



# Isabella

Kensington  
STUDIO

Dark

Light



Designed By: Julia LaBauve  
Finished Bed Runner Size: 86½" x 38½"



23401 J



23406 C



23403 SC



23406 S



23405 C



23401 S



23406 R



23403 SC



23406 G



23405 B

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS	
Design: Dark	Yards
23401 J	2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub>
23406 C	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
23403 SC	<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub>
23406 S	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
23405 C	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
Backing	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Batting: 95" x 47"	

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS	
Design: Light	Yards
23401S	2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub>
23406 R	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
23403 SC	<sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub>
23406 G	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
23405 B	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub>
Backing	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Batting: 95" x 47"	

*Always refer to the quilt diagram for guidance on laying out the blocks and borders.*

**Fabric codes:**

*first number: dark quilt*

*second number: light quilt*

**Cutting and Fabric Preparation:**

**1. 23401 J/23401 S: Main**

- Cut (2) 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" strips. Subcut into (11) 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares
- Cut (4) 6" strips. Subcut into (20) 6" x 6" squares
- Cut (5) 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" strips. Subcut into (40) 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares
- Cut (6) 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" strips. Subcut into (88) 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" squares
- Cut (8) 2" strips

**2. 23406 C/23406 R: Star Points**

- Cut (7) 6" strips. Subcut into (40) 6" x 6" squares

**3. 23403 SC: Star Center Peach Lace**

- Cut (2) 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" strips. Subcut into (10) 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares

**4. 23406 S/23406 G: Solid**

- Cut (4) 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" strips. Subcut into (44) 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" x 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares
- Cut (8) 2" strips
- Cut (7) 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" strips

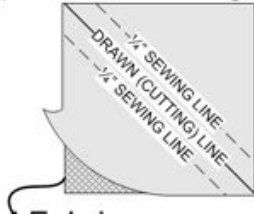
**5. 23405 C/23405 B: Stripe**

- Cut (4) 6" strips. Subcut into (20) 6" x 6" squares
- Cut (7) 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" strips

**Block 1 (10 units, 12½" x 12½" unfinished):**

6. Draw a diagonal line, corner to corner, on the back of the (40) 6" x 6" star points squares (Fig. 1).

**Figure 1**  
Sewing lines are ¼" apart from cutting lines



Fabric squares are right sides together

7. Place one 6" x 6" star points square on top of one 6" x 6" main square, RST.

8. Sew ¼" on each side of the line.

9. Cut on the diagonal line.

10. Open the cut sections and press towards the darker fabric (this creates two identical HSTs).

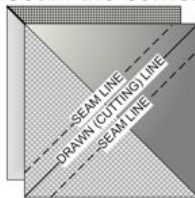
11. Repeat steps 7-10 to make a total of 40 star points / main HSTs.

12. Repeat steps 7-10 with the remaining (20) 6" x 6" star points and the (20) 6" x 6" stripe squares. Make a total of 40 star points / stripe HSTs.

13. Draw a diagonal line corner to corner, opposite to the seam (line and seam will create an X) on the back of the star points / main HSTs (Fig. 2).

**Figure 2**

Align seams so they go in the same direction and meet in the corners.



Fabric squares are right sides together

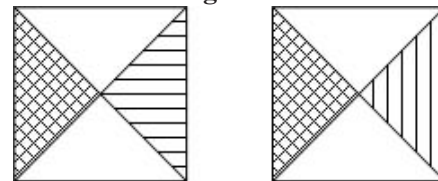
14. Place a marked HST on top of a star points / stripe HSTs, RST. Align the seams so that they both go in the same direction.

15. Sew ¼" on each side of the drawn line.

16. Cut on the drawn line.

17. Open the cut sections and press towards the darker side. This creates two HG units that are NOT equivalent (because one of the fabrics is directional) (Fig. 3). Select the unit where the stripes point to the center of the HG. Set the other aside and use them in another project.

**Figure 3**



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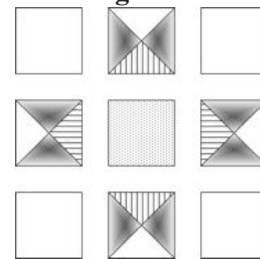
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18. Trim HGs units down to 4½" x 4½".

19. Repeat steps 13-18 to create (40) 4½" x 4½" HG units (all with stripes pointing to the center).

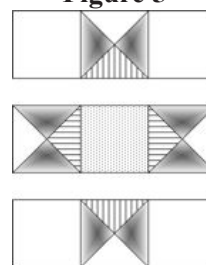
20. Follow Fig. 4 and lay out Block 1 - 4½" x 4½" star center squares, 4½" x 4½" main corner squares, and 4½" x 4½" HG units.

