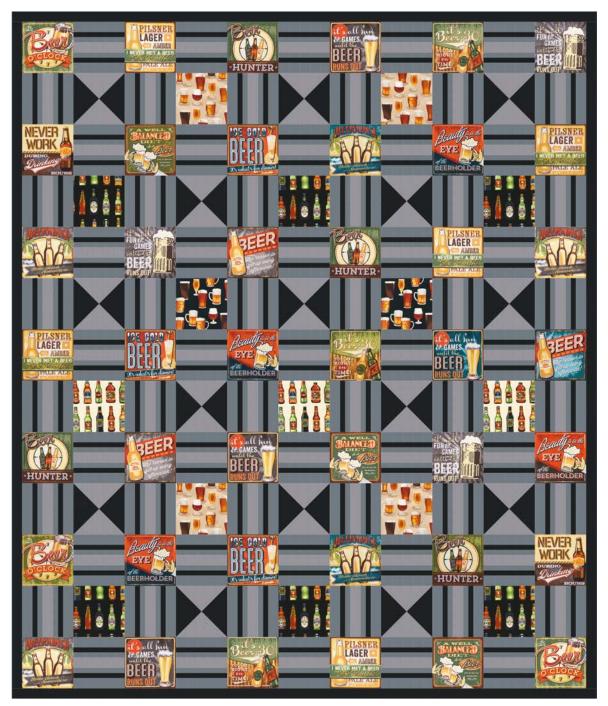
# **Bottoms Up**

Designed by Robert Kaufman Fabrics

Featuring





Finished quilt measures: 60-1/2" x 71-1/2"

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Pattern Level: Confident Beginner

"I have basic block construction down and would like to learn a new trick!"

Fabric and Supplies Needed							
Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
	A	KOO1-91 STEEL	1-5/8 yards		F	AIR-14750-2 BLACK	1/4 yard
	В	K001-359 PEPPER	1-1/2 yards		G	AIR-14750-14 NATURAL	1/4 yard
	С	K001-1470 PEWTER	1 yard		Н	SRK-14751-2 Black	1/4 yard
	D	AYB-14729-2 Black	3/4 yard		I	SRK-14751-15 IVORY	1/4 yard
FBF	E	AYB-14729-15 IVORY	5/8 yard	You will also need: 1/2 yard Binding 4-1/2 yards Backing Fabric and Batting			

# Notes Before You Begin

- Please read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Press all seam allowances open after each seam is sewn, unless otherwise noted.
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## **Cutting Instructions**

#### Fabric A

- Cut twenty-two strips 1-1/2" x WOF.
- Cut twenty-two strips 1" x WOF.

#### Fabric B

- Cut twenty-two strips 1" x WOF.
- Cut eight squares 6-1/4" x 6-1/4".

#### Fabric C

- Cut eleven strips 1-1/2" x WOF.
- Cut eight squares 6-1/4" x 6-1/4".

## Fabric D

- Fussy cut twenty-four squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2"

#### Fabic E

- Fussy cut eighteen squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2"

#### Fabric F

- Cut two squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2".

#### Fabric G

- Cut four squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2".

#### Fabric H

- Cut six squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2".

#### Fabric I

- Cut three squares 5-1/2" x 5-1/2".

# Step 1: Make Quarter-Square Triangles

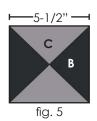
- Place a 6-1/4" Fabric B square and a 6-1/4" Fabric C square right sides together. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner and then sew 1/4" from either side of the line (fig. 1).
- Cut apart along drawn line and press seam allowances toward Fabric B (fig. 2). You will now have 2 half square triangles (HSTs). (fig. 3)



- Repeat with the remaining 6-1/4" Fabric B and C squares to yield sixteen HSTs.

fig. 3

- Next, place two HSTs with right sides together and seams nesting (Fabric B triangles will be opposite each other).
- Draw a diagonal line that is perpendicular to the seam on your HSTs and sew 1/4" from either side of the line (fig. 4).



- -Cut apart along drawn line and press seams open. Trim to a 5 1/2" square, if necessary (fig. 5).
- Repeat for remaining HSTs to yield sixteen quarter-square triangles (one will be extra).

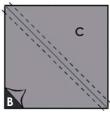


fig. 1

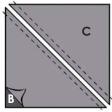


fig. 2

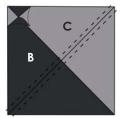
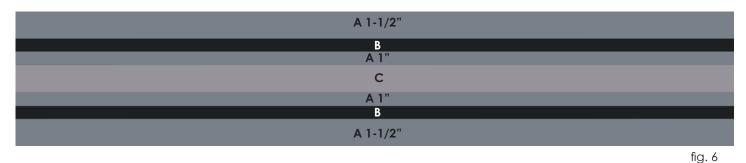


fig. 4

## Step 2: Make Strip Blocks

- Sew two Fabric A 1" strips, two Fabric A 1-1/2" strips, two Fabric B strips, and one Fabric C strip, lengthwise into strip sets, as pictured in fig. 6.
  Press the seam allowances open or to one direction.
  - Tip: lay the strips flat on a table and pin them together, so they do not stretch as you sew them together. When you press them, use a bit of starch. This will make them easier to cut into blocks later.



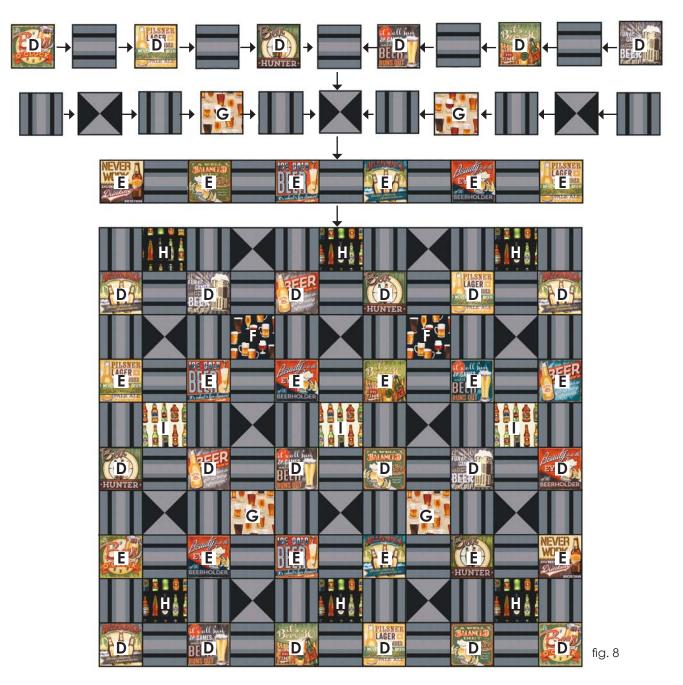
- Repeat to make eleven strips sets.

- Cut a strip set into seven 5-1/2" x 5-1/2" squares (fig. 7). Repeat with all of the strip sets to yield seventy-one blocks.



#### Step 3: Assemble the Quilt Top

- Sew blocks into rows, according to fig. 8, and then sew the rows together to complete the quilt top.



Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!