

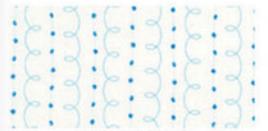
Sweet Dreams

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Sweet Dreams Quilt
by Diana McClun
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48"x48"



AJS 5594-3



AJS 5597-7 GREEN



AJS 5595-1 PINK



EA 5595-5 BUTTER



EA 2850-31 SKY



AJS 5593-1 BLUE



AJS 5593-2 PINK



AJS 5590-4 GREEN



AJS 5590-1 PINK



AJS 5592-1 PINK



AJS 5592-3 Green



AJS 5589-2 BLUE



AJS 5589-3 GREEN



AJS 5591-1 PINK



AJS 5591-2 BLUE



AJS 5591-4 BUTTER



AJS 5591-3 GREEN

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48" x 48"

Designed and made by Diana McClun & Laura Nownes

Machine Quilted by Victoria Simpson

FABRIC: **Please note all fabrics are Sweet Dreams except Jungle Jamboree "dot" EA-2850-31

Background: (A and B) AJS 5592-1, AJS 5592-3	3/4 yard <i>each</i> of two fabrics
Baskets: (C, D and E) AJS 5593-1,2 AJS 5589-2,3 AJS 5595-5,1,7 AJS 5591-1,2,3,4 AJS 5590-4,1	1/4 yard <i>each</i> of fourteen fabrics
Inner Border, Birds and Binding: (Jungle Jamboree) EA 2850-31	3/4 yard
Outer Pieced Border: Lights- (includes sashing and corner blocks) AJS 5594-3 Prints- AJS 5591-1,2,3,4	3/4 yard 1/8 yard <i>each</i> of four fabrics
Backing: AJS 5592-3	3 yards
Batting: Of your choice	54" x 54"
Binding: EA 2850-31	3/8 yard
Fusible Web: Of your choice	1/2 yard

Also Needed: One manila file folder or piece of lightweight cardboard and fabric glue.

CUTTING:

For each block

A: Two 2-1/2" squares

B: One 5" square, cut in half diagonally.

C: One 2-7/8" square, cut in half diagonally.

D: One 5" square, cut in half diagonally.

Cut a 1-1/2" strip from one of the triangles, as shown. This strip will be used to make the basket handle. (See Diagram 1)

Bird: Four and four reversed

Sashing: Four 2" strips. From two of the strips cut six 2" x 12-1/2" pieces.

Inner border: Four 1-1/2" strips

Outer pieced border:

Light: Eight 1-1/2" strips

Prints: Two 1-1/2" strips from each of the four fabrics

Corner blocks: Four 4" squares

Binding: Five 2" strips

CONSTRUCTION:

Make 36 blocks (18 with each of the two background fabrics.)

Note: It is helpful to preplan the placement of the baskets to determine the backgrounds, pink or green.

- For basket handles: make a cardboard template of pattern (E).
- With the right side facing out, press the 1/2" strip of (D) fabric in half lengthwise. (See Diagram 2)
Stitch 1/4" from the raw edge, as shown.
- Slide the cardboard template into the fabric tube, with the seam along the outer curve, as shown. (See Diagram 3)
- Press the seam allowance to the backside, over the edge of the cardboard template.
Use spray starch to lightly stiffen and set the crease.
Trim any excess fabric even with the bottom edges of the template.
- Apply fabric glue to the wrong side of the handle.
Then position it onto the right side of background piece (B). Press to secure.
Allow the glue to dry then carefully remove the cardboard template.
- Stitch around the inner and outer curves of the handle with either a hand appliqué stitch or machine blanket stitch.
- Sew the handle unit to piece (D). Then trim this unit to measure 4-1/2".
- Sew shapes (A) and (C) together. Then sew to them to the basket, as shown. (See both Diagrams 4a & 4b)
- Join the bottom (B) background triangle to complete the block.
Trim to measure 6-1/2" x 6-1/2".
- For pieced border: Join a "light" and "print" strip together in pairs.
Then join the pairs together to make a set of eight strips. Need two of these sets.
- Cut the set of strips apart every 4". (See Diagram 5)
- Join the units together to make four 4-1/2" border strips.

ASSEMBLY

- Join four blocks together with handles facing in, as shown in the photo.
- Join the blocks together in rows with short sashing strips.
- Join the rows together with the long sashing strips.
- Attach the sides and then top and bottom inner border strips.
- Attach the side pieced border strips.
- Join the corner blocks to the two remaining pieced border strips and then attach them to the top and bottom edges of the quilt top.
- Prepare the appliquéd birds using fusible web. Then fuse and stitch the birds, referring to the photo for placement.
- Layer, baste, quilt and bind the quilt.

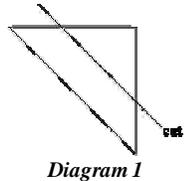
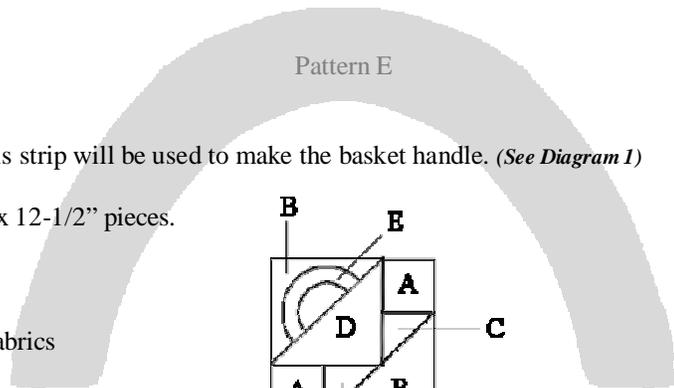


Diagram 1



Diagram 2

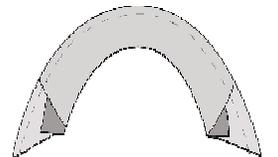


Diagram 3



Diagram 4a



Diagram 4b

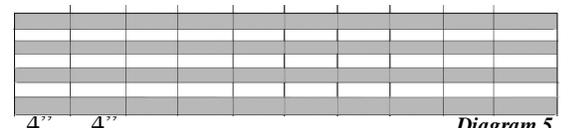


Diagram 5