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Quilt 1

OUT TO PASTURE

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Quilt size: 78" x 93"

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

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OUT TO PASTURE - Fabrics in the Collection



2352-41 Chicken Patch - Ivory



2353-77 Tossed Chickens - Blue



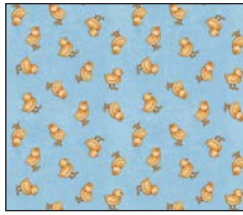
2355-60 Tossed Tractors - Lt. Green



2356-70 Tossed Farm Animals - Lt. Blue



2357-41 Apples Ivory



2358-70 Tossed Chicks - Lt. Blue



2359-41 Barns, Tractors & Trucks - Ivory



2360-77 Tossed Pigs Blue



2361-41 Eggs Ivory



2362-41 Chicken Wire Ivory

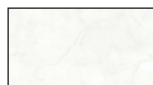


2351-60 Scenic Farm Lt. Green



2354-77 Animal Blocks Blue

Selected fabrics from the Urban Legend Collection by Tana Mueller



7101-01 White



7101-77 Navy

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Materials

Yardages and cutting instructions are based on 42" of usable fabric width.

1/4 yard 2355-60 Tossed Tractors - Lt. Green
1/2 yard 2351-60 Scenic Farm - Lt. Green
1/2 yard 2352-41 Chicken Patch - Ivory
1/2 yard 2362-41 Chicken Wire - Ivory
7/8 yard 2356-70 Tossed Farm Animals - Lt. Blue
7/8 yard 2357-41 Apples - Ivory
7/8 yard 2360-77 Tossed Pigs - Blue
1-1/2 yards 2358-70 Tossed Chicks - Lt. Blue
2-3/4 yards 7101-77 Urban Legend - Navy
3 yards 7101-01 Urban Legend - White
8-1/8 yards 2353-77 Tossed Chickens - Blue for backing
86" x 101" piece of Air Lite® Colour Me 100% Cotton batting

Cut Fabrics

Note: All strips are cut across the width of the fabric (WOF) from selvaige to selvaige unless otherwise indicated.

From 2355-60 Tossed Tractors - Lt. Green:

*Cut one 3-1/2" x WOF strip. Sub-cut twelve 3-1/2" squares.

From each:

2351-60 Scenic Farm - Lt. Green

2352-41 Chicken Patch - Ivory

*Cut two 6-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 6-1/2" squares.

From 2362-41 Chicken Wire - Ivory:

*Cut eight 1-1/2" x WOF strips for border 3.

From each:

2356-70 Tossed Farm Animals - Lt. Blue

2357-41 Apples - Ivory

*Cut five 5-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut twenty-nine 5-1/2" squares.

From 2360-77 Tossed Pigs - Blue:

*Cut nine 3" x WOF strips for border 4.

From 2358-70 Tossed Chicks - Lt. Blue:

*Cut eight 3-7/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut eighty 3-7/8" squares; cut once diagonally. (A)

*Cut two 7-3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 7-3/4" squares.

From 7101-77 Urban Legend - Navy:

*Cut four 2" x WOF strips for strip sets.

*Cut eight 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut 112 3" squares.

*Cut six 4-1/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut:

- Twelve 4-1/4" squares

- Forty 4-1/4" squares; cut twice diagonally. (B)

*Cut two 7-3/4" x WOF strips. Sub-cut ten 7-3/4" squares.

*Cut nine 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding.

From 7101-01 Urban Legend - White:

*Cut two 1-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut fourteen 1-1/2" x 5" strips.

*Cut five 2" x WOF strips for strip sets.

*Cut six 2-5/8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut eighty 2-5/8" squares.

*Cut nine 3" x WOF strips. Sub-cut 120 3" squares.

*Cut two 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-four 1-1/4" x 3-1/2" strips and sixteen 2-3/8" squares.

*Cut two 8" x WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-four 1-1/2" x 8" strips and thirty-two 2-3/8" squares (for a total of 48).

*Cut one 11" x WOF strip. Sub-cut twenty-eight 1-1/2" x 11" strips.

*Cut seven 2" x WOF strips for border 1.

Assemble Blocks

Note: Measurements include 1/4" seam allowances. Sew with right sides together unless otherwise stated. If no direction is specified, press the seam toward the darker fabric.

1. Mark two diagonal lines on the wrong side of the 7-3/4" 2358-70 Tossed Chicks - Lt. Blue squares (a). Layer a marked Lt. Blue square atop a 7-3/4" 7101-77 Urban Legend - Navy square. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked lines (b), cut vertically and horizontally to make four equal squares (c), then cut each square on the drawn lines to make eight half-square triangles (d). Press open and trim dog ears (*figure 1*). Repeat with the remaining Lt. Blue and Navy squares to make a to-

tal of eighty 3-1/2" half-square triangles (HST).

