

# HOLIDAY PARTY ADVENT

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## Featuring

girl friends  
HOLIDAY PARTY  
Ann Kelle



Finished quilt measures: 32" x 61"


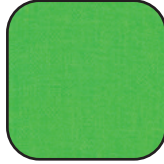




### Difficulty Rating: Beginner

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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	AAK-19291-223 HOLIDAY	2/3 yard (one full panel)		D	K001-411 LEPRECHAUN	1/4 yard
	B	AAK-19292-3 RED	2/3 yard		E	K001-147 JUNGLE	1/4 yard
	C	K001-1387 WHITE	1-1/4 yards		Binding*	K001-147 JUNGLE <i>*Also used for Fabric E</i>	3/8 yard
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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

### From Fabric A, fussy cut:

one 17-1/2" x 23-1/2" panel

twenty five 4-1/2" squares for the pockets\*

*\*if needed, you may cut these to a slightly smaller size, just as long as you allow 1/4" of seam allowance around each image. If you cut to a smaller size square, you will also need to adjust the 4-1/2" Fabric C squares to the same size.*

**From Fabric B, cut:**

five 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Sew together, end-to-end, then trim:  
two 4-1/2" x 32-1/2" top/bottom Border 4 strips  
two 4-1/2" x 53-1/2" side outer Border 4 strips

**From Fabric C, cut:**

one 24-1/2" x WOF strip. Subcut:  
one 24-1/2" square  
From the remainder of the strip, cut:  
one 1-1/2" x 24-1/2" top Border 3 strip  
three 4-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
twenty-five 4-1/2" squares for the pocket linings  
two 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
two 1-1/2" x 28-1/2" side Border 3 strips

**From Fabric D, cut:**

three 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
two 1-1/2" x 23-1/2" side Border 1 strips  
two 1-1/2" x 19-1/2" top/bottom Border 1 strips

**From Fabric E, cut:**

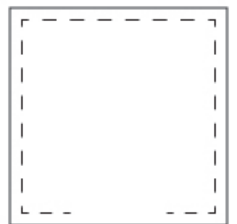
four 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:  
two 2" x 25-1/2" side Border 2 strips  
two 2" x 22-1/2" top/bottom Border 2 strips

**From the Binding Fabric, cut:**

five 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Make the Pockets

**Step 1:** Pair each Fabric A square with a Fabric C square, right sides together. Sew around all four sides, leaving a 2" opening along the center of the bottom edge.



**Step 2:** Turn the pocket right side out through the opening and press. Repeat for all twenty-five pockets.



**Step 3:** Topstitching along the top edge of each pocket, 1/8" away from the edge.





## Assemble the Advent Calendar

**Step 4:** Sew the side Border 1 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 1 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 5:** Sew the side Border 2 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 2 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 6:** Sew the side Border 3 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top Border 3 piece to the quilt center. Press toward the border.

**Step 7:** Sew the 24-1/2" Fabric C square to the bottom edge of the unit. Press.

**Step 8:** Sew the side Border 4 pieces to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the top and bottom Border 4 pieces to the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

**Step 9:** Layer the advent calendar quilt top, batting and backing. Baste and quilt as desired. Trim the excess batting and backing.



## Add the Pockets

**Step 10:** Arrange the twenty-five pockets on the quilted unit. Pin in place before sewing any pockets to the quilted unit, in order to ensure proper spacing and room between the pockets. You will have approximately 1" of Fabric C showing around the outer edges.

**Step 11:** Sew each pocket in place by stitching both sides and the bottom. Start at the top left edge of each pocket and end at the top right edge, backstitching at the start and stop.

Your advent calendar is complete! Bind and enjoy!

