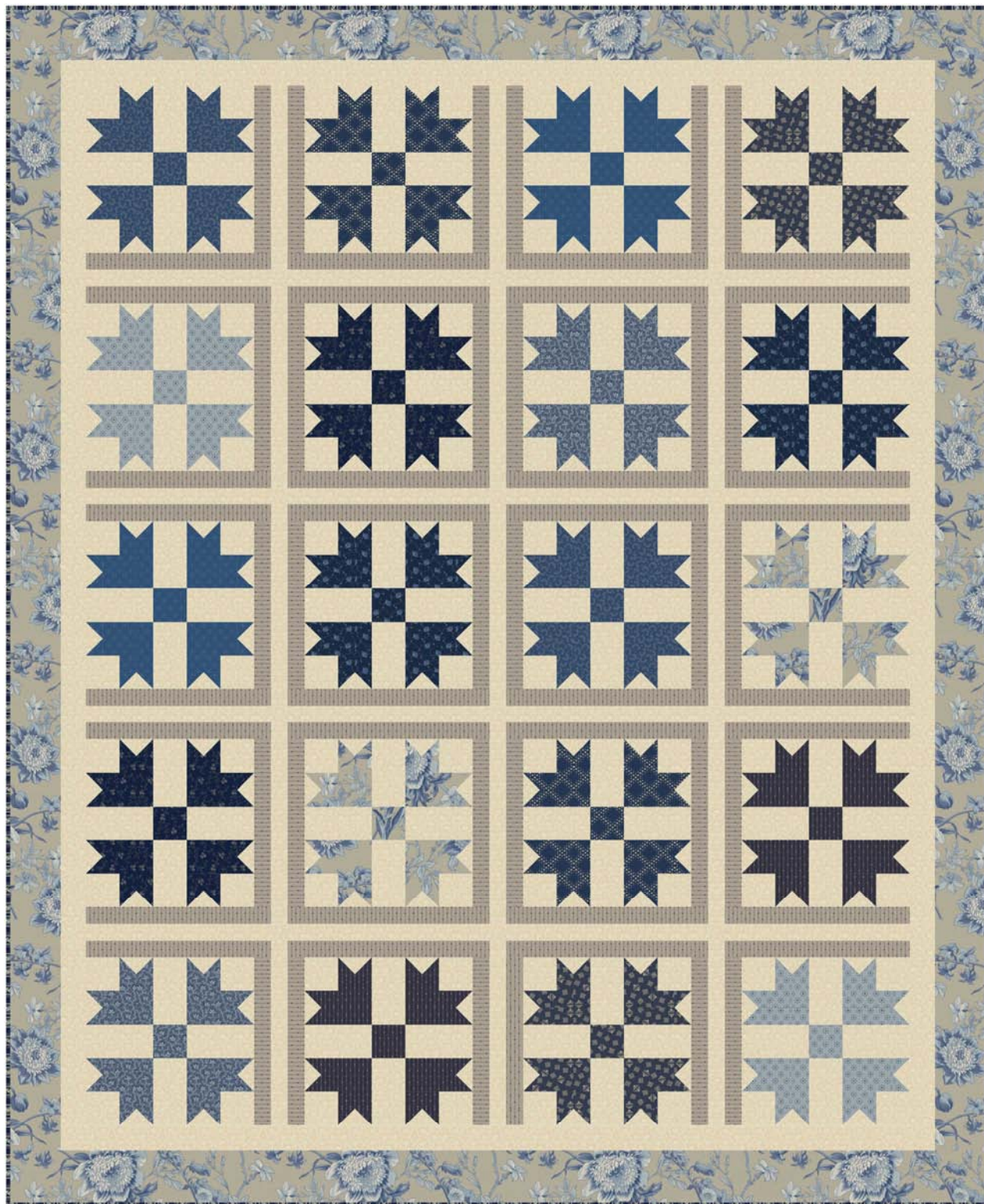


Blue Beauties

Featuring BOUNTIFUL BLUES by Paula Barnes



58" x 71"