**Figure 4**

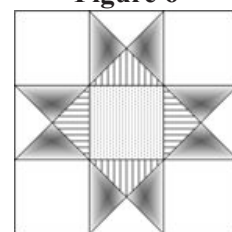


21. Sew the squares in rows, then sew the rows together (Fig. 5-6). The block should measure 12½" x 12½".

**Figure 5**



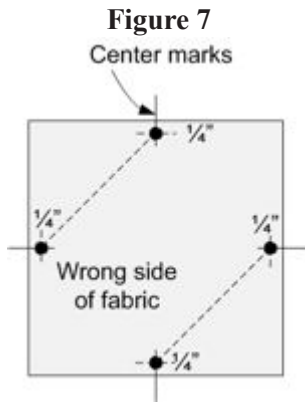
**Figure 6**



22. Repeat steps 20-21 to make a total of (10) Block 1 units.

**Block 2 (11 units, 12½" x 12½" unfinished):**

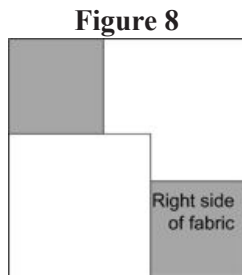
23. Fold the 3½" x 3½" solid squares in half, and finger press the fold (Fig. 7). Repeat on the other side.



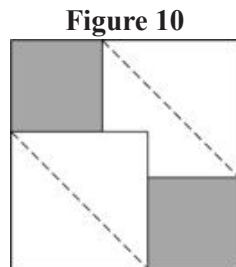
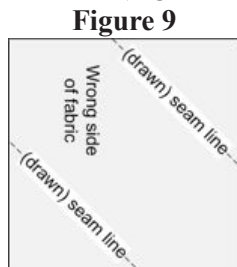
24. On the back of the square and at each fold, measure a ¼" allowance and mark it with a dot.

25. Follow the figure and draw a line between the marks.

26. Flip the solid square to the front and place one 2¼" main square on the top, right corner and one 2¼" main square on the bottom, left corner of the solid square (Fig. 8). The drawn lines will be located underneath these 2¼" squares. Pin the small squares in place.

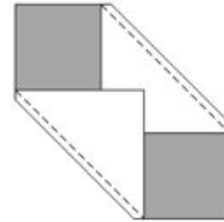


27. Flip the pinned solid square to the back and sew on the drawn lines (Figs. 9-10).



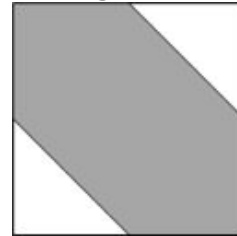
28. Trim the excess fabric on the outside of the seams (Fig. 11).

**Figure 11**



29. Flip the sewn square to the front and press seams open. The pieced unit should measure 3½" x 3½". Trim and square up if necessary (Fig. 12).

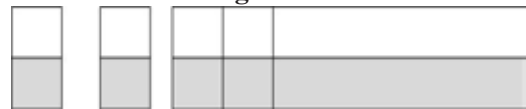
**Figure 12**



30. Make a total of (44) 3½" x 3½" Block 2 corner units.

31. Sew one 2" main strip to another 2" solid strip. Press to the darkest fabric (Fig. 13).

**Figure 13**

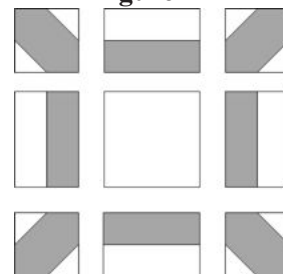


32. Repeat to make a total of (8) 3½" main/solid strip sets.

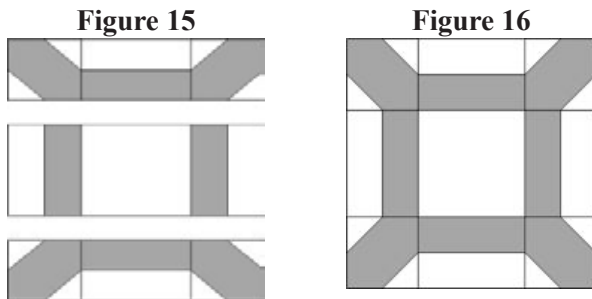
33. Subcut the strip sets into (44) 6½" x 3½" main/solid segments.

