LOVE IN BLOOM

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Featuring Windowsill Garden

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Finished quilt measures: 53" x 53"

Pattern Level: Confident Beginner

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



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-17087-3 RED	2/3 yard (one full panel)	600 % 600 %	E	ADZ-17089-3 RED	1 fat quarter
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	D	ADZ-17091-3 RED	1 fat quarter	(유) (경) (경)	Binding*	ADZ-17092-3 RED Iso used as Fabric F	1/2 yard
				You will also need: 3-1/2 yards for backing			

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Easy Angle (EZ Quilting #8823759A)

NOTE: If not using Easy Angle, cut sixteen Fabric A
and sixteen Fabric F squares, 3-7/8" square. Cut
once on the diagonal.
Easy Scallop (EZ Quilting #8823754A)

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:

Leave intact for embroidering.

From Fabric B, cut:

five 2" x WOF strips. Cut each WOF strip in half, creating two 2" x 21" strips. Set aside for the strips sets. *Note: One 21" strip will be unused.*

two 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

thirty-two Easy Angle triangles*

one 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

thirteen 2" squares for the cornerstones

From Fabric C, cut:

four 2" x 21" strips. Set aside for the strips sets.

From Fabric D, cut:

five 2" x 21" strips. Set aside for the strips sets.

From Fabric E, cut:

four 3-1/2" x 21" strips. Subcut:

thirty-two Easy Angle triangles*

From Fabric F, cut:

ten 2" x WOF" strips. Subcut:

twenty-four 2" x 9-1/2" sashings

set aside four strips for the inner borders

Cut the remainder of the yardage into:

270" of 1-1/4" wide bias strips. Sew together, end-to-end, for single fold bias binding.

From Fabric G, cut:

five 5-1/2" x WOF" strips. Set aside for the outer borders.

*Layer the 3-1/2" x WOF Fabric B and Fabric E strips, right sides together, then cut the triangles. They will then be ready for chain-piecing.

Embroidered Blocks

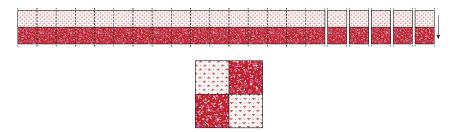
Step 1 Embroider the Fabric A blocks with 1-2 strands of red floss. Press the blocks on a fluffy towel, right side down. Trim the blocks to 9-1/2" square.

Jacob's Ladder Blocks

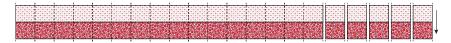
Step 1 Sew the 2" wide Fabric B and Fabric C strips together to make strip sets. Press toward the red.



Step 2 Cut the strip sets into thirty-two 2" wide units. Piece into sixteen four-patches for two corners of your blocks. Press. At this point the units should measure 3-1/2" square.



Step 3 Using the 2" wide Fabric B and Fabric D strips, make strip sets. Press towards the red print. Cut into forty-eight 2" units.



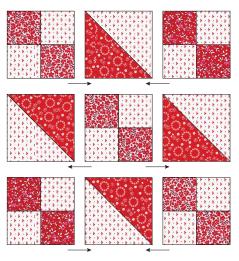
Step 4 Sew the units from Step 3 into twenty-four four-patches. Press. At this point the units should measure 3-1/2" square.



Step 5 Sew the Fabric B and Fabric E triangles together to make 3-1/2" half-square triangles. Press toward the red triangles. Make thirty-two.

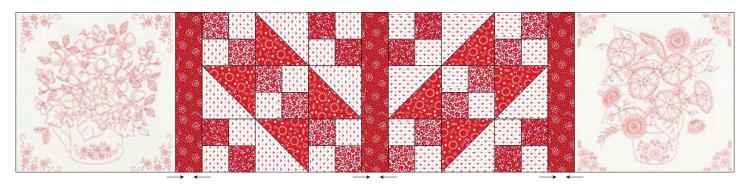


Step 6 Join the Step 5 triangles and the four-patches from Step 2 and Step 4 into three rows of three units. Press in the direction of the arrows. Join the rows to make eight Jacob's Ladder blocks that measure 9-1/2" square.



Assembling the Quilt

Step 1 Arrange the embroidered blocks and the pieced blocks according to the quilt photo. Sew Fabric F sashing strips between the blocks in each row. Press toward the sashing.



Step 2 Assemble four horizontal sashing strips with three cornerstones as shown. Press toward the red sashings.



Step 3 Join the Step 1 and Step 2 rows to make the quilt top. Press toward the sashing strips.

Borders

- **Step 1** Measure and trim four 2" Fabric F inner border strips the width of the quilt center. Sew border strips to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the borders.
- **Step 2** Sew white cornerstones on both ends of the remaining Fabric F borders. Sew the borders to the quilt. Press toward the borders.
- **Step 3** Piece, measure and trim two 5-1/2" wide Fabric G borders the width of the quilt. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the outer borders.
- **Step 4** Measure and trim two Fabric G side borders the length of the quilt. Sew to the sides of the quilt.

Finishing the Quilt

- **Step 1** Layer, baste and quilt as desired. Mark 7-1/2" scallops (with Easy Scallop) on all four sides of the quilt, leaving the corners square.
- **Step 2** Baste on the marked line.
- **Step 3** Prepare the bias binding by joining the strips with diagonal seams pressed open. Sew the binding to the quilt with a 1/4" seam allowance, aligning the edge of the binding to the marked and basted line. Pivot at the "V" and miter at the corners.
- **Step 4** Trim away the excess batting and backing to an even 1/4". Turn the binding to the back side, tuck under and stitch down with matching thread. Fold a pleat in the "V".