Marcus Fabrics Blue Beauties Quilt
 Finished quilt size: 58" x 71"
 Finished block size: 10" x 10"
 Backing: 66" x 79" (4y of 42" wide fabric)
 Binding: 5/8y R2212-Navy

Fabrics and Cutting Chart

Fabrics	Yardage	Cutting Directions
 Fabric A R2211-Cream	2 1/2y	a. Pieced blocks (12) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (80) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares and (160) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles. (5) 4 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (80) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles. b. Sashing blocks (8) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Reserve for strip piecing. c. Cornerstones (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Reserve for strip piecing. (1) 1 1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut (12) 1 1/2" x 3 1/2" rectangles. d. Inner border (6) 2" x WOF strips. Piece strips and subcut (2) 2" x 52 1/2" and (2) 2" x 62 1/2" strips.
 Fabric B R2202-Med Blue	1y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles. b. Outer border (7) 3 1/2" x WOF strips. Piece strips and subcut (2) 3 1/2" x 58 1/2" and (2) 3 1/2" x 65 1/2" strips.
 Fabric C R2204-Navy	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric D R2205-Navy	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.

 Fabric E R2206-Grey	7/8y	a. Sashing blocks (16) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Reserve for strip piecing. b. Cornerstones (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Reserve for strip piecing.
 Fabric F R2206-Navy	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric G R2207-Blue	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric H R2207-Lt Blue	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric I R2208-Blue	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric J R2209-Blue	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric K R2210-Navy	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
 Fabric L R2211-Blue	1/4y	a. Pieced blocks (2) 1 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (32) 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" squares. (2) 2 1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut (2) 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" squares, (8) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" and (8) 1 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.

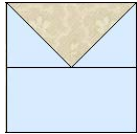
Constructing Pieced Blocks

1. Flying geese unit. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ " **Blue Print** square. Place square, right sides together, at a corner of (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric A** rectangle. Sew on drawn line. Trim $\frac{1}{4}$ " away from sewn line. Open and press to reveal corner triangle. Repeat with another $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ " **Blue Print** square at the opposite corner of the same **Fabric A** rectangle to complete (1) flying geese unit.

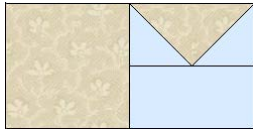


Make a total of (2) units.

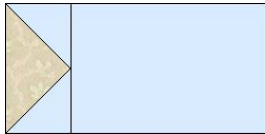
2. Sew (1) flying geese unit above (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " **Blue Print** rectangle.



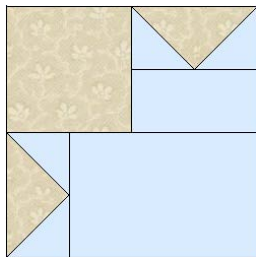
Then sew (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric A** square to the left of previously sewn unit to make a row unit. Row unit measures $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.



3. Sew (1) flying geese unit to the left of (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " **Blue Print** rectangle to make a row unit. Row unit measures $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.

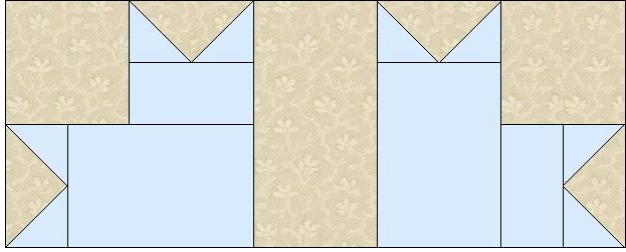


4. Sew together row units made in steps 2 and 3 to make (1) block quadrant.



Make a total of (4) quadrants.

