Quilt size: approximately 78" x $78^{\prime \prime}$


Featuring fabrics from American Farm
by Michael Mullan for P\&B Textiles

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Fabric collection by Michael Mullan for P\&B Textiles<br>Heartland quilt design by Stacey Day<br>Skill level: Confident Beginner • Finished Quilt Size: approx. 78" x 78"

## Quilt Yardages:

| Fabric A: | AFAR 4499 MU ........................................ 1 panel |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fabric B: | AFAR 4500 MU ........................................ 1 yard |
| Fabric C: | AFAR 4501 R .........................................7/8 yard |
| Fabric D: | AFAR 4502 LB ....................................... 1/2 yard |
| Fabric E: | AFAR 4502 LR....................................... 1/2 yard |
| Fabric F: | AFAR 4502 N ........................................ 1/3 yard |
| Fabric G: | AFAR 4502 R ......................................... 1/3 yard |
| Fabric H: | AFAR 4503 MU ....................................... 3 yards |
| Fabric I: | AFAR 4505 N ......................................... 1/2 yard |
| Fabric J: | AFAR 4505 R ......................................... 1/2 yard |
| Fabric K: | SUED 300 N ........................................ Fat Eighth |
| Fabric L: | SUED 300 E ....................................... Fat Eighth |
| Fabric M | SUE6 302 R........................................ Fat Eighth |
| Fabric N : | SUEB 300 BB ..................................... Fat Eighth |
| Backing: | AFAR 4504 R suggested ....................... 5 yards |
| Batting | 86" x 86" |

## Cutting Instructions:

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning. Strips are cut across the width of fabric (perpendicular to selvedges) unless otherwise stated. All seams are sewn with a 1/4" seam unless otherwise stated. Label all pieces. LOF = length of fabric.

## From Fabric A:

1. Cut eight panel blocks at $91 / 2$ " square centering design within each square.

## From Fabric B:

1. Cut eight $31 / 2$ " strips. Sew together end to end with diagonal seams. Press seams open. From this pieced strip, cut two 3 1/2" $\times 72$ 1/2" strips and two 3 1/2" x 78 1/2" strips.

## From Fabric C:

1. Cut thirteen 2 1/4" x WOB (width of bias) strips for binding. Sew strips together end to end to make a bias strip at least 340" long.

## From Fabric D:

1. Cut six 2" strips.

From Fabric E :

1. Cut seven 2" strips.

From Fabric F:
1.Cut two $37 / 8$ " strips; cut sixteen $37 / 8$ " squares. Sub cut once on the diagonal into thirty-two triangles.
From Fabric G:
1.Cut two $37 / 8$ " strips; cut twenty $37 / 8$ " squares. Sub cut once on the diagonal into forty triangles.

## From Fabric H:

1. Cut four $37 / 8$ " strips; cut thirty-six $37 / 8$ " squares. Sub cut once on the diagonal into seventy-two triangles.
2. Cut thirteen $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strips; cut thirty-six $31 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares and thirty-six 3 1/2" x 9 1/2" rectangles.
3. Cut fourteen 2 3/4" strips. Sew strips together end to end with diagonal seams. Press seams open. From this pieced strip, cut four 72 1/2" strips and twelve 2 3/4" x 21 1/2" strips.
From Fabric I:
4. Cut seven 2" strips.

From Fabric J:

1. Cut six 2" strips.

From Fabric K:

1. Cut one $61 / 8$ " square; cut once on the diagonal into two triangles.
2. Cut one $53 / 4$ " square; cut once on each diagonal into four triangles.
From Fabric L:
3. Cut two $1^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2$ " rectangles and two 1 " $\times 5$ " rectangles

From Fabric M:

1. Cut two 1 " $x 7$ 1/2" rectangles, two 1 " $\times 5$ " rectangles and one 4 " x 5 1/2" rectangle.
From Fabric N :
2. Cut one 2 3/4" $\times 3$ 1/4" rectangle.

