

Elm Creek Quilts: Joanna's Collection

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Finished quilt size: 58" x 82"

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS:

A. Pattern #19737 – BRO1	2 1/8 yards
B. Pattern #19738 – LTGRE1	3/8 yard
C. Pattern #19739 – BRO1	1/2 yard
D. Pattern #19739 – LTBE11	1 3/4 yards
E. Pattern #19739 – LTGRE1	3/8 yard
F. Pattern #19739 – PIN1	1/4 yard
G. Pattern #19741 – PEA1	1 7/8 yards
H. Pattern #19742 – BRO1	1 yard
I. Pattern #19743 – BRO1	1/4 yard
J. Pattern #19743 – PEA1	3/4 yard
K. Pattern #19743 – YEL1	3/8 yard
Backing fabric of choice	5 yards*
Batting	66" x 90"

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Please read all instructions carefully before beginning. 1/4" seam allowance is included in measurements and all fabric is cut across the width of the fabric unless otherwise noted.

A. Pattern #19737 – BRO1 (large floral):

1. Cut four 6 1/2" x length of fabric strips (Border #4).

B. Pattern #19738 – LTGRE1 (burst texture):

1. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut fifty-six 2 1/2" squares.

C. Pattern #19739 – BRO1 (small flower texture):

1. Cut one 2 7/8" strip. Subcut fourteen 2 7/8" squares.
2. Cut six 1 3/4" strips (Border #3).

D. Pattern #19739 – LTBE11 (small flower texture):

1. Cut two 2 1/2" strips. Subcut thirty-two 2 1/2" squares.
2. Cut four 2 7/8" strips. Subcut forty-six 2 7/8" squares.
3. Cut seven 2 1/2" strips. Subcut twenty-eight 8 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
4. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut sixty-four 2 1/2" squares.
5. Cut five 1 3/4" strips (Border #1).

E. Pattern #19739 – LTGRE1 (small flower texture):

1. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut thirty-two 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.

F. Pattern #19739 – PIN1 (small flower texture):

1. Cut two 2 1/2" strips. Subcut thirty-two 2 1/2" squares.

G. Pattern #19741 – PEA1 (braid)*:

1. Cut four 2 1/2" x length of fabric strips, positioning the "V" of the braid in the center of each strip (Border #2).

*The remainder of the braid fabric can be used with an additional fabric to construct the quilt backing.

H. Pattern #19742 – BRO1 (geometric):

1. Cut three 2 7/8" strips. Subcut thirty-two 2 7/8" squares.
2. Cut eight 2 1/2" strips for binding.

I. Pattern #19743 – BRO1 (medium vine):

1. Cut one 4 1/2" strip. Subcut eight 4 1/2" squares.

J. Pattern #19743 – PEA1 (medium vine):

1. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut thirty-two 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.
2. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut sixty-four 2 1/2" squares.

K. Pattern #19743 – YEL1 (medium vine):

1. Cut four 2 1/2" strips. Subcut twenty-eight 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" rectangles.

PIECING INSTRUCTIONS:

A. Block I:

1. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each 2 7/8" D2 square (Figure 1). Pair each square, right sides together, with a 2 7/8" H square. Stitch a 1