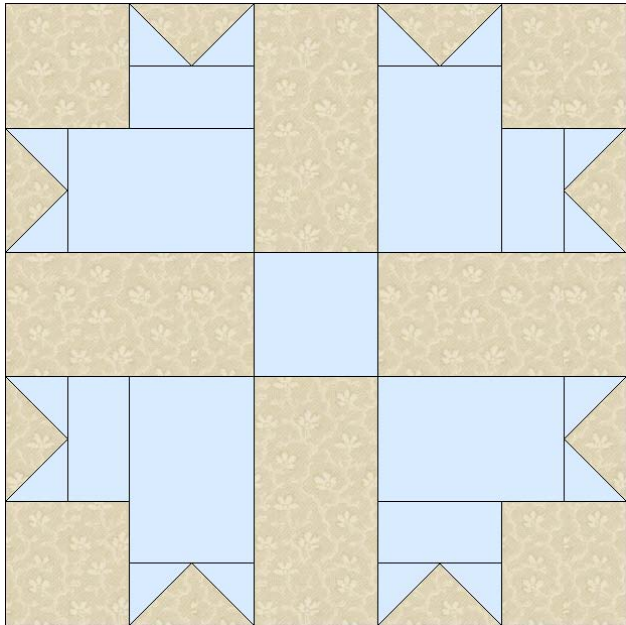
5. Sew (2) quadrants to the opposite long sides of (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric A** rectangle to make a row unit.



6. Sew (2) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $4\frac{1}{2}$ " *Fabric A* rectangles to the opposite sides of (1) $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " **Blue Print** square to make a row unit.



7. Sew together row units to made in steps 5 and 6 to complete (1) pieced block.



8. Make a total of (2) blocks for the following **Blue Prints** for a total of (20) blocks.
Fabric B, C, D, F, G, H, I, J, K, L

Constructing Sashing Blocks

1. Sew (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF **Fabric E** strips to the opposite long sides of (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF **Fabric A** strip. Subcut strip set at $10\frac{1}{2}$ " intervals for (4) sashing blocks. Block measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $10\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.



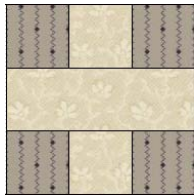
Repeat to make a total of (31) sashing blocks.

Constructing Cornerstones

1. Sew (2) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF **Fabric E** strips to the opposite long sides of (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF **Fabric A** strip. Subcut strip set at $1\frac{1}{2}$ " intervals for (24) units. Unit measures $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.



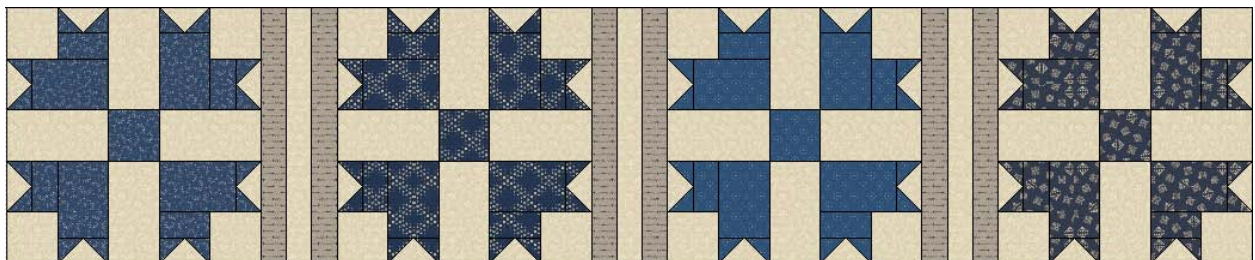
2. Sew two units from step 1 to the opposite long sides of (1) $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " **Fabric A** rectangle to complete (1) cornerstone. Cornerstone measures $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished.



Make a total of (12) cornerstones.