## Piecing Instructions:

1. Using your preferred method of paper piecing, make the Foundation pieces using the fabrics listed on each piece. Remove the papers. Sew together in order (A-B-C), press. Sew two 5 3/4" K triangles to the top corners, and two 6 $1 / 8$ " K triangles to the bottom of the block as shown. Trim and square to 9 1/2" x 9 1/2", set aside with the 9 1/2" A squares (Figure 1).


Figure 1
Center Block
2. Sew 2" E and I strips together in pairs. Sew 2" D and J strips together in pairs. From the E/I strips cut twenty $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangles and forty 2 " x 3 1/2" rectangles. From the D/J strips cut sixteen $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 9$ 1/2" rectangles and thirty-two 2" x 3 1/2" rectangles.
3. Sew the $\mathrm{E} / \mathrm{I} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3$ 1/2" rectangles together as shown to make twenty A Units. Set aside. Sew the D/J 2" x 3 1/2" rectangles together to make sixteen B Units. Set aside (Figure 2).


Make 20 A Units.


Make 16 B Units.
4. Sew one $37 / 8$ " H triangle to one $37 / 8 \mathrm{Cl} \mathrm{G}$ triangle to make forty C Units. Sew one $37 / 8$ " H triangle to one $37 / 8$ " F triangle to make thirty-two D Units (Figure 3).


Figure 3

## Make 40 C Units. <br> Make 32 D Units.

5. Sew one A Unit, two C Units, and one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ square together to make an E Unit. Make twenty E Units (Figure 4).
6. Sew one B Unit, two D Units, and one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ square together to make an F Unit. Make sixteen F Units (Figure 4).


Figure 4


Make 20 E Units.


Make 16 F Units.
7. Sew one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{H}$ rectangle to the top of each $\mathrm{E} / \mathrm{I}$ and $D / J 31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle. Set aside as the $G$ and $H$ Units (Figure 5).


Figure 5


Make 20 G Units.


Make 16 H Units.
8. Sew four E Units and four G Units to one $91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ A square containing either the rooster or bison motif to make an A Block. Repeat with each bison and rooster motif to make four A Blocks (Figure 6). Repeat once with Center Block. Trim and square to $211 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 21$ 1/2".


Figure 6
9. Sew four F Units and four H Units to one $91 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ A square containing either the hog or steer motif to make an A Block. Repeat with each hog and steer motif to make four A Blocks. Trim and square to $211 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 211 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ (Figure 6).
10. Sew the $A$ and $B$ Blocks together into rows with one $23 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 21$ 1/2" H rectangle between each, and on either end of each row, referring to the quilt diagram for block placement. Sew the rows together with one 2 3/4" $\times 72$ $1 / 2^{\prime \prime} H$ sash between each. Sew another 2 3/4" x 72 1/2" H sash to the top and bottom to complete the quilt center.
11. Sew one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 721 / 2^{\prime \prime} B$ border to each side of the quilt center. Press. Sew one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 781 / 2^{\prime \prime} B$ border to the top and bottom. Press.

## Finishing:

1. Prepare backing with one seam to measure 86 " $x 86$ ". Press seam open.
2. Layer quilt top, batting, and backing. Baste layers together.
3. Quilt as desired.
4. Trim layers even with quilt top squaring corners.
5. Join thirteen 2 1/4" C binding strips with diagonal seams. Press seams open. Press strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together to make double-fold binding. Attach binding to quilt using your favorite method.
6. Make a label and sew to the back of the quilt.


Make 4 A Blocks and 1 Paper Pieced Center Block.


Quilt Diagram

A1
Fabric M 3 1/4" $\times 5^{\prime \prime}$

B 2
Fabric L 1" $\times 5^{\prime \prime}$

B 3
Fabric M 1"x $5^{\prime \prime}$
B 4
Fabric L1" 5 $^{\prime \prime}$
B 5
Fabric M 1"x 5"

| C1 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fabric L $1^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| C2 |
| Fabric M $1^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| C3 |
| Fabric L $1^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |
| C4 |
| Fabric M $1^{\prime \prime} \times 71 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ |

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