

NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

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Finished quilt measures: 65-1/2" x 77"

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	AZND-18609-223 HOLIDAY	1-1/3 yard (two full panels)		D	K001-1308 RED	5/8 yard
	B	K001-1243 NAVY	1 yard		E	K001-1387 WHITE	1/2 yard
	C	K001-454 PRUSSIAN	2-1/8 yards		Binding*	K001-1243 NAVY <i>*Also used for Fabric B</i>	5/8 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:

twelve 11" x 13" rectangles for the Panel Block centers

From Fabric B, cut:

sixteen 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twenty-four 2" x 13" strips for the Panel Block borders

twenty-four 2" x 14" strips for the Panel Block borders

From Fabric C, cut:

thirty-four 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

thirty-two 2" x 14" strips for the Block Sashing units

eighty 2" squares for the Cornerstone HSTs

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

two 2" x 63" top/bottom outer borders

two 2" x 77-1/2" side outer borders

thirty 2" x 16" strips for the Row Sashing units

three 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighty 1-1/2" squares for the Cornerstone Blocks

From Fabric D, cut:

fourteen 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

fifteen 1-1/2" x 16" strips for the Row Sashing units

sixteen 1-1/2" x 14" strips for the Block Sashing units

From Fabric E, cut:

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

twenty 2-1/2" square for the Cornerstone Blocks

four 2" x WOF strips. Subcut:

eighty 2" squares for the Cornerstone HSTs

From the Binding Fabric, cut:

eight 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Assemble the Panel Blocks



Step 1: Sew a 2" x 13" Fabric B strip to the top and bottom edge of a Fabric A Panel Block Center. Press toward the strips. Sew a 2" x 14" Fabric B strip to the left and right edge of the Block. Press toward the strips.

The resulting Block should measure 14" x 16". Repeat to make a total of twelve Panel Blocks.

Assemble the Sashing

Step 2: Sew a 2" x 16" Fabric C strip to both long edges of a 1-1/2" x 16" Fabric D strip. Press toward Fabric C.



The resulting row sashing unit should measure 4-1/2" x 16". Repeat to make a total of fifteen row sashing units.

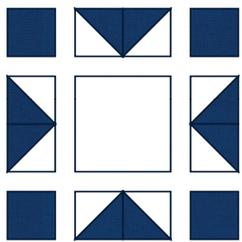


Step 3: Sew a 2" x 14" Fabric C strip to both long edges of a 1-1/2" x 14" Fabric D strip. Press toward Fabric C.

The resulting block sashing unit should measure 4-1/2" x 14". Repeat to make a total of fifteen block sashing units.

Assemble the Star Cornerstones

Step 4: Pair a 2" Fabric C square with a 2" Fabric E square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 1-1/2" square. Repeat to make eighty C/E HSTs.



Step 5: Gather:
four 1-1/2" Fabric C squares
eight C/E HSTs
one 2-1/2" Fabric E square

Arrange the units, as shown. Note the fabric placement and block orientation in the Block Assembly Diagram.

Step 6: Sew the HSTs together in pairs, then sew the units together to form the rows. Press the seams away from the HST pairs.

Step 7: Sew the rows together, nesting the seams and pressing the seams to one side to form the cornerstone block. The block will measure 4-1/2" square.

Assemble the Quilt



Step 8: Arrange the Panel Blocks together as indicated in the Quilt Assembly Diagram. Sew each row together, using Block Sashing unit between each block and at the beginning and end of each row. Press seams toward the sashing. Repeat to make four block rows.

Step 9: Gather four Cornerstone Blocks and three Row Sashing units. Sew each row together, using cornerstones between each sashing unit and at the beginning and end of each row. Press seams toward the sashing. Repeat to make five sashing rows.

Step 10: Sew the sashing and block rows together, pinning and nesting the seams. Press seams open or to the sashing.

Step 11: Sew the top and bottom outer borders to the quilt center. Press toward the borders. Sew the side outer borders to the sides of the quilt center. Press toward the borders.

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