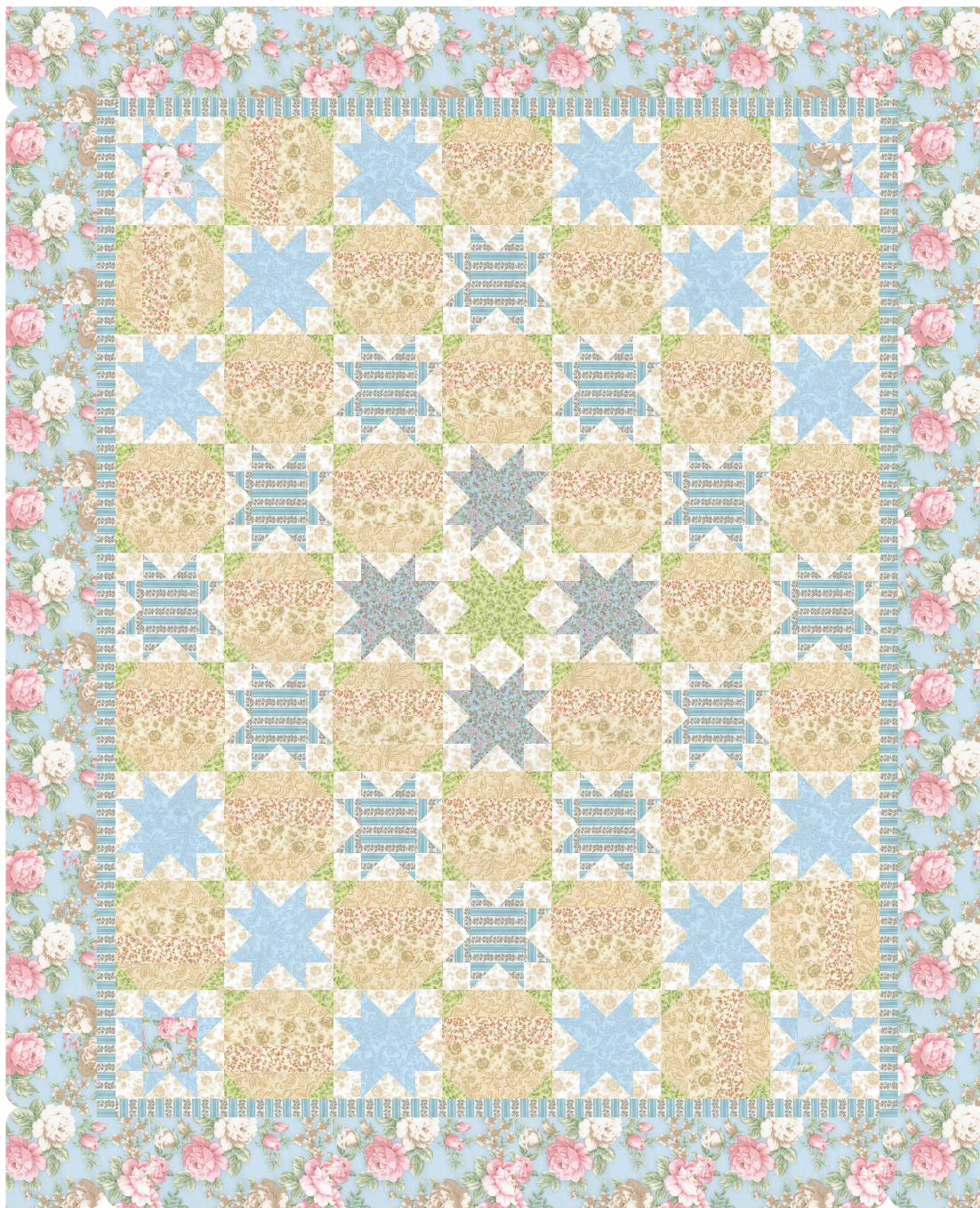


# STARS AND BARS

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Featuring **EATON PLACE**  
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Finished quilt measures: 55" x 65"










