



Finished Size of Project: **68'' x 82'' (172.72cm x 208.28cm)** Fabric Collection Name and Designer: **A Purr-fect Holiday Season by Louise Kay Designs** Technique: **Pieced** Project Designed by: **Matthew Pridemore of The Whimsical Workshop** Skill Level: **Advanced Beginner** 



5 yards (4.57m)

### **Fabric Requirements**

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DESIGN			COLOR		ITEM ID		YARDAGE	
(A) Cat Toss			Red		1061-88	21/8	yards (1.94m)	
(B) Ornament Toss			Sand		1062-48	¹⁄з y	⅓ yard (0.30m)	
(C) Snowflake Toss			Sand		4063-44		% yard (0.80m)	
(D) Cat Crowd			Multi	Multi 4065-98		½ yard (0.46m)		
(E) Holly and Berry			White	Z	1066-09	2½ yard (2.29m)		1)
<b>(F)</b> Knit		Green 4067-66		1 yard (0.91m)				
<b>(G)</b> Knit			Red		1067-88	1 yard (0.91m)		
<b>(H)</b> Knit		Gray		067-99 <sup>3</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> yard (0.69m)*		*		
(I) Block Panel		Sand		1068P-48	8P-48 1 panel, ¾ yard (0.61m)		(0.61m)	
* includes binding								
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	<ul> <li>(H)</li> </ul>
Backing (Purchased Separately)								
$1/1^{\prime\prime}$ (1.12m) wide								

4064-48

Multi

44" (1.12m) wide Cat Patchwork



44"

#### Additional Materials:

- Batting 76" x 90" (193.04cm x 228.60cm)
- Thread and sewing supplies



### **Cutting Instructions**

#### Notes:

- Please make sure to check *blankquilting.net* for pattern updates prior to starting the project.
- All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.
- \*Strips cut Length of Fabric (LOF).

#### Fabric A, cut:

(2) 5" x 731/2" LOF strips\*

#### From the remaining fabric, cut:

(2) 5" x 681/2" WOF strips, piece as needed

#### Fabric B, cut:

(1) 7½" x WOF strip; sub-cut(4) 7½" squares

#### Fabric C, cut:

(4) 2½" x WOF strips; sub-cut
(12) 2½" x 11½" strips
(6) 2½" x WOF strip; sub-cut
(12) 2½" x 15½" strips

#### Fabric D, cut:

(2) 7½" x WOF strips; sub-cut (10) 7½" squares

#### Fabric E, cut:

(4) 4¾" x WOF strips; sub-cut (28) 4¾" squares (12) 4" x WOF strips; sub-cut

(112) 4" squares

- (4) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut(2) 2" x 70½" strips
- (3) 2" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut(2) 2" x 59½" strips

#### Fabric F, cut:

- (3) 4¾" x WOF strips; sub-cut (20) 4¾" squares
- (4) 4" x WOF strips; sub-cut (16) 4" x 7½" strips

#### Fabric G, cut:

(8) 4" x WOF strips; sub-cut (40) 4" x 7½" strips

#### Fabric H, cut:

- (1) 43%" x WOF strip; sub-cut
  - (8) 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" squares
- (8) 21/2" x WOF strips for the binding

#### Fabric I, fussy cut:

(6) 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" squares each centered on a block

#### Backing, cut:

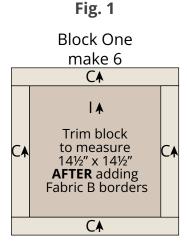
(2) 90" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 76" x 90" back

### Sewing

- Sew using a ¼" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Press seams towards the darker fabric, unless otherwise indicated.
- The arrows in the figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.

### **Block Assembly**

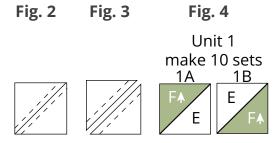
 Sew (1) Fabric C 2½" x 11½" strip to each side of (1) Fabric I 11½" square. Sew (1) Fabric C 2½" x 15½" strip to the top and bottom of the Fabric I square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 1). Trim the block to measure 14½" x 14½". Repeat to make (6) Block One squares total.



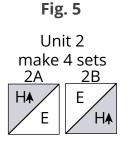
 Place (1) Fabric E 4¾" square on top of (1) Fabric F 4¾" square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 2). Sew ¼" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 2). Cut the (2) squares apart on the



drawn diagonal line (**Fig. 3**) to make (2) half-square triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 4" to make (1) Unit 1A square and (1) Unit 1B square (**Fig. 4**). Repeat to make (10) Unit 1 square sets.

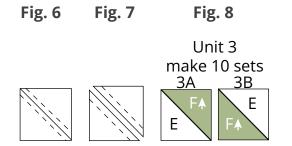


3. Repeat Step 2 and refer to **Figure 5** for fabric identification, placement and seam direction to make (4) Unit 2 square sets.

