Simply Susan Blue Quilt

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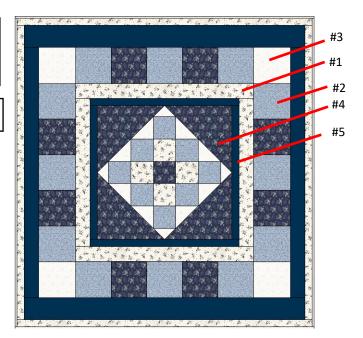
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From Blue Byrd Queen Kit by *Wood Valley Designs*

Cutting Instructions:

HINT: ALWAYS MEASURE SIDES, TOP AND BOTTOM <u>BEFORE</u> CUTTING THE BORDERS. (YOUR MEASUREMENTS MAY VARY SLIGHTLY.)



#1 Fabric (White Background w Navy Print)

Cut 1 strip 7-5/8" wide. From this strip, cut 4 squares measuring 7-5/8" x 7-5/8".

Inner Border #2 requires piecing. Cut 6 strips 4-1/2" wide. Make strips for 2 side borders measuring 47-1/2" and 2 strips measuring 55-1/2" for top and bottom borders. Cut 8 strips 3" wide for <u>Outside Border</u>.

<u>#2 Fabric (Light Blue Print)</u>

Cut 2 strips 7-5/8" wide. From this strip, cut 8 squares measuring 7-5/8" x 7-5/8". Cut 4 strips 11-1/2" wide. Cut those strips into 12 squares measuring 11-1/2" x 11-1/2".

#3 Fabric (White)

Cut 1 strip 11-1/4" wide. Cut into 2 squares 11-1/4 x 11-1/4" cut squares twice diagonally for 8 triangles. See illustration at right. Red lines are the cut lines to make triangles.

From leftover 11-1/4" strip cut 2 squares $5-7/8" \times 5-7/8"$ and cut them in half diagonally for 4 triangles. Cut 2 strips 11-1/2" wide and from that cut 4 squares $11-1/2" \times 12$

#4 Fabric (Navy Floral FOCUS Fabric)

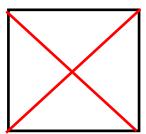
Cut 2 strips 22-1/4" and cut 1 square 22-1/4"x 22-1/4" from each strip and cut each diagonally for 4 triangles, in the manner above. From the leftover fabric in the 22-1/4" strips you will have enough fabric to cut 2 squares 11-1/2"x 11-1/2". Cut two more strips 11-1/2" and cut each strip into 3 squares measuring $11-1/2" \times 11-1/2"$. You will have a total of 8 squares.

CUT CENTER SQUARE 7-5/8"x 7-5/8" AFTER YOU HAVE CUT EVERYTHING ELSE. YOU SHOULD HAVE A LEFTOVER PIECE OF FOCUS FABRIC TO MAKE THIS CUT.

#5 Fabric (Navy) Inner and Outer Borders

Inner Border #1: Cut 5 strips 3" wide. From that make 2 strips 3" x 42-1/2" and 2 strips 3" X 47-1/2"

Outer Border #1: Cut 4 strips 4-1/2" wide. From that make 2 strips 4-1/2" x 77-1/2" (for Outer Border Sides). Cut 5 strips 6-1/2" wide. From that make 2 strips 6-1/2" x 85-1/2" (for Outer Border Top and Bottom).



Putting Together Your Quilt Top

1. Layout your fabric for the center block. Sew it together in rows except for the four corners (large triangles). Save those for last. Press



3. Sew on Navy border. Please check your measurements as you go and make adjustments if you need to. NOTE: You need to keep these first two borders accurate so adding the third block border will go on easily.

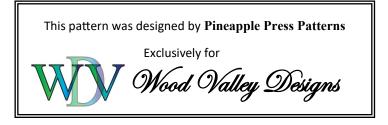


With all borders, sew on the sides first and then the top and bottom.

5. Sew together alternating blocks of the Floral Navy and the White/Navy Print fabrics to create two sides and a top and bottom. Sew on the sides first. You may have to stretch slightly to get them to fit or ease in. Now do the same with the top and bottom. Note you will add White blocks for the 4 corners.



7. From the Light Blue fabric make 2 strips $3'' \times 89 1/2''$. Sew onto sides. Now make 2 strips $3'' \times 90''$. Sew onto top and bottom. Press and quilt as desired. Bind quilt with White fabric. (example to right)



2. Sew on large floral triangles. Sew on opposite sides, press carefully along seam then sew on the remaining two sides.



4. Sew on Light Blue border. Once again measuring and pressing carefully.



6. Add the sides first of the Navy border and then the top and bottom. Press.





two sides