

Flower Garden in Blues

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Web Bonus pattern for quilt
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(54" square)

Materials You Will Need:

1 panel of (8) blue flowers
7/8 yard of small blue floral
1/4 yard each of (5) coordinating light blue
and light green prints
7/8 yard of large blue floral
3/4 yard of blue/white stripe for binding
3-1/2 yards of backing fabric
60" square piece of batting

Cutting Directions:

From the blue flower panel, cut:
(8) 9-1/2" squares, fussy cut to center flowers

From the small blue floral, cut:
(12) 2-1/2" x 9-1/2" pieces
(8) 2-1/2" x 42" strips

From each of the light blue and light green prints, cut:
A total of (75) 3-1/2" squares (3 are extra)

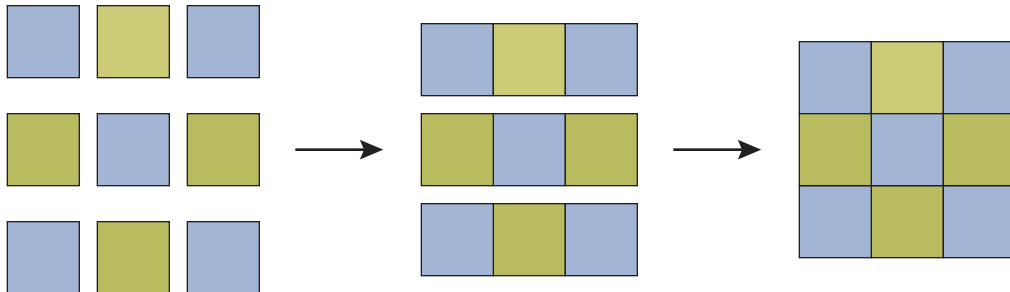
From the large blue floral, cut:
(6) 4-1/2" x 42" strips

From the blue/white stripe, cut:
2-1/4" wide bias strips to make a 226" long piece for binding

Sewing Directions: *(Seam allowance is 1/4" unless stated otherwise)*

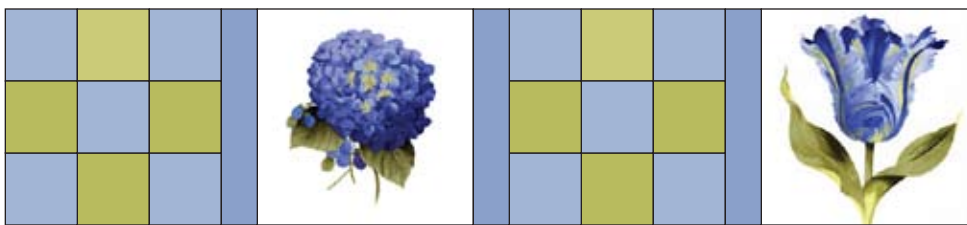
MAKING THE BLOCKS

Sew (9) 3-1/2" squares together into (3) rows of (3) blocks each, alternating light blue and light green squares. Make a total of (8) Ninepatch blocks.



ASSEMBLY

1. Referring to the quilt photo, lay out (2) Ninepatch blocks and (2) 9-1/2" blue flower squares alternating with (3) 2-1/2" x 9-1/2" small blue floral pieces into row A. Make a second row in the same orientation.



2. In the same way, lay out (2) Ninepatch blocks and (2) 9-1/2" blue flower squares alternating with (3) 2-1/2" x 9-1/2" small blue floral pieces into row B. Make a second row in the same orientation.

3. Sew the (8) 2-1/2" x 42" small blue floral strips short ends together to make a long strip. Measure the length of the rows and cut (5) strips to that length. Lay out the A rows and B rows alternating with the (5) small blue floral strips. Sew the rows and sashing strips together.

4. Measure the length of the quilt and cut (2) strips to that length from the remaining small blue floral long strip. Sew these strips to the sides of the quilt center.

5. Sew the (6) 4-1/2" x 42" strips short ends together to make a long strip. Measure the width of the quilt and cut (2) strips to that length. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Measure the length of the quilt, including the borders just added, and cut (2) strips to that length. Sew to the sides of the quilt.

FINISHING

Layer the quilt top with the backing and batting and quilt as desired. Use the 2-1/4" x 42" blue/white stripe bias strips to bind the quilt.