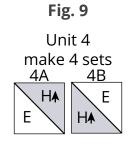


4. Place (1) Fabric E 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" square on top of (1) Fabric F 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 6). Sew 1/4" away from each side of the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 6). Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line (Fig. 7) to make (2) half-square triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 4" to make (1) Unit 3A square and (1) Unit 3B square (Fig. 8). Repeat to make (10) Unit 3 square sets.

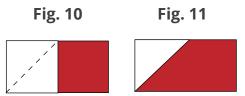
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5. Repeat Step 4 and refer to **Figure 9** for fabric identification, placement and seam direction to make (4) Unit 4 square sets.



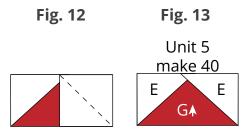
 Place (1) Fabric E 4" square on the left side of (1) Fabric G 4" x 7½" strip, right sides together (Fig. 10). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 10). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance (Fig. 11).



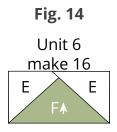
Place another Fabric E 4" square on the right side of the Fabric G 4" x 7½" strip, right sides together (Fig. 12). Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner (Fig. 12). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind

the triangle, leaving a ¼" seam allowance to make (1) Unit 5 strip (**Fig. 13**).

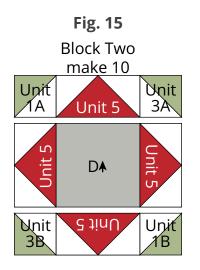
8. Repeat Steps 6-7 to make (40) Unit 5 strips total.



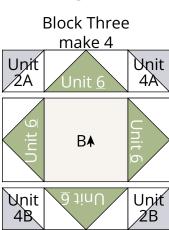
9. Repeat Steps 6-7 and refer to **Figure 14** for fabric identification, placement, orientation and seam direction to make (16) Unit 6 strips.



10. Sew together (1) Unit 1A square, (1) Unit 5 strip and (1) Unit 3A square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make the top row. Sew (1) Unit 5 strip to each side of (1) Fabric D 7½" square to make the middle row. Sew together (1) Unit 3B square, (1) Unit 5 strip and (1) Unit 1B square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make the bottom row. Sew together the (3) rows lengthwise to make (1) 14½" Block Two square (Fig. 15). Repeat to make (10) Block Two squares total.



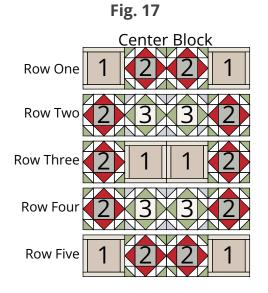
 Sew together (1) Unit 2A square, (1) Unit 6 strip and (1) Unit 4A square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make the top row. Sew (1) Unit 6 strip to each side of (1) **Fabric B** 7½" square to make the middle row. Sew together (1) Unit 4B square, (1) Unit 6 strip and (1) Unit 2B square, end-toend and in that order from left to right, to make the bottom row. Sew together the (3) rows lengthwise to make (1) 14½" Block Three square (**Fig. 16**). Repeat to make (4) Block Three squares total.



#### Fig. 16



- Sew together (1) Block One square, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Two square and (1) Block One square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make Row One (Fig. 17). Repeat to make Row Five.
- Sew together (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Three square, (1) Block Three square and (1) Block Two square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Fig. 17). Repeat to make Row Four.
- Sew together (1) Block Two square, (1) Block One square, (1) Block One square and (1) Block Two square, end-to-end and in that order from left to right, to make Row Three (Fig. 17).
- Sew together the (5) pieced Rows, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the 56½" x 70½" Center Block (Fig. 17).



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### **Quilt Top Assembly**

Follow the **Quilt Layout** (Page 8) while assembling the quilt top.

- Sew (1) Fabric E 2" x 70½" strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) Fabric E 2" x 59½" strip to the top and bottom of the Center block.
- 17. Sew (1) Fabric A 5" x 73½" strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) Fabric A 5" x 68½" strip to the top and bottom of the Center block to complete the quilt top which should measure 68½" x 82½".

### Layering, Quilting and Finishing

18. Layer the backing (wrong side up), batting, and quilt top (right side up). Baste the layers together and quilt as desired. Trim excess batting and backing even with the top of the quilt.

### Binding

- 19. Sew together (8) 2½" x WOF **Fabric H** binding strips end to end with diagonal seams. Press the seams open. Press the binding strip in half wrong sides together.
- 20. Leaving an 8" tail of binding and beginning along an edge of the quilt top, match raw edges of the binding to the raw edges of the quilt top. Sew the binding to the outside edge around all four sides and miter corners. Stop sewing approximately 12" from where you started and backstitch.
- 21. Lay both loose ends of binding flat along the quilt edge. Where these two loose ends meet, fold them back onto themselves and press to form a crease. Using this crease as your stitching line, sew the two open ends of the binding together, right sides matching. Trim seam to ¼" and press seam open. Finish sewing the binding to the quilt top.
- 22. Turn the binding over the raw edge to the back of the quilt and hand or machine stitch in place.

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Quilt Layout