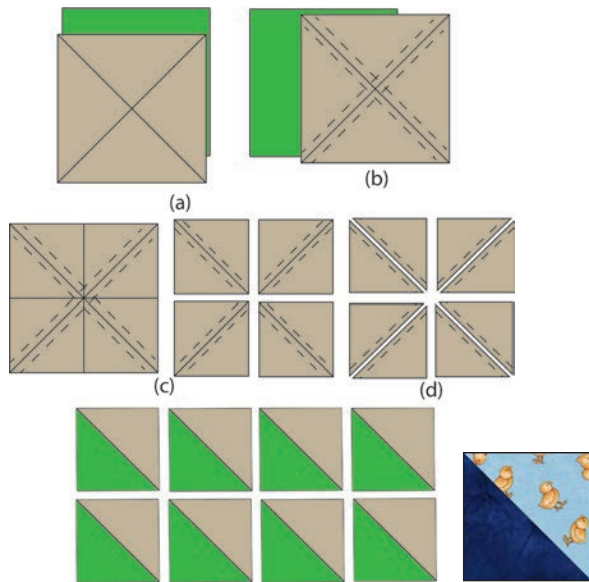


Figure 1 – Make (80) 3-1/2" units.

2. Sew a 7101-77 Urban Legend – Navy triangle B to one side of a 2-5/8" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White square. Press open. Sew another triangle B to the adjacent side of the White square, press open and trim ears. Repeat with the remaining triangles B and White squares. Sew a 2358-70 Tossed Chicks - Lt. Blue triangle A to adjacent sides of each unit (figure 2). Press open and trim ears. Make a total of eighty 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" units.

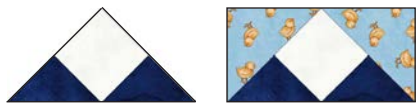


Figure 2 – Make (80) 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" units.

3. Sew a Step 3 unit to opposite sides of the ten 6-1/2" 2351-60 Scenic Farm - Lt. Green squares and the ten 6-1/2" 2352-41 Chicken Patch – Ivory squares (figure 3). Press the seams toward the center.



Figure 3 – Make (10) of each type.

4. Sew a Step 1 HST to opposite sides of the remaining Step 2 units. Press the seams away from the center.

Sew one strip to the top and one to the bottom of the Step 3 units and press the seams in one direction (figure 4). Make ten 12-1/2" blocks of each type.

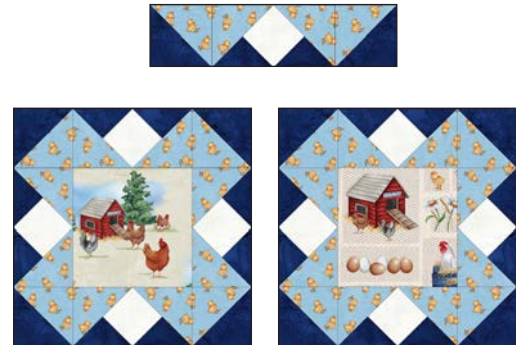


Figure 4 – Make (10) 12-1/2" blocks of each type.

5. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 3" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White squares. With right sides together, place one marked White square on a corner of one 5-1/2" 2356-70 Tossed Farm Animals - Lt. Blue square and stitch on the drawn line. Trim the seam allowance to 1/4" and press open. Repeat with the adjacent corner of the same square. Similarly, sew a 3" 7101-77 Urban Legend – Navy square to the other corners of the square (figure 5). Make twenty-seven 5-1/2" units.

Repeat this step with the remaining 3" White squares, Navy squares, and the 5-1/2" 2357-41 Apples – Ivory squares to make twenty-seven 5-1/2" units.

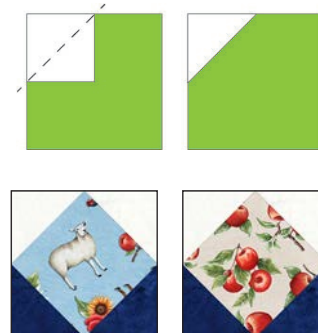


Figure 5 – Make (27) 5-1/2" units of each type.

6. Repeat Step 5 with the remaining 5-1/2" Lt. Blue and Ivory squares, except sewing a Navy square to one corner of each square, and a White square to the other corners of the squares, to make two 5-1/2" units of each type (figure 6, next page).



Figure 6 – Make (2) of each type.

7. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of the 2-3/8" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White squares. With right sides together, place two marked White squares on opposite corners of one 4-1/4" 7101-77 Urban Legend – Navy square, making sure drawn lines intersect in the middle and noting that the corners of the small squares will overlap. Stitch 1/4" on each side of the marked line (a), cut on the drawn line (b), and press each unit open (c). Place one more marked White square on the corner of each unit, stitch as before (d), and cut. Press the seams open (e) to make four 2" x 3-1/2" flying-geese units. Repeat with the remaining White and the Navy squares to make a total of **forty-eight** flying-geese units. Sew one 1-1/4" x 3-1/2" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strip to the top of **thirty-four** flying geese only (figure 7).

