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Audrey's Treasure Quilt by Evonne Cook



Shown using fabrics from the line, **American Patch**, by The Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum for Washington Street Studio





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Quilt Size 43" x 51"

Yardage

This quilt shows nearly every print in the collection; however, every print can be used if you wish more variety in the blocks.

Fabric A APAT 264 N 5/8 yard
Fabric B APAT 264 B 7/8 yard
Fabric C APAT 264 P 5/8 yard
Each Remaining Fabric Print 1/8 yard
Backing 2¾ yards of any APAT fabric

General instructions: Read through all directions before beginning. Sew using a scant ¼" seam; seam allowances are built into the cutting directions. All pieces are sewn right sides together.

Cutting

Strips are cut across the width of fabric unless otherwise stated

From Fabric A (APAT 264 N), cut:

(5) $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strips for border; sides may have to be pieced

From Fabric B (APAT 264 B), cut:

(6) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strips; sub cut into (49) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for alternate blocks

From Fabric C (APAT 264 P), cut:

- (1) 2½" x 42" strip for blocks
- (1) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" strip; sub cut into (4) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " squares for border corners
 - (5) 21/2" x 42" strips for binding

From each of the remaining light, medium, & dark fabric prints (EACH SKU), cut:

(1) 2½" x 42" strip

Sewing

1. To maximize the scrappiness of this quilt, you may want to cut some of the fabric strips being used for the 4-patch blocks in half, so strips will be $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 21" instead of $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x 42" & you can enjoy more combinations.

- 2. Match your fabric strips into pairs of light & dark fabrics. You may use the medium fabrics as lights & darks depending on the other fabric you match them to. For instance, if you are using a very dark navy print, you can match it with a medium brown, but that same medium brown can match with a very light fabric to make a totally different block. Thus, you would be using the medium brown as a light in the first block, but as a dark in the second block.
- 3. Lay your matched pairs out & sew them together on the lengthwise. Press seams toward the dark. Crosscut them every 2½" for a total of 100 cuts.



4. Sew matched sets into (50) assorted 4-patch blocks.

- 5. Sew 4-patch blocks together with alternate blocks turning the blocks in different directions to make a pleasing arrangement. You will have 6 rows beginning & ending with a 4-patch block. And you will have 5 rows beginning & ending with an alternate block. See layout.
- 6. Continue to sew all the rows together. Press all the seams well.

Borders

- 7. Measure your quilt from top to bottom through the center. Cut (2) side borders at this measurement from Fabric A strips. You will have to piece these.
- 8. Measure your quilt from side to side & cut (2) top/bottom borders at this measurement from Fabric A strips.
- 9. Sew the side border strips to the quilt sides & press seams out.
- 10. Sew (2) 4½" squares of Fabric B to the ends of both top/bottom borders & sew them to the top & bottom of the quilt. Press seams out.
- 11. Quilt the quilt & bind with binding strips.

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100% cotton ♦ Cold wash & dry ♦ 43″ / 44″ ♦ Colors may vary due to printing process
All images shown at 50% scale.

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