## Birds of a feather


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## BIRDS OF A FEATHER <br> Quilt 1

## Fabrics in the Collection



Large Bird House Toss
Cream - 2905-44


Small Vine Cream - 2907-44


Scattered Birds and Words Taupe - 2909-36


Gails Basic Daisy
Red Rose - 2910-88


Border Stripe
Cream - 2911-44


Large Bird House Toss Red - 2905-88


Small Vine
Red - 2907-88


Scattered Birds and Words Red - 2909-88


Small Bird House Daisy
Cream - 2906-44


Diagonal Stripe
Pink - 2908-22


Gails Basic Daisy
Taupe - 2910-36


Small Bird House Daisy Red - 2906-88


Diagonal Stripe
Taupe - 2908-36


Gails Basic Daisy
Cream - 2910-44


Panel Bird Houses
Cream-2912P-44


Bird House Blocks
Cream - 2913-44

From the Large Bird House Toss - Red (H), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (18) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Large Bird House Toss - Cream (I), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (17) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Gails Basic Daisy - Cream (J), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (18) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Scattered Birds and Words - Taupe (K), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (17) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Diagonal Stripe - Pink (L), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (17) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Small Bird House Daisy - Cream (M), cut: -(1) $41 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) $41 / 2 "$ squares.

From the Scattered Birds and Words - Red (N), cut:

- (4) $31 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $31 / 2 " \times 641 / 2 "$ strips.
- (4) $31 / 2 " x$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $31 / 2 " \times 621 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Gails Basic Daisy - Red Rose (O), cut:
-(7) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips for the binding.
From the Bird House Blocks - Cream (P):

- Fussy cut (8) $91 / 2 "$ squares, each centered on a block.

From the Scattered Birds and Words - Red (Backing), cut:

- (2) 70 " x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 70 " $\times 78$ " back.

From the Border Stripe - Cream (F), cut:

- (1) $16^{1 / 2 "} \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) $161 / 2 " \times 91 / 2 "$ strips and
(2) $91 / 2 " \times 8 \frac{1 / 2 "}{}$ strips.

From the Diagonal Stripe - Taupe (G), cut:
-(3) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $21 / 2 " \times 521 / 2 "$ strips.
-(3) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $21 / 2 " \times 481 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Small Vine - Red (C), cut:

- (2) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (17) $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips.
-(2) $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 321 / 2 \times$ WOF strips.
- (2) $11 / 2 " \times 26^{1 / 2 "}$ WOF strips.

From the Small Bird House Daisy - Red (D), cut: - (1) $97 / 8 "$ x WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) $97 / 8 "$ squares.

From the Small Vine - Cream (E), cut:
-(1) $97 / 8 " x$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (2) $97 / 8 "$ squares.
Materials
1 panel Panel Bird Houses - Cream (A) 2912P-44
$1 / 3$ yard Gails Basic Daisy - Taupe (B) 2910-36
$3 / 8$ yard $\quad$ Small Vine - Red (C)
$3 / 8$ yard $\quad$ Small Bird House Daisy - Red (D)
$3 / 8$ yard Small Vine - Cream (E)
$5 / 8$ yard Border Stripe - Cream (F)
$5 / 8$ yard
$1 / 4$ yard
$1 / 4$ yard
$1 / 4$ yard
Taupe (K) 2909-36
1/4 yard Diagonal Stripe - Pink (L) 2908-22
$1 / 4$ yard Small Bird House Daisy - Cream (M) 2906-44
$7 / 8$ yard $\quad$ Scattered Birds and Words - Red (N) 2909-88
$5 / 8$ yard Gails Basic Daisy - Red Rose (O) 2910-88*
$2 / 3$ yard Bird House Blocks - Cream (P) 2913-44
4 yards Scattered Birds and Words - Red (Backing)
2909-88
*Includes binding

## 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 Bird Houses - Cream (A):

- Fussy cut (1) $221 / 2 " \times 301 / 2 "$ rectangle, centered on the panel

From the Gails Basic Daisy - Taupe (B), cut:

- (2) 2 " $\times 301 / 2$ " WOF strips.
-(2) 2 " $\times 25^{1 / 2 "}$ " WOF strips.


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2. Place (1) $97 / 8 "$ Fabric D square on top of (1) $97 / 8 "$ Fabric E square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 2). Sew $1 / 4$ " away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2). Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2) to make (2) halfsquare triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure $91 / 2 "$ square to make (2) Unit 1 squares (Fig. 4). Repeat to make (4) Unit 1 squares total.


Fig. 2


Fig. 3


Fig. 4
3. Sew (1) $91 / 2 "$ Fabric $P$ square to the top and to the bottom of (1) $91 / 2 " \times 161 / 2 "$ Fabric F strip to make (1) Inner Side Border (Fig. 5). Repeat to make a second Inner Side Border.

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de Border make 2


Fig. 5
4. Sew together (1) Unit 1 square, (1) $91 / 2 "$ Fabric $P$ square, (1) $81 / 2 " \times 91 / 2 "$ Fabric F strip, (1) $91 / 2 "$ Fabric P square and (1) Unit 1 square, in that order from left to right, to make the Inner Top Border (Fig. 6).

Inner Top Border


Fig. 6
5. Repeat Step 4 and refer to Figure 7 for component identification, placement and orientation to make the Inner Bottom Border.

Inner Bottom Border

| 5 | $P$ | $F \uparrow$ | $P$ | $L y U n$ |
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Fig. 7
6. Refer to Figure 8 and sew together (28) assorted $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips lengthwise to make the Outer Left Side Border.
7. Refer to Figure 9 and sew together (28) assorted $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips lengthwise to make the Outer Right Side Border.

8. Sew together (24) assorted $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips lengthwise. Sew (1) $41 / 2 "$ Fabric M square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Outer Top Border (Fig. 10).

## Outer Top Border

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Fig. 10
9. Sew together (24) assorted $21 / 2 " \times 41 / 2 "$ strips lengthwise. Sew (1) $41 / 2 "$ Fabric M square to each end of the newly sewn strip to make the Outer Bottom Border (Fig. 11).

Outer Bottom Border


Fig. 11

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15. Sew the Outer Top Border and Outer Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
16. Sew (1) $31 / 2 " \times 641 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric $N$ strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) $31 / 2 " \times 621 / 2 "$ Fabric N strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.
17. Layer and quilt as desired.
18. Sew the (7) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF Fabric O 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.
19. Bind as desired.


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