Love-4-Cotton

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Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

Finished Quilt Size: 60” x 78”

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- Panel - Dark Brown 9431P-39
- Feathers - Medium Brown 9436-35
- Chicken Wire - Ivory 9440-41
- Weathered Wood - Light Gray 9442-09
- Weathered Wood - Dark Brown 9442-39
- White 7101-01
- Fawn 7101-35
- Gray 7101-90

- Large Windmills Medium Brown – 9432-35
- Weathervanes - Light Gray 9434-09
- Large Cotton Balls - Gray 9437-90
- Stripe - Ivory 9441-41
- Moths on Chicken Wire - Ivory 9439-41

- Mini Windmills Medium Brown – 9433-35
- Weathervanes - Dark Brown 9434-39
- Mini Cotton Balls - Ivory 9438-41
- Weathered Wood - Dark Brown 9442-39
- Quilt Labels - Gray 9443-90

- Cotton Emblems - Gray 9435-90
- Weathered Wood - Dark Brown 9442-39
- Mini Windmills - Gray 9433-90
**Cutting Instructions**

*Please note: all strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.*

**From the Panel - Dark Brown (A):**
- Fussy cut (1) 22 ½” x 42 ½” panel.

**From the Weathered Wood - Dark Brown (B), cut:**
- (2) 3 ½” x 42 ½”, piece as needed.
- (2) 2 ½” x 28 ½” strips
- (3) 2” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2” x 48 ½” strips.
- (4) 2” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2” x 63 ½” strips.
- (7) 2 ½” x WOF strips for the binding.

**From the Cotton Emblems - Gray (C), cut:**
- (1) 3 ½” x WOF strip. Sub-cut (10) 3 ½” squares.

**From the Texture - Fawn (D), cut:**
- (2) 4 ¼” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 4 ¼” squares. Cut each square across both diagonals to male (40) triangles.

**From the Texture - White (E), cut:**
- (5) 4 ¼” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (40) 4 ¼” squares. Cut each square across both diagonals to male (160) triangles.

**From the Chicken Wire - Ivory (F), cut:**
- (3) 4 ¼” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (20) 4 ¼” squares. Cut each square across both diagonals to male (80) triangles.

**From the Moths on Chicken Wire - Ivory (G), cut:**
- (4) 3 ⅞” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (40) 3 ⅞” squares.

**From the Mini Windmills - Medium Brown (H), cut:**
- (2) 3 ¾” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (20) 3 ¾” squares.

**From the Feathers - Medium Brown (I), cut:**
- (2) 3 ¾” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (20) 3 ¾” squares.

**From the Texture - Gray (J), cut:**
- (2) 4 ⅜” x WOF strips. Sub-cut (10) 4 ⅜” squares. Cut each square across both diagonals to male (40) triangles.

**From the Weathervanes - Dark Brown (K), cut:**
- (1) 3 ⅜” x WOF strip. Sub-cut (10) 3 ⅜” squares.

**From the Stripe - Ivory (L), fuzzy cut:**
- (2) 6 ½” x 82” strips from the Length of Fabric (LOF).
- (2) 6 ½” x 64 LOF strips.

**From the Large Windmills - Medium Brown (Backing), cut:**
- (2) 86” x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 68” x 86” back.

**Sewing Instructions**

1. Sew (1) 3 ½” x 42 ½” Fabric B strip to each side of (1) 22 ½” x 42 ½” Fabric A panel. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 28 ½” Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the Fabric A panel to make the center block (Fig. 1). Trim the center block to measure 27 ½” x 45 ½”.

2. Place (1) 3 ⅞” Fabric G square on top of one 3 ⅞” Fabric H square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 2). Sew ¼” away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2). Cut the two squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 3) to make (2) Unit 1 blocks (Fig. 4). Trim blocks to measure 3 ½” square. Repeat to make (40) Unit 1 blocks total.

3. Repeat Step 2 with (20) 3 ⅞” Fabric G squares and (20) 3 ⅞” Fabric I squares to make (40) Unit 2 squares (Fig. 5).
4. Sew together (1) Fabric F triangle and (1) Fabric E triangle along the short sides. Sew together (1) Fabric D triangle and (1) Fabric E triangle along the short sides. Sew the two sewn units together to make (1) Unit 3 block (Fig. 6). Repeat to make (40) Unit 3 blocks total.

5. Sew together (1) Fabric F triangle and (1) Fabric E triangle along the short sides. Sew together (1) Fabric J triangle and (1) Fabric E triangle along the short sides. Sew the two sewn units together to make (1) Unit 4 block (Fig. 7). Repeat to make (40) Unit 4 blocks total.

6. Sew (1) Unit 1 block to each side of (1) Unit 3 block to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 3 block to each side of (1) 3 ½” Fabric C square to make the middle row. Sew the top and bottom rows to the middle row to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 8). Repeat to make (10) Block One squares total.

7. Sew (1) Unit 2 block to each side of (1) Unit 4 block to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 4 block to each side of (1) 3 ½” Fabric K square to make the middle row. Sew the top and bottom rows to the middle row to make (1) Block Two square (Fig. 9). Repeat to make (10) Block Two squares total.

8. Sew together (3) Block Two squares and (2) Block One squares, vertically, alternating them to make (1) side pieced border. Repeat to make a second side pieced border. Sew the borders to each side of the center block.

9. Sew together (3) Block One squares and (2) Block Two squares, alternating them to make the bottom pieced row. Sew the rows to the top and bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

10. Sew (1) 2” x 63 ½” Fabric B strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 2” x 48 ½” Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the quilt top.

11. Center (1) 6 ½” x 82” Fabric L strip on one side of the quilt top and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a ¼” from the top edge of the quilt top and stop a ¼” from the bottom edge. DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS. Repeat with the opposite side.

12. Repeat Step 11 to sew (1) 6 ½” x 64” Fabric L strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top, making sure to stop and start ¼” away from each end of the quilt top. To miter each corner, fold the quilt top on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides (Fig. 10).

13. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in Figure 10), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a ¼” seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners.

14. Layer and quilt as desired.

15. Sew the (7) 2 ½” x WOF Fabric B strips together, end to end with 45-degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.

16. Bind as desired.
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