34. Follow Fig. 14 and lay out the Block 2 corner units, 6½" x 3½" main/solid segments, and 6½" x 6½" main

**Figure 14**



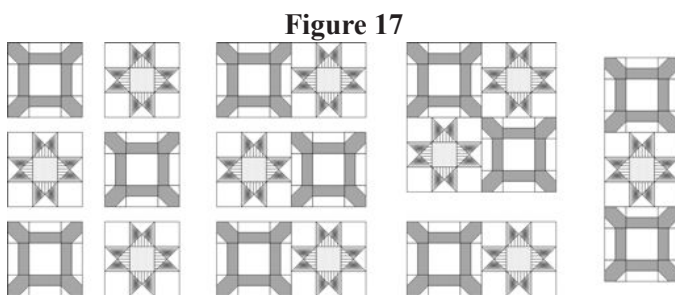
35. Sew the units and squares in rows, then sew the rows together (Figs. 15-16).



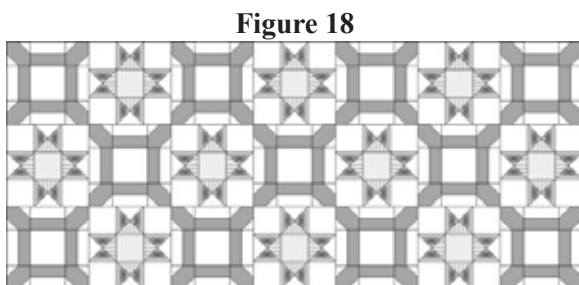
36. Make a total of (11) 12½" x 12½" Block 2 units.

### Layout:

37. Follow Fig. 17 and lay out the blocks.



38. Sew the blocks into rows and the rows into the quilt center (Fig. 18). It should measure 84½" x 36½".

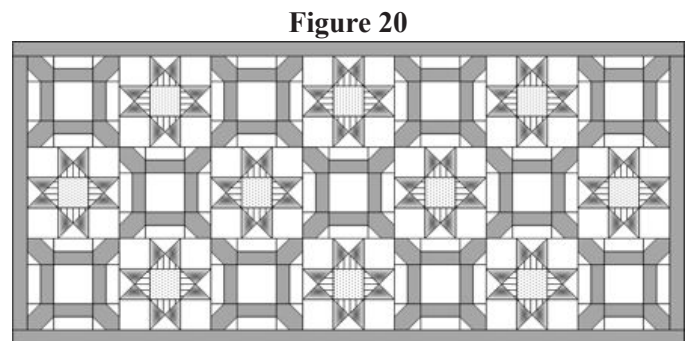
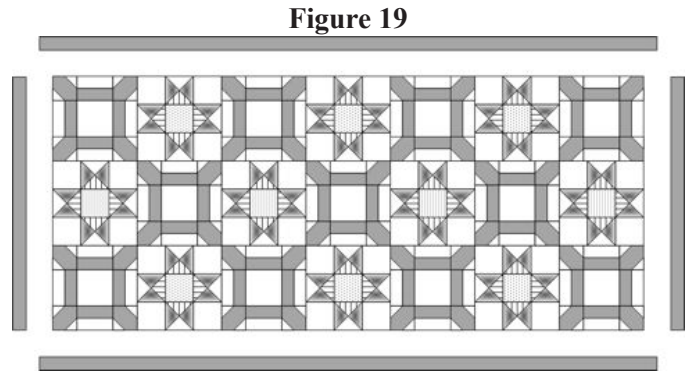


### Borders:

39. Sew 5 of the 1½" solid strips together, along the short side. Subcut into (2) 1½" x 88" top/bottom border strips. The remaining (2) 1½" strips will make the side borders.

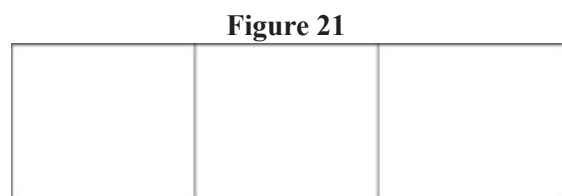
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40. Sew the side borders in place, then sew the top/bottom borders (Fig. 19-20). Trim any excess. The quilt top should measure 86½" x 38½".



### Finish The Quilt:

41. Cut the backing fabric in (3) 42" long pieces.  
42. Using a ¼" - ½" seam allowance, sew the 3 pieces together, along the 42" side (Fig. 21). Press.



43. Lay batting on top of the wrong side of the backing fabric.  
44. Lay the pieced quilt top on top of the batting.  
45. Using your preferred method for securing the quilt sandwich, pin or baste the sandwich.  
46. Quilt as desired.  
47. Use the 2¼" stripe strips to bind the quilt.