Birds of a Feather

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Quilt 2

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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



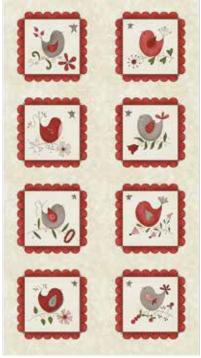
Diagonal Stripe Taupe – 2908-36



Gails Basic Daisy Cream - 2910-44



Panel Bird Houses Cream - 2912P-44



Bird House Blocks Cream - 2913-44

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Materials

²⁄₃ yard	Bird House Blocks - Cream (A)	2913-44
3/8 yard	Diagonal Stripe - Pink (B)	2908-22
½ yard	Gails Basic Daisy - Cream (C)	2910-44
²∕₃ yard	Scattered Birds and Words - Taupe (D)	2909-36
3/8 yard	Large Bird House Toss - Red (E)	2905-88
²∕₃ yard	Small Vine - Cream (F)	2907-44
3/8 yard	Small Bird House Daisy - Red (G)	2906-88
1/4 yard	Gails Basic Daisy - Taupe (H)	2910-36
1/4 yard	Diagonal Stripe - Taupe (I)	2908-36
3/8 yard	Scattered Birds and Words - Red (J)	2909-88
5⁄8 yard	Small Vine - Red (K)	2907-88
1 yard	Large Bird House Toss - Cream (L)	2905-44
5⁄8 yard	Gails Basic Daisy - Red Rose (M)	2910-88*
4 yards	Small Bird House Daisy - Cream (Bad	cking)
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^{*}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 Bird House Blocks - Cream (A):

• Fuss cut (8) 9 ½" squares, each centered on a block.

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

- (1) 3 %" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (8) 3 %" squares.
- (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (16) 3 ½" squares.

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

• (3) 3 1/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 3 1/8" squares.

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

- (1) 3 \%" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (8) 3 \%" squares.
- (1) 3 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (10) 3 ½" squares.
- (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (18) 3 ½" x 6 ½" strips.

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

• (2) 3 %" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (16) 3 %" squares.

From the Small Vine - Cream (F), cut:

- (3) 3 \%" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (24) 3 \%" squares.
- (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (16) 3 ½" squares.

From the Small Bird House Daisy - Red (G), cut:

• (2) 3 \%" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (16) 3 \%" squares.

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

• (1) 6 ½" x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) 6 ½" squares.

From the Diagonal Stripe - Taupe (I), cut:

• (2) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (16) 3 ½" squares.

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

• (3) 3 ½" x WOF strips. Sub-cut (27) 3 ½" squares.

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

- (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 51 ½" strips.
- (3) 2 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 2 ½" x 55 ½" strips.

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

- (3) 4 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips.
- (4) 4 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 4 ½" x 63 ½" strips.

From the Gails Basic Daisy - Red Rose (M), cut:

• (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

From the Small Bird House Daisy - Cream (Backing), cut:

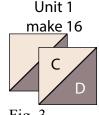
• (2) 71" x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 71" x 71" back.

Block Assembly

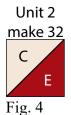
Note: Pay attention to the unit orientations when assembling the various components. Use a 1/4" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

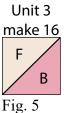
1. Place (1) 3 %" Fabric D square on top of (1) 3 %" Fabric C square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square (Fig. 1). Sew 1/4" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 1). Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2) to make (2) halfsquare triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 3 ½" square to make (2) Unit 1 squares (Fig. 3). Repeat to make (16) Unit 1 squares total.





2. Repeat Step 1 and refer to Figures 4-6 for fabric identification and placement to make (32) Unit 2 squares, (16) Unit 3 squares and (32) Unit 4 squares.





Unit 4 make 32 G

Fig. 6

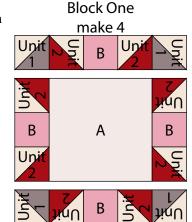
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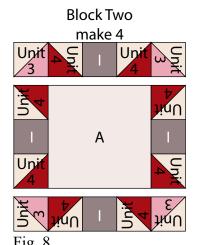
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3. Sew together (1) Unit 1 square (1) Unit 2 square (1) 3 ½" Fabric B square, (1) Unit 2 square and (1) Unit 1 square, in that order from left to right, to make the top row (Fig. 7). Repeat to make the bottom row.

