# **COBBLESTONES RUNNER**

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Featuring FLOWERHOUSE





Finished project measures: 54" x 15"

Difficulty Rating: Beginner



## Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
		CHS-1021-42 PENELOPE	one charm pack		_	LH-20013-231 NIGHTFALL so used for Fabric A	1/3 yard
	A	FLH-20013-231 NIGHTFALL	1/2 yard				
Copyright 2021, Robert Kaufman For individual use only - Not for resale				You will also need: 1-1/3 yards for backing			

# 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**

#### From the Charm Pack squares, cut:

a total of eighty 2-1/2" x 5" rectangles

#### From Fabric A, cut:

fourteen 1" x WOF strips. Subcut:

sixty 1" X 2-1/2" block sashing strips

Sew the remaining WOF strips together, end-to-end, then trim:

two 1" x 5" row sashing strips

two 1" x 10" row sashing strips

two 1" x 15" row sashing strips

two 1" x 20" row sashing strips

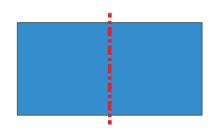
eleven 1" x 25" row sashing strips

#### From the Binding Fabric, cut:

four 2-1/2" x WOF strips

# Prepare the Blocks

**Step 1:** Press each 2-1/2" x 5" rectangle in half, as shown, bringing the 2-1/2" ends together. Unfold. These creases will aid in the final assembly. These rectangles will now be referred to as Blocks.



#### Assemble the Rows

**Step 2:** Sew two Blocks together, placing a 1" x 2-1/2" Fabric A sashing strip between the two Blocks. Press toward the sashing. Repeat to make a second row like this.

**Step 3:** Sew a 10" Fabric A strip to one edge of each row, centering along the length. Press toward the sashing.



**Step 4:** Sew three Blocks together, placing a 1" x 2-1/2" Fabric A sashing strip between each Block. Press toward the sashing. Repeat to make a second row like this.

**Step 5:** Sew a 15" Fabric A strip to one edge of each row, centering along the length. Press toward the sashing.



**Step 6:** Sew four Blocks together, placing a 1" x 2-1/2" Fabric A sashing strip between each Block. Press toward the sashing. Repeat to make a second row like this.

**Step 7:** Sew a 20" Fabric A strip to one edge of each row, centering along the length. Press toward the sashing.



**Step 8:** Sew five Blocks together, placing a 1" x 2-1/2" Fabric A sashing strip between each Block. Press toward the sashing. Repeat to make twelve rows like this.

**Step 9:** Sew a 25" Fabric A strip to one edge of each of <u>eleven</u> rows, centering along the length. Press toward the sashing. Note that the twelfth row of Blocks will not have sashing sewn to it.

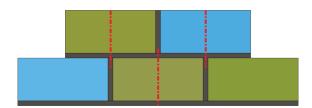


**Step 10:** There will be two Blocks remaining, which will be used on the final rows/corners of the quilt in Step 20. To each of these blocks, sew a 5" Fabric A strip to one long edge. Press.

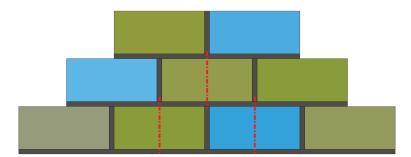


#### Assemble the Quilt

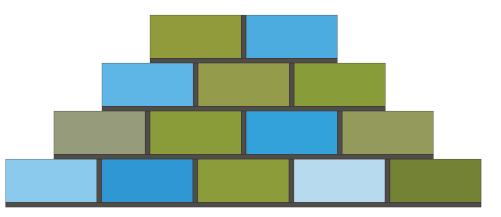
**Step 11:** Center and sew one row from Step 3 to one row from Step 5, as shown. Using the creases from Step 1, center the creases to align as closely as you can to the center of the block sashing strips. Press. Repeat to make a second unit like this.



**Step 12:** Center and sew one row from Step 7 to one unit from Step 11, as shown. Using the creases from Step 1, center the creases to align as closely as you can to the center of the block sashing strips. Press. Repeat to make a second unit like this.

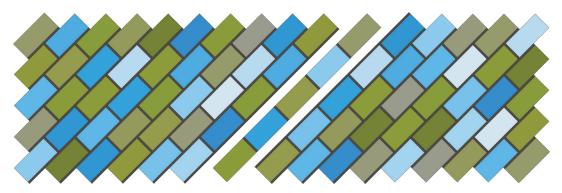


Step 13: Sew one row from Step 9 to one unit from Step 12, as shown. Using the creases from Step 1, center the creases to align as closely as you can to the center of the block sashing strips. Press. Repeat to make a second unit like this.



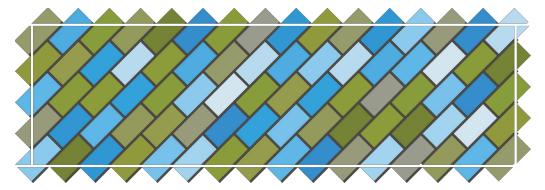
**Step 14:** Continue to add additional rows from Step 9 to each section of the quilt, as you did in Step 13, until only the Step 9 row without sashing remains. Notice how they are offset to form the final quilt top. You will have two large runner portions at this point. Note that one portion will have one more row than the other.

**Step 15:** Carefully place the remaining row of blocks (left over from Step 15) between the two portions of the runner. Sew this row of blocks to each half. Press.



**Step 16:** Center and sew the units from Step 5 to the remaining unfinished corners of the quilt. Press.

**Step 17:** Trim the runner to approximately 54" x 15", cutting off the ends of each row to square up the quilt. Because the outer edges of the quilt are now bias edges, you may wish to sew a line of stay-stitching around the outermost edge of the quilt, 1/8" from the edge. This will prevent the quilt top from stretching during quilting.



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

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