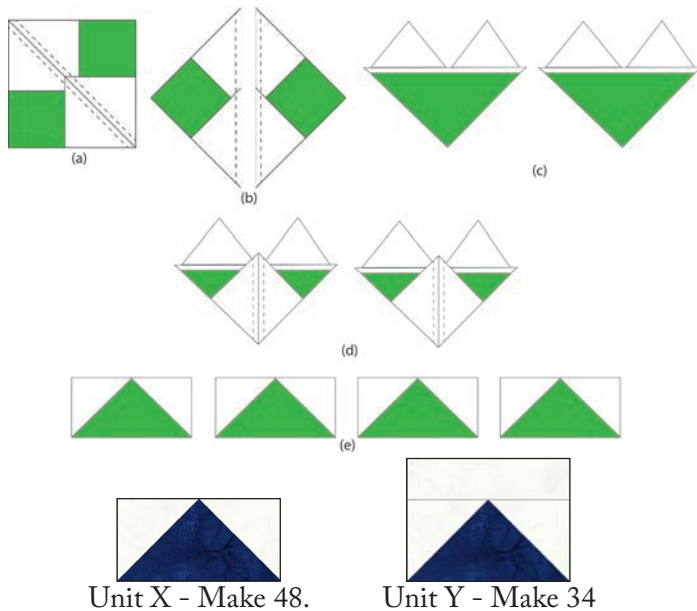


Figure 7 - Save 14 units X for Step 9.

8. Alternating strips, sew together three 2" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strips and two 2" 7101-77 Urban Legend – Navy strips to make a strip set. Press

the seams in one direction. Cross-cut the strip set into seventeen 1-1/2" sections. Sew one 1-1/2" x 8" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strip to the top and one to the bottom of each section. Press the seams away from the center. Noting fabric orientation, sew a Step 7 unit Y to opposite ends of the Step 8 units to make seventeen 3-1/2" inner sashing units (figure 8). Press the seams away from the center. Save the remaining flying-geese units for the next step.

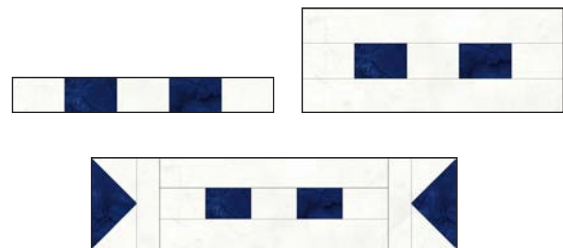


Figure 8 – Make (17) 3-1/2" x 12-1/2" units.

9. Make another strip set as in Step 8, working with two 2" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strips and two 2" 7101-77 Urban Legend – Navy strips. Cross-cut fourteen 1-1/2" sections. Sew one 1-1/2" x 5" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strip to one end of the sections. Press the seams toward the latest addition. Sew one 1-1/2" x 11" 7101-01 Urban Legend – White strip to the top and one to the bottom of each middle section. Press the seams away from the center. Sew a Step 7 unit X to the right end of each strip to make fourteen outer sashing units (figure 9). Press the seams toward the center.



Figure 9 – Make (14) 3-1/2" x 12-1/2" units.

Assemble Quilt Top

10. Referring to the quilt photo for block placement and orientation, lay out the Step 3 blocks and sashing units in six rows as listed below and join the blocks together in each row. Press the seams toward the sashing.

- Rows 1 and 5: four blocks and three outer sashing units.

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- Rows 2, 3, and 4: four blocks and three inner sashing units.

11. To make the horizontal sashing rows, sew together two inner sashing units, three 3-1/2" 2355-60 Tossed Tractors - Lt. Green squares, and two outer sashing units. Press the seams toward the sashing. Repeat to make four sashing rows.

12. Matching adjacent seams, sew block rows and horizontal sashing strips together. Press the seams in one direction.

13. For border 1, join the 2" 7101-01 Urban Legend - White strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Measure the vertical length of the quilt top through the center and cut two border strips that length. Sew one strip to each side of the quilt top and press the seams toward the border strips. Measure the width of the quilt top through the center. Cut two border strips that length and sew one to the top and one to the bottom. Press the seams toward the borders. The quilt measures 60-1/2" x 75-1/2" up to here.

14. For border 2 and referring to the quilt photo for block placement, arrange fifteen blocks for each side of the quilt. Sew blocks together, press the seams open, and sew one border strip to each side of the quilt center. Press the seam toward quilt center.

