## Diners \& Drive-lns

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Quilt 2
Fabrics in the Diners \& Drive-Ins Collection


Diner Foods
Red - 2421-88


Patch Diner Scenes
Light Blue - 2425-70


Tossed Classic Cars Black - 2429-99


Juke Boxes \& Records Turquoise - 2422-76


People Silhouettes
Turquoise - 2426-76


Stars
Black - 2430-99


Cars \& Diner Signs
Black - 2423-99


Border Stripe Turquoise - 2427-76


50's Drive-In Diner
Light Blue - 2431P-70
Select Fabrics from the Urban Legend Collection $\square$


Turquoise 7101-75


## Materials

2/3 yard Cars \& Diner Signs - Black (A) 2423-99
$2 / 3$ yard Ice Cream \& Diner Motifs - White (B) 2424-01
$2 / 3$ yard Diner Foods - Red (C) 2421-88
$3 / 8$ yard Tossed Classic Cars - Black (D) 2429-99
$3 / 8$ yard Juke Boxes \& Records - Turquoise (E) 2422-76
$21 / 4$ yards Urban Legend - White (F) 7101-01
2 yards Urban Legend - Black (G) 7101-98*
$11 / 8$ yards Stars - Black (H)
2430-99
7/8 yard Records with Musical Notes - White (I) 2428-01
$13 / 4$ yards Patch Diner Scenes - Light Blue (J) 2425-70
$71 / 3$ yards People Silhouettes - Turquoise (Backing) 2426-76
*Includes binding
Batting: $88 " \times 88^{\prime \prime}$
(Recommended: Air Lite ${ }^{\circledR}$ Colour Me 100\% Cotton)

## Cutting Instructions

Please note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.

From the Cars \& Diner Signs - Black (A), cut:

- (2) $101 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (5) $101 / 2 "$ squares.

From the Ice Cream \& Diner Motifs - White (B), cut: - (2) $101 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (6) $101 / 2 "$ squares.

From the Diner Foods - Red (C), cut:

- (2) $101 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (6) $101 / 2 "$ squares.

From the Tossed Classic Cars - Black (D), cut:
-(1) $101 / 2$ " x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) $101 / 2 "$ squares.
From the Juke Boxes \& Records - Turquoise (E), cut:

- (1) $101 / 2 "$ x WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) $101 / 2 "$ squares.

From the Urban Legend - White (F), cut:

- (9) $61 / 2 "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (50) $61 / 2 /$ squares.
-(5) $31 / 2 " x$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (50) $31 / 2 / 2$ squares.
From the Urban Legend - Black (G), cut:
- (13) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (50) $1 \frac{1}{2} / 2 \times 101 / 2 "$ strips.
- (17) $11 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (50) $11 / 2 " \times 121 / 2 "$ strips.
- (8) $21 / 2 " x$ WOF strips for the binding.

From the Stars - Black (H), cut:

- (1) $71 / 2 " \times$ WOF strip. Sub-cut (4) $71 / 2 "$ squares.
- (6) $41 / 2 "$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut (50) $41 / 2 "$ squares.


## From the Records with Musical Notes - White (I), cut:

- (3) $31 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $31 / 2 " \times 601 / 2 "$ strips.
-(4) $31 / 2 " \times$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) $31 / 2 " \times 661 / 2 "$ strips.

From the Patch Diner Scenes - Light Blue (J), cut:

- (7) $71 / 2$ " $x$ WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (4) $71 / 2 " \times 661 / 2 "$ strips.

From the People Silhouettes - Turquoise (Backing), cut:
-(3) 88 " x WOF strips for the backing. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 88 " $\times 88$ " back.

## Block Assembly

Note: Pay attention to the unit orientations when assembling various components. Use a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise noted.

1. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 101 / 2 "$ Fabric G strip to each side of (1) $101 / 2$ " Fabric A square. Sew (1) $11 / 2 " \times 121 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ Fabric G strip to the top and to the bottom of the Fabric A square to make (1) Unit 1 square (Fig. 1). Repeat to make (5) Unit 1 squares total.


Fig. 1 G
2. Repeat Step 1 and refer to Figures 2-5 for fabric identification and placement to make (6) Unit 2 squares, (6) Unit 3 squares, (4) Unit 4 squares and (4) Unit 5 squares.

3. Place (1) $61 / 2 "$ Fabric $F$ square on the top left corner of (1) Unit 1 square, right sides together (Fig. 6). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 6). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle $1 / 4$ " away from the sewn seam (Fig. 7).


Fig. 6


Fig. 7
4. Follow Figure 8 for the seam direction to add a $61 / 2 "$ Fabric F square to the lower right corner and $31 / 2 "$ Fabric F square to the lower left and upper right corners of the Unit 1 square to make (1) Unit 6 square (Fig. 9).
5. Repeat Steps 3-4 to make (5) Unit 6 squares total.


Fig. 8


Fig. 9
6. Repeat Steps 3-4 and refer to Figures 10-13 for component identification, placement and seam direction to make (6) Unit 7 squares, (6) Unit 8 squares, (4) Unit 9 squares and (4) Unit 10 squares.

Unit 7


Fig. 10


Fig. 11


Fig. 12

Unit 9


Fig. 13
7. Place (1) $41 / 2 "$ Fabric H square on the top left corner of (1) Unit 6 square, right sides together (Fig. 14). Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner (Fig. 14). Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle $1 / 4 "$ away from the sewn seam (Fig. 15).


Fig. 14


Fig. 15
8. Follow Figure 16 for the seam direction to add a $41 / 2 "$ Fabric H square to the lower right corner of the Unit 6 square to make (1) Block One square (Fig. 17).
9. Repeat Steps 7-8 to make (5) Block One squares total.


Fig. 16

Block One


Fig. 17

Block Two
10. Repeat Steps 7-8 and refer to Figures 18-21 for component identification, placement seam direction to make (6) Block Two squares, (6) Block Three squares, (4) Block Four squares and (4) Block Five squares.


Fig. 18


Fig. 19


Fig. 20


Fig. 21

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11. Sew together (1) Block One square, (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Three square, (1) Block Two square and (1) Block One square, in that order from left to right, to make Row One (Fig. 22). Repeat to make Row Five.
12. Sew together (1) Block Three square, (1) Block Four square, (1) Block Five square, (1) Block Four square and (1) Block Three square, in that order from left to right, to make Row Two (Fig. 22). Repeat to make Row Four.
13. Sew together (1) Block Two square, (1) Block Five square, (1) Block One square, (1) Block Five square and (1) Block Two square, in that order from left to right, to make Row Three (Fig. 22).
14. Sew together the (5) Rows from Steps 11-13, lengthwise and in numerical order from top to bottom, to make the $601 / 2 " \times 601 / 2 "$ Center Block (Fig. 22).


Fig. 22

Quilt Top Assembly
(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)
15. Sew (1) $31 / 2 " \times 601 / 2 "$ Fabric I strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) $31 / 2 " \times 661 / 2 "$ Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
16. Sew (1) $71 / 2 " \times 661 / 2 "$ Fabric J strip to each side of the Center Block.
17. Sew (1) $71 / 2$ " Fabric H square to each end of (1) $71 / 2 " \times 66^{1 / 2 "}$ Fabric J strip. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew the strips to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.
18. Layer and quilt as desired.
19. Sew the (8) $21 / 2 " \times$ WOF Fabric G strips together, end to end with 45 -degree seams, to make the binding. Fold this long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together and press.
20. Bind as desired.


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