Difficulty Rating: **Intermediate**

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## Fabric and Supplies Needed

*Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.*

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	ADZ-17917-4 BLUE	one fat quarter		F	ADZ-17920-15 IVORY	1 yard
	B	ADZ-17915-4 BLUE <i>*includes binding</i>	2-1/4 yards		G	ADZ-17920-14 NATURAL	1/3 yard
	C	ADZ-17921-4 BLUE	3/4 yard		H	ADZ-17917-15 IVORY	1/3 yard
	D	ADZ-17916-4 BLUE	5/8 yard		I	ADZ-17916-15 IVORY	5/8 yard
	E	ADZ-17919-7 GREEN	5/8 yard	<p>You will also need: 3-1/2 yards for backing</p> <p>Suggested Tools Easy Angle #8823759A Companion Angle #882670139A Easy Scallop #8823754A</p>			
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## Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## Cutting Instructions

*\*NOTE: If not using Easy Angle, cut 2-3/8" squares, cut once on the diagonal. If not using Companion Angle, cut 4-1/4" squares, cut twice on the diagonal.*

### **From Fabric A, cut:**

one 3-1/2" x 21" strip. Subcut:  
four 3-1/2" squares  
three 2" x 21" strips. Subcut:  
thirty-two Easy Angle triangles\*

### **From Fabric B, cut:**

one 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
four 3-1/2" squares  
four 5-1/2" x length of fabric strips. Set aside for the outer border.  
From the remainder of the fabric, cut:  
1-1/4" wide single fold bias binding strips, enough to make approximately 255" of binding.

### **From Fabric C, cut:**

two 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
twelve 3-1/2" squares  
four 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
ninety-six Easy Angle triangles\*  
five 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Set aside for the inner border.

### **From Fabric D, cut:**

two 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
twelve 3-1/2" squares  
five 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
one hundred twenty-eight Easy Angle triangles\*

### **From Fabric E, cut:**

two 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
one 3-1/2" square  
Trim the remainder of the strip to 2" wide, then subcut:  
eight Easy Angle triangles\*  
six 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
one hundred twenty squares

### **From Fabric F, cut:**

seven 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
one hundred thirty-two 2" squares  
eight 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
one hundred thirty-two Companion Angle triangles\*

### **From Fabric G, cut:**

five 2" x WOF strips. Set aside for strip piecing.

**From Fabric H, cut:**

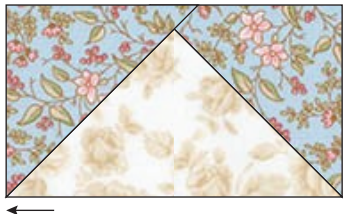
five 2" x WOF strips. Set aside for strip piecing.

**From Fabric I, cut:**

ten 2" x WOF strips. Set aside for strip piecing.

## Assembling the Star Blocks

**Step 1** Sew a Fabric A triangle to the right side of the larger Fabric F triangle. Finger-press toward the Fabric A triangle. Repeat for all the Fabric A print triangles and press the center seam to one side.



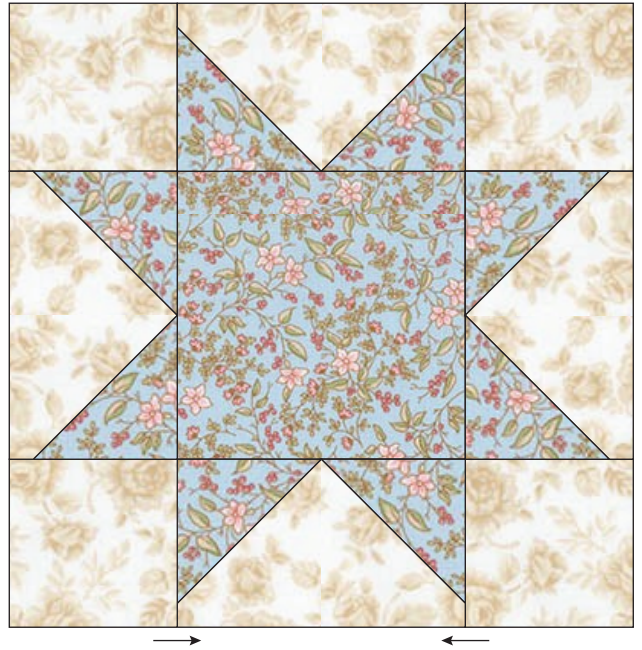
**Step 2** Sew a matching Fabric A print triangle to the left side of the units from Step 1. Finger-press toward the Fabric A triangle. This creates a flying geese unit. Trim off excess points. Repeat for all the units from Step 1.