Quilt Center Assembly

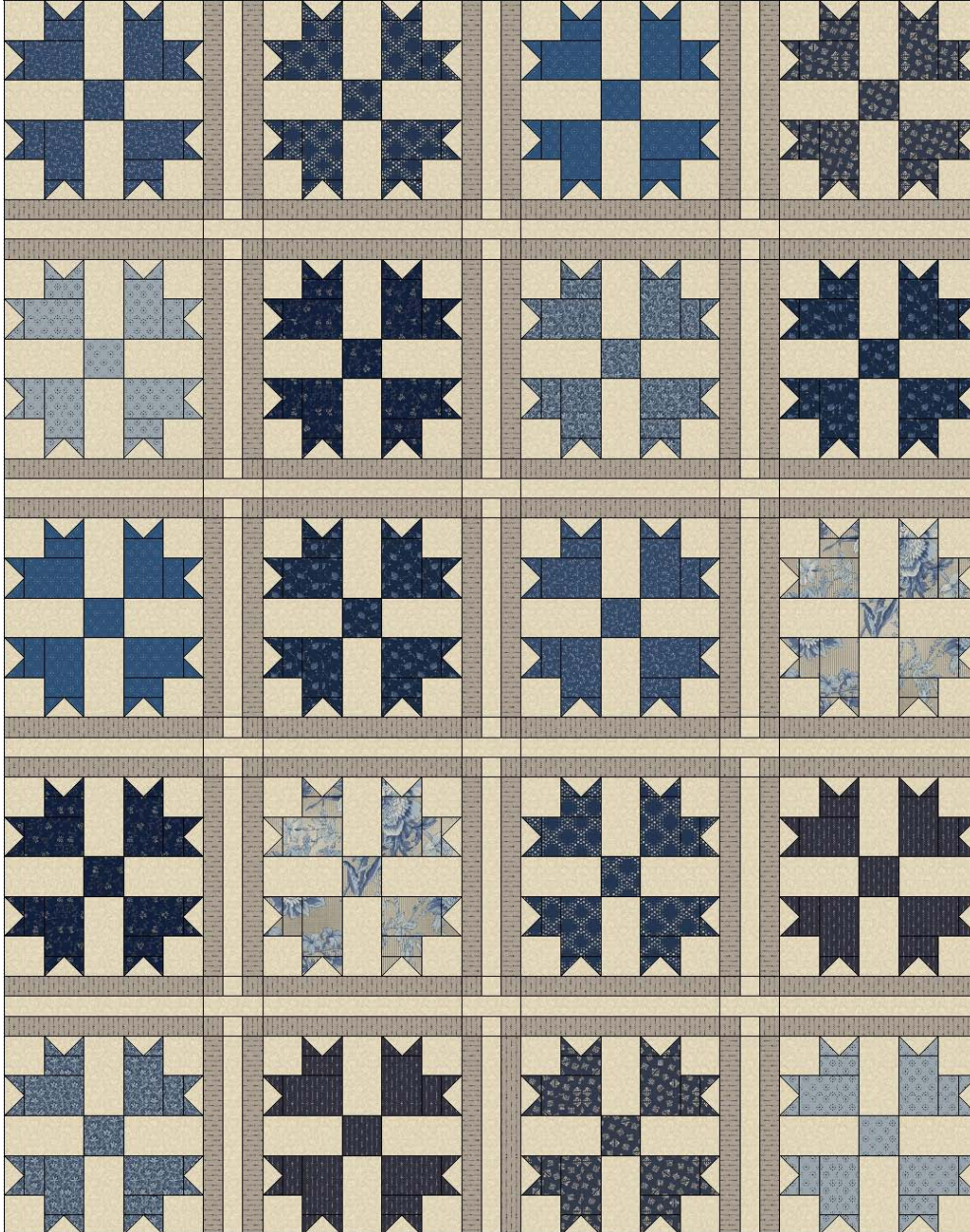
1. Pieced rows. Arrange and sew together (4) pieced blocks and (3) sashing blocks to make a pieced row. Make a total of (5) pieced rows. Row 1 is shown below.



2. Pieced sashing rows. Arrange and sew together (4) sashing blocks and (3) cornerstones to make a pieced sashing row. Make a total of (4) pieced sashing rows.



3. Sew together pieced rows and pieced sashing rows to complete quilt center.



Quilt Top Assembly

1. Inner border. Sew (2) 2" x 62 ½" **Fabric A** strips to the left and right sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 2" x 52 ½" **Fabric A** strips to the top and bottom of quilt center.

2. Outer border. Sew (2) 3 ½" x 65 ½" **Fabric B** strips to the left and right sides of quilt center, followed by (2) 3 ½" x 58 ½" **Fabric B** strips to the top and bottom of quilt center to complete quilt top.



Finishing

1. Layer backing, batting and quilt top.
2. Baste the layers together. Quilt as desired.
3. Bind to complete the quilt.