## Blazing Star

designed by Debby Kratovil featuring the Recorked collection by Another Point of View SIZE: $69^{\prime \prime} \times 69^{\prime \prime}$


THIS IS A DIGITAL REPRESENTATION OF THE QUILT TOP, FABRIC MAY VARY.

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Cutting Notes: Mark and store your pieces according to the block they have been assigned to, as this will make it much easier when you start piecing. Be sure to read the entire pattern before you begin. This pattern uses fusible web applique techniques; follow directions under Making the Blocks.

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| I |  | 50993M-1 <br> Black Multi | 1/4 | (1) $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strip. <br> (13) circle pieces from template. |
| J |  | 57107M-4 Birch | 4 | (1) $42^{\prime \prime} \times 55^{\prime \prime}$ lengthwise strip. <br> Subcut (8) $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 53-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ lengthwise strips and (16) $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ squares. <br> (5) $12-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips; subcut (13) 12-1/2" squares. <br> (7) 2-1/4" $\times$ WOF strips for binding. Sew strips via short ends. |
|  |  | Backing | 4-1/2 | 77" $\times 77^{\prime \prime}$ piece of batting |

Additional Supplies: 2 yards fusible web

## MAKE THE BLOCKS

1. Applique. Trace 104 petal shapes onto the paper side of fusible web and cut out roughly around the drawn shapes. Referring to the cutting chart, fuse the indicated number of petals to the wrong side of Fabrics A-H. Cut out each petal on the drawn line. In the same way, cut 13 circle shapes from Fabric $\mathbf{I}$.
2. Fold (1) $12-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric $\mathbf{J}$ square in half lengthwise and widthwise and finger press. Fold in half along both diagonals and finger press. Use these creased lines to help place the applique shapes on the block.


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3. Arrange (4) Fabric E petals and (4) Fabric F petals on the creased Fabric J square. Fuse in place. Secure in place using zig zag or other decorative stitch. Fuse (1) Fabric I circle in the center and secure with a decorative stitch. Make a total of (13) blocks using the following petal combinations.

3 blocks: E/F, G/H, C/D


## 4 blocks: A/B

## QUILT CENTER ASSEMBLY

4. Lay out the (13) blocks and (8) 18-1/4" Fabric B setting triangles into (5) diagonal rows as shown below. Sew the blocks and setting triangles into rows. Join the rows and add 9-3/8" Fabric B corner triangles on all (4) corners to comlete the quilt center. Trim quilt center $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ past block points.


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QUILT ASSEMBLY for following steps refer to Quilt Diagram on page 5.
5. Border Units: Measure the quilt widthwise across the middle. Save this measurement for Step 8. Measure the quilt lengthwise across the middle. Trim (2) $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 53-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric $\mathbf{J}$ strips to that measurement. Divide that measurement in half and add $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$. Trim (1) each $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF Fabric A and $\mathbf{H}$ strip to that number. Sew together the trimmed Fabric $\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{H}$ strips via short ends, and then stitch the trimmed Fabric $\mathbf{J}$ strips to opposite sides to make the left pieced border.
6. Repeat step 5 to make the right pieced border using $3-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF Fabric $\mathbf{D}$ and $\mathbf{F}$ strips.
7. Sew the left and right pieced borders to opposite sides of the quilt center.
8. Using the widthwise quilt measurement from Step 5, create top and bottom pieced borders in the same way using 3-1/2" x WOF C/G strips for the top and E/I strips for the bottom.
9. Cornerstone Blocks: Lay out (5) 3-1/2" Fabric C squares and (4) 3-1/2" Fabric J squares into a nine-patch as shown below. Sew squares into rows and then join rows together. Repeat to make (1) of each $\mathbf{G} / \mathbf{J}, \mathbf{A} / \mathbf{J}$ and $\mathbf{H} / \mathbf{J}$ cornerstone blocks.

10. Sew cornerstone blocks to opposite ends of the top/bottom pieced borders. Sew border units to quilt center as shown in Quilt Diagram.

## FINISHING

11. With the backing fabric laying taut, place batting and then quilt top to form quilt sandwich.
12. Baste sandwich and quilt as desired.
13. Bind using Fabric $\mathbf{J} 2-1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ strips to finish the quilt.

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QUILT DIAGRAM

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