











REGATTA QUILT

by Laura Boehnke • Finished Quilt: 74" x 94"

Fabric Requirements

Fabric Swatch	Style #	Description	Yardage
	4944-2	large floral w/ flags motif	3 1/2 yards
	4949-2	small flower print	1 yard
	1702-1	red print	1 yard
	2767-2	blue print	1/2 yard
	9511-19	yellow print	1 1/2 yards
	4952-2	white print	2 yards
	4947-2	blue floral print	3 1/4 yards
	4954-2	multi color stripe	3 yards
	2767-2	binding	3/4 yard
	4946-2	backing	5 1/2 yards
80" x 100" batting			

Quantities specified for 44/45"-wide, 100% cotton fabrics. All measurements include a 1/4" seam allowance unless otherwise indicated.

Cutting Instructions

From large floral print, cut:

(18) – 8 1/2" squares for snowball block

Designer note: Each square needs to be cut so that the floral design is centered. I made a square template from clear plastic and outlined the design on top of the template. I could then easily make the same placement for each motif I cut from the fabric.

From yellow print, cut:

(72) – 2 1/2" squares for snowball block

(184) – 2 1/2" squares for sashing

(16) – 2 7/8" squares, each cut in half diagonally, for a total of 32 small triangles

From small flower print, cut:

(68) – 2 1/2" squares for star block

(68) – 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles for star block

From red print, cut:

(136) – 2 1/2" squares for star block

(48) – 2 1/2" squares

From blue print, cut:

(68) – 2 1/2" squares for star block

(10) – 2 1/2" x 42" strips for binding

From multicolor stripe, cut:

(82) – 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles for sashing

From white print, cut:

(24) – 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangles

(16) – 2 7/8" squares, each cut in half diagonally, for a total of 32 small triangles

(35) – 4 7/8" squares, each cut in half diagonally, for a total of 70 medium triangles

(1) – 5 1/4" square, cut in half diagonally, for a total of 2 large triangles

From blue floral print, cut:

(17) – 4 1/2" squares for star block

(1) – 5 1/4" square, cut in half diagonally, for a total of 2 large triangles

(34) – 4 7/8" squares, each cut in half diagonally, for a total of 68 medium triangles

(2) – 5 1/2" x 64 1/2" outer border strips

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Star Block

1. On the wrong side of a blue print 2 1/2" square, draw a line diagonally from corner to opposite corner (place the fabric square on a sheet of fine grain sandpaper so that the fabric will not move when drawing on it). Repeat to make 68 marked blue print squares.

2. To make one star center unit, use four marked blue print squares and one blue floral print 4 1/2" square. Place a blue print square, right sides together, atop the right side of the blue floral print square, aligning the right side edges and corner. Sew along the drawn line from corner to corner. Press the blue print square back to meet the top right corner of the blue floral print square. Trim the bottom two layers to make a 1/4" seam allowance (**Diagram 1**). Place the next blue square, right sides together, atop the bottom right corner of the blue floral print square (**Diagram 2**). Sew along the drawn line, press and trim as before. Repeat this same process with the remaining two corners of the blue floral print square (**Diagrams 3 & 4**). Star center unit should measure 4 1/2" square, including the seam allowances. Repeat step two to make a total of 17 star center units.

3. On the wrong side of a red print 2 1/2" square, draw a line diagonally from corner to opposite corner as done in step one. Repeat to make a total of 136 marked red print squares.

4. To make one flying geese unit, use two marked red print squares and one small floral print rectangle. Place a red print square, right sides together, atop the right side of the small floral print rectangle aligning the right side edges and corners. Sew along the drawn line from corner to corner. Press the red print square back to meet the bottom corner of the small floral print rectangle. Trim the bottom two layers to make a 1/4" seam allowance (**Diagram 5**). Place a square atop the left side of the rectangle, aligning the left side edges and corners. Sew along the drawn line from corner to corner. Press the red print square back to meet the bottom corner of the small floral rectangle. Trim the bottom two layers to make a 1/4" seam allowance (**Diagram 6**). Flying geese unit should measure 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangle, including the seam allowances. Repeat step 4 to make a total of 68 flying geese units

5. To make one star block you will use one star center unit, four flying geese units and four small floral print squares. Referring to **Diagram 7**, place the units and squares in three rows. Sew the units and squares together in each row. Press the seam allowances to one side, alternating the direction with each row. Join the rows to complete the star block. Press the seam allowances in one direction. The star block should measure 8 1/2" square, including the seam allowances. Repeat step 5 to make a total of 17 star blocks. Set aside.

Snowball Blocks

1. On the wrong side of a yellow print 2 1/2" square, draw a line diagonally from corner to opposite corner as was done in step one of the star block section. Repeat to make a total of 256 marked yellow print squares.

2. To make one snowball block, use four marked yellow print squares and one large floral print 8 1/2" square. Referring to **Diagram 8** and the technique used to make the star center units, with right sides together, place a marked yellow print square atop each corner of the large floral print square. Sew along the drawn lines, press and trim each corner. The snowball block should measure 8 1/2" square, including the seam allowances. Repeat to make a total of 18 snowball blocks. Set aside.

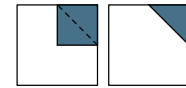


Diagram 1



Diagram 2



Diagram 3



Diagram 4

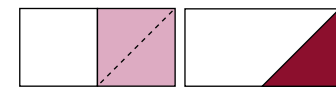


Diagram 5



Diagram 6

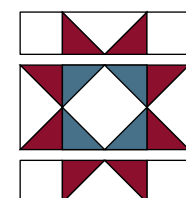


Diagram 7

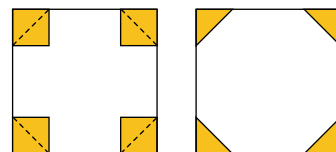


Diagram 8