

- (1) 16 1/2" square, centering the wreath motif in the middle of the square
- (4) 3 1/2" squares, centering a small flower motif in the middle of each square

Assembly Instructions

1. Pair each 4 1/4" fabric C square with a fabric D square, right sides together. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the fabric C squares. Sew 1/4" on each side of the drawn line and then cut the squares apart on the marked line. Press the seam allowances toward the blue. Repeat to make a total of (18) half-square triangles.

2. Pair each 4 1/4" fabric A square with a fabric E square, right sides together. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the fabric A squares. Sew 1/4" on each side of the drawn line and then cut the squares apart on the marked line. Press the seam allowances toward the green. Repeat to make a total of (18) half-square triangles.

3. Layer one blue/gold half-square triangle right sides together with one red/green half-square triangle, making sure the seams are

abutted together. On the wrong side of the top square, draw a diagonal line from corner to corner, across the sewn seam. Sew 1/4" on each side of drawn line and then cut the squares apart on the marked line; press. Repeat to make a total of (36) blocks, each measuring 3 1/2" x 3 1/2".

4. Referring to the photo, sew together (9) blocks from step 3, placing red triangles next to gold triangles to make a border strip. Make (4) strips. Sew a 3 1/2" small-flower square to both ends of two strips.

5. Lay out (4) fabric A quarter-square triangles, (4) fabric C quarter-square triangles, and (4) fabric C half-square triangles to make a pinwheel block. Sew together two small triangles, then add a larger triangle to make a 2" square unit. Make (4) units for each block.

6. Lay out (4) units from step 5 in a four-patch arrangement, referring to the photo as needed. Join the units in rows and then join the rows to make a pinwheel block. Make a total of (14) red pinwheel blocks, measuring 3 1/2" x 3 1/2".

7. Repeat steps 5 and 6 using the fabric B triangles and the remaining fabric C triangles. Make (14) blue pinwheel blocks.

8. Sew together (4) blue pinwheel blocks and (4) red pinwheel blocks, starting with a blue block and alternating them as shown in the photo. Make (2) 8-block strips. In the same manner, sew together (3) blue pinwheel blocks and (3) red pinwheel blocks to make a 6-block strips. Make (2) 6-block strips.

9. Using fabric A strips, sew 16 1/2"-long strips to each side of the wreath square and then sew 18 1/2"-long strips to the two remaining sides for the inner border. Press the seam allowances toward the border.

10. Sew the 6-block pinwheel strips to opposite sides of the quilt, placing the blue block at the top on one side and the red block at the top on the other side. Sew 8-block pinwheel strips to the two remaining sides, matching the blue and red blocks. Press the seam allowances toward the inner border.

11. Using fabric D strips, sew 24 1/2"-long strips to each side and then sew 27 1/2" strips to the two remaining sides for the middle border. Press the seam allowances toward the border.

12. Using the border strips from step 4, sew a shorter border strip to each side and then sew the longer strips to the two remaining sides. Press the seam allowances toward the middle border.

13. Using fabric D strips, sew 33 1/2"-long strips to each side and then sew 36 1/2" strips to the two remaining sides for the outer border. Press the seam allowances toward the border.

14. Layer the quilt top with batting and backing; baste. Quilt as desired and bind the edges to finish.