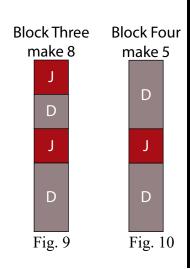
Fig. 7

- 4. Sew (1) Unit 2 square to the top and to the bottom of (1) 3 ½" Fabric B square. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew (1) strip to each side of (1) 9 ½" Fabric A square to make the middle row (Fig. 7).
- 5. Sew together the (3) rows from Steps 3-4 lengthwise to make (1) 15 ½" Block One square (Fig. 7).
- 6. Repeat Steps 3-5 to make (4) Block One squares total.
- 7. Repeat Steps 3-5 and refer to Figure 8 for component identification, placement and orientation to make (4) Block Two squares.





- 8. Sew together (1) 3 ½"
 Fabric J square, (1) 3 ½"
 Fabric D square, (1) 3 ½"
 Fabric J square and (1) 3 ½"
 x 6 ½" Fabric D strip, in that order from top to bottom, to make (1) Block Three strip
 (Fig. 9). Repeat to make (8)
 Block Three strips total.
- 9. Sew (1) 3 ½" x 6 ½"
 Fabric D strip to the top and to the bottom of (1) 3 ½"
 Fabric J square to make (1)
 Block Four strip (Fig. 10).
 Repeat to make (5) Block
 Four strips total.



10. Place (1) 3 ½" Fabric F square on the top left corner of (1) 6 ½" Fabric H square, right sides together (Fig. 11). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 11). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle ¼" away from the sewn seam (Fig. 12).

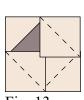




Fig. 11

Fig. 12

- 11. Follow Figure 13 for the seam direction to add a 3 ½" Fabric F square to each of the remaining corners of the 6 ½" Fabric H square to make (1) Unit 5 square (Fig. 14).
- 12. Repeat Steps 10-11 to make (4) Unit 5 squares total.



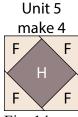
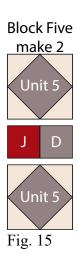


Fig. 13

Fig. 14

13. Sew (1) 3 ½" Fabric J square to the left side of (1) 3 ½" Fabric D square. Sew (1) Unit 5 square to the top and to the bottom of the newly sewn strip to make (1) Block Five strip (Fig. 15). Repeat to make a second Block Five strip.



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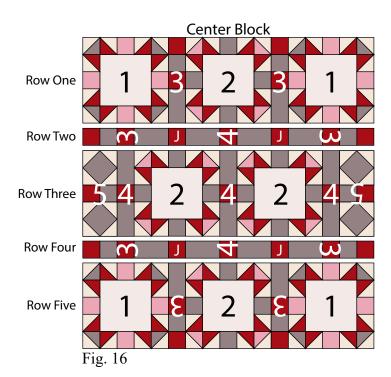
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- 14. Sew together (1) Block One square, (1) Block Three strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Three strip and (1) Block One square, in that order from left to right, to make Row One (Fig. 16). Repeat to make Row Five.
- 15. Sew together (1) Block Three strip, (1) 3 ½" Fabric J square, (1) Block Four strip, (1) 3 ½' Fabric J square and (1) Block Three strip, end to end and in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Fig. 16). Repeat to make Row Four.
- 16. Sew together (1) Block Five strip, (1) Block Four strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Four strip, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Four strip and (1) Block Five strip, in that order from left to right, to make Row Three (Fig. 16).
- 17. Sew together the (5) Rows from Steps 14-16, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the 51 ½" x 51 ½" Center Block.

Quilt Top Assembly

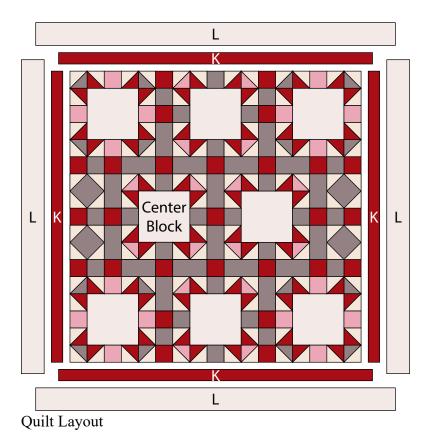
(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)
18. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 51 ½" Fabric K strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 2 ½" x 55 ½" Fabric K strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.

- 19. Sew (1) 4 ½" x 55 ½" Fabric L strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 4 ½" x 63 ½" Fabric L strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.
- 20. Layer and quilt as desired.
- 21. Sew the (7) 2 ½" x WOF Fabric M 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.
- 22. Bind as desired.



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