**Step 3** Sew two matching flying geese units to the top and bottom of matching 3-1/2" Fabric A squares. Press toward the square. Repeat for all the 3-1/2" squares from Fabrics A-E. Note the Fabric B squares are used with the extra Fabric D flying geese units.



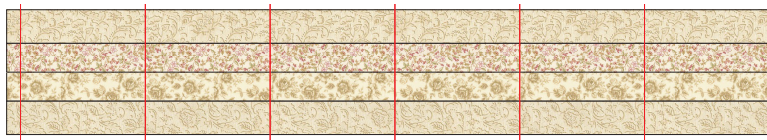
**Step 4** Sew Fabric F squares to the ends of the remaining flying geese units. Press toward the squares.

**Step 5** Sew the matching Step 4 units to the sides of the Step 3 units to make a Star block. Press toward the center. Repeat to make thirty-three Star Blocks, referring to the Quilt Assembly Diagram for fabric placement.



## Assembling the Rail Fence Blocks

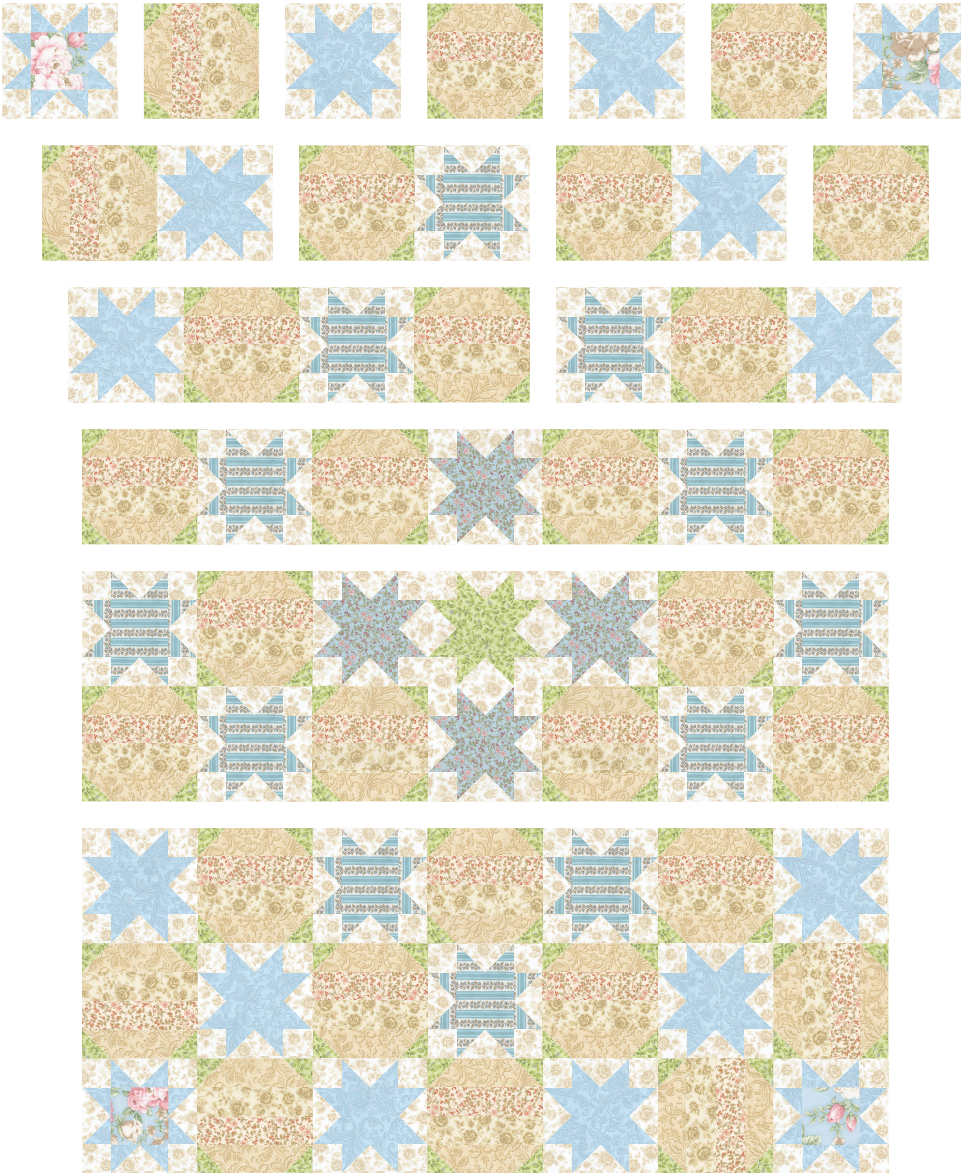
**Step 1** Sew the Fabric G-I prints together as shown, creating six strip sets. Press the seams toward the centers and press the center strip to one side. Cut the strip sets into thirty 6-1/2" square units.



**Step 2** Mark diagonal lines on all the 2" Fabric E squares. Place a 2" Fabric E square on one corner of the Rail Fence blocks from Step 1, and sew on the diagonal as shown. Repeat for each of the corners of the blocks.



## Assembling the Quilt



**Step 1** Arrange the Rail Fence and the Star blocks in nine rows of seven blocks, using the Quilt Assembly Diagram as a placement guide for the star blocks. Sew the blocks together in rows, matching and pinning seam intersections. Press the seams toward the Rain Fence Blocks.

**Step 2** Sew the rows together to complete the quilt top, nesting the seams and pressing the row seams to one side.

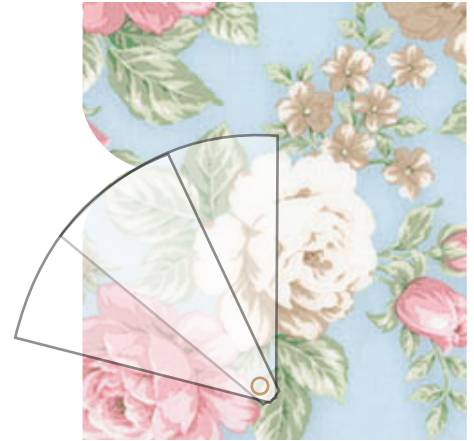
## Adding the Borders

**Step 1** Measure the quilt across the width. Trim two Fabric C borders to this length and sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the borders.

**Step 2** Measure, piece and trim two Fabric C borders the length of the quilt. Sew to the sides of the quilt, pressing toward the borders.

**Step 3** Measure the quilt through the *length*. Trim two Fabric B borders to this length and sew to the sides of the quilt. Press toward the outer border. Repeat this procedure for the top and bottom of the quilt.

**Step 1** Mark notches at the corners of the quilt, even with the inner border. See template below.



**Step 2** Baste a scant  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the edge of the quilt and on the marked line for the notches to hold the layers together for binding.

**Step 3** Prepare single bias binding strips cut at  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " wide and joined with diagonal seams pressed open. Sew the single binding to the quilt as usual, mitering the corners, and following the "V" in the notches.

**Step 4** Trim the quilt edge evenly  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the stitching line. Turn the binding to the back side, roll under  $\frac{1}{4}$ " and stitch down by hand with matching thread. Fold a pleat into the 'V' of the notches.

Your quilt top is complete. Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!