15. Repeat Step 14 with twelve blocks and two corner blocks and sew one border strip to the top and one to the bottom of the quilt center.

16. Repeat Step 13 with the eight 1-1/2" 2362-41 Chicken Wire - Ivory strips to make and add border 3.

17. Repeat Step 13 with the nine 3" 2360-77 Tossed Pigs - Blue strips to make and add border 4.

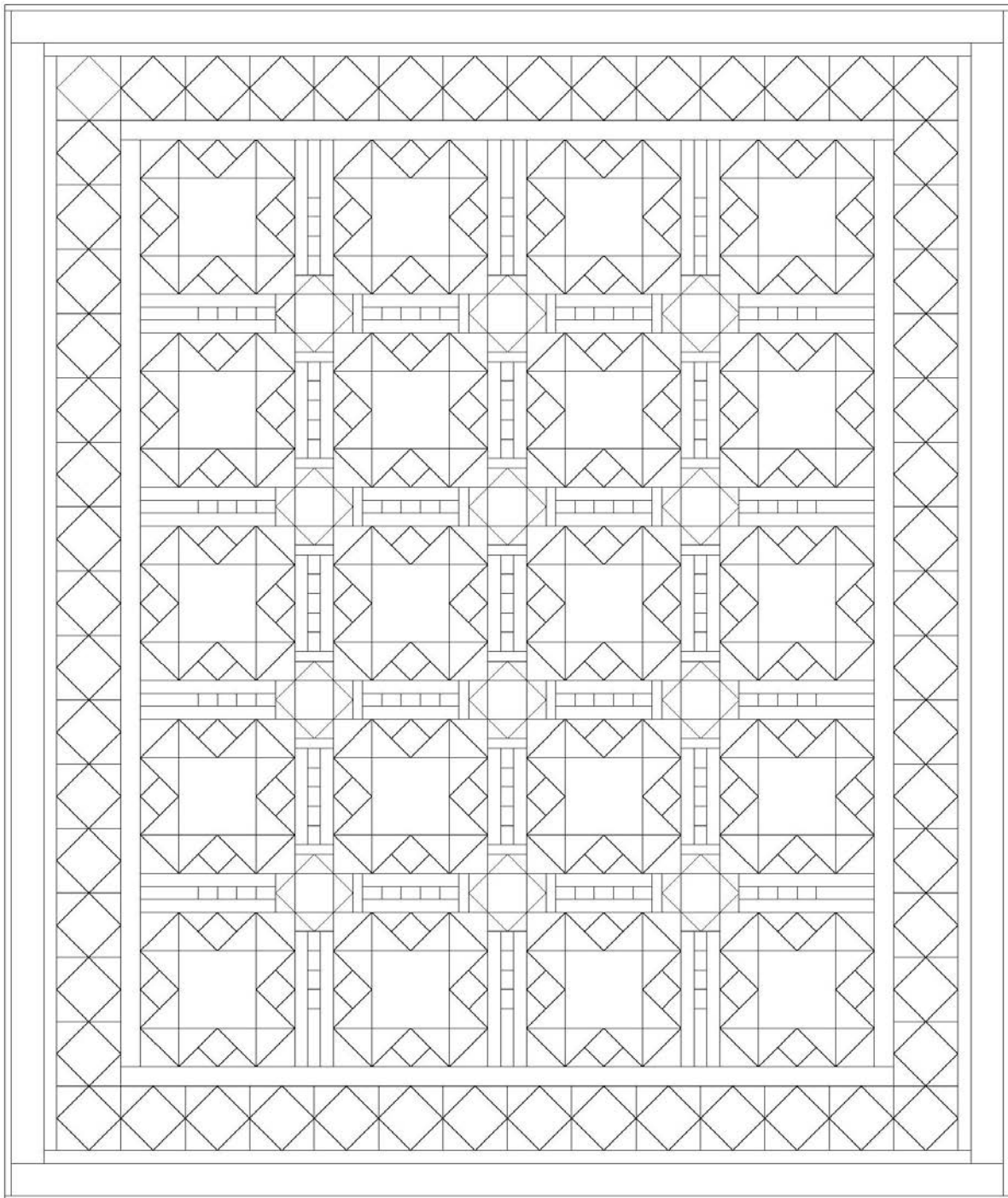
Finishing

18. Create a sandwich with the batting between the quilt top and the backing. Pin or baste layers together, mark quilting design, and quilt by hand or machine. When quilting is complete, remove pins or basting, and trim batting and backing even with raw edges of the quilt top.

19. Join the nine 2-1/2" 7101-77 Urban Legend - Navy binding strips together end to end using a diagonal seam to make one long strip. Fold in half lengthwise and press. Sew binding to the edges of the quilt, mitering corners, and overlapping ends. Fold binding to the back of the quilt and stitch it in place by hand to finish.

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Quilt Diagram