

## Blue Bricks Quilt

Featuring Artisan by Kaffe Fassett

This quilt features the eclectic prints in Artisan by Kaffe Fassett. The collection features a blend of woven ikats, batiks, and quilting cottons that shout out a modern theme. Build the quilt top, brick by brick and row by row, with large and small rectangles and set them off with narrow sashing strips.

Collection: Artisan by Kaffe Fassett

| Technique: | Piecing, Quilting |
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| Skill Level: | Advanced Beginner |
| Finished Size: | $84 " \times 91^{1 / 2 "}(213.4 \mathrm{~cm} \times 232.4 \mathrm{~cm})$ |

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## Fabric Requirements

| DESIGN | COLOR | ARTICLE CODE | YARDAGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (A) Embroidered |  |  |  |
| Flower Border | Blue | PWKF001.BLUEX | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (B) Raked | Cobalt | PWKF004.COBAL | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (C) Diamond Stripe | Dark | PWGP170.DARK | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (D) Squiggle | Green | PWKF005.GREEN | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (E) Fronds | Blue | BKKF002.0BLUE | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (F) Painted Pots | Blue | PWKF002.BLUEX | 1 yard (0.91m) |
| (G) Layered Stripe | Blue | PWKF003.BLUEX | $3 / 4$ yard ( 68.6 cm ) |
| (H) Saw Circles | Royal | BKKF001.0ROYA | $3 / 4$ yard ( 68.6 cm ) |
| (I) Gerbera | Brown | PWKF006.BROWN | $3 / 4$ yard ( 68.6 cm ) |
| (J) Chess | Cobalt | BKKF006.0COBA | $3 / 4$ yard ( 68.6 cm ) |
| (K) Flags | Brown | BKKF003.0BROW | $3 / 4$ yard ( 68.6 cm ) |
| (L) Mad Plaid | Cobalt | PWBM037.COBAL | 2 yards (1.83m)* |

* includes binding

Backing (Purchased Separately)
44" ( 111.76 cm ) Wide
Artisan - Squiggle
Green
PWKF005.GREEN

## Additional Requirements

- The Kaffe Collective Aurifil thread $100 \%$ cotton 50 wt
- $92^{\prime \prime} \times 100$ " $(233.7 \mathrm{~cm} \times 254.0 \mathrm{~cm})$ quilt batting


(A)

(F)


7 $7 / 8$ yards ( 7.20 m )

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## Cutting

WOF = Width of Fabric

Fabric A, cut:
(3) $9^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) strips.

Sub-cut: (7) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{1 ⁄ 2} 2^{\prime \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles

## Fabric B, cut:

(3) $9^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF $(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF strips.

Sub-cut: (7) 9" $\times 12 \frac{1 ⁄ 212}{2 \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles (1) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 16.5 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangle

## Fabrics C-F, cut from EACH:

(3) $9^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) strips.

Sub-cut: (6) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{1 / 2 \prime 2}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles
(1) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 66^{1 / 2 \prime 2}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 16.5 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangle

## Fabrics G-K, cut from EACH:

(2) 9 " $\times$ WOF ( $22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) strips.

Sub-cut: (4) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{1 / 2 \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles

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\text { (1) } 9^{\prime \prime} \times 61 / 2^{\prime \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 16.5 \mathrm{~cm}) \text { rectangle }
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## Fabric L, cut:

(22) $2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $5.1 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) sashing strips.
(9) $2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $6.4 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) strips for the binding. It is not necessary for these to match precisely when joining them to make the binding strip.

Backing Fabric, cut:
(3) $92^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $233.7 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) strips

## Sewing Instructions

Note: Use a $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}(.6 \mathrm{~cm})$ seam allowance throughout. Sew all pieces with right sides together and raw edges even. Use thread that matches or blends with the fabric colors.

Assemble this quilt, row by row, using two different row configurations, Row $A$ and Row $B$.

- Make 5 of Row $A$ that begin and end with a small rectangle (half brick).
- Make 4 Row B, each composed of 7 different rectangles (bricks).
- In each configuration, you will use a different assortment of fabric prints.


## Block Rows A and B

Note: You may follow the "brick" arrangements for the print placement, row by row, as shown in the Quilt Assembly illustration, or you may arrange the bricks in the print sequence of your choice.

1. Beginning and ending Block Row $A$ with a $9^{\prime \prime} \times 6^{1 / 2 \prime} 2^{\prime \prime}$ $(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 16.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ ) rectangle, select and arrange (6) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{1 / 2 \prime \prime}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles of varying prints between them. Sew together along the $9^{\prime \prime}$
$(22.9 \mathrm{~cm})$ edges to make one row and press the seam allowances toward one end of the completed row (Fig. 1).

Fig. 1


Make 5 Row A in assorted prints.
2. Repeat step 1 to make 4 more Row $A$, for a total of 5 Row A.
3. Select (7) $9^{\prime \prime} \times 12^{1 / 2 \prime 2}(22.9 \mathrm{~cm} \times 31.8 \mathrm{~cm})$ rectangles of different prints and sew together along the 9" ( 22.9 cm ) edges to complete 1 Row B (Fig. 2). Press the seam allowances toward one end of the completed row. Repeat to make a total of 4 Row B.

## Fig. 2



Make 4 Row B in assorted prints.

## Sashing

4. Trim away the selvages at each end of the (22) $2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $5.1 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) Fabric L strips.
5. Sew the strips together to make one long strip. Press the seams open. Cut (10) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 84 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ ( $5.1 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ 214.6 cm ) sashing strips from the long strip.

## Quilt Assembly

Note: Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt.
6. Arrange Rows $A$ and $B$ in alternating fashion with the $2^{\prime \prime} \times 84^{1 / 2 "}$ ( $5.1 \mathrm{~cm} \times 214.6 \mathrm{~cm}$ ) Fabric $L$ sashing strips as shown in the Quilt Layout. Sew the rows and sashing strips together and press all seam allowances toward the sashing strips. The completed quilt top should measure $841 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 92^{\prime \prime}(214.6 \mathrm{~cm} \times 233.7 \mathrm{~cm})$.

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## Finishing

7. Remove the selvages from the 3 backing panels and sew together along the long edges. Press the seam allowances away from the center panel. Trim to measure $92^{\prime \prime} \times 100^{\prime \prime}(233.7 \mathrm{~cm} \times 254.0 \mathrm{~cm})$.
8. Layer the backing and batting with the quilt top and baste together using your favorite basting method. Quilt as desired. Trim the excess batting and backing even with the quilt-top edges.
9. Sew the (9) $2 \frac{1}{2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF ( $6.4 \mathrm{~cm} \times$ WOF) Fabric $L$ binding strips together with diagonal seams to make one long strip. Press the seam allowances open. Fold the strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and raw edges matching; press.
10. With raw edges matching, sew the binding to the top of the quilt through all layers. Miter the corners as you reach them. Turn the binding to the back of quilt and hand-sew in place.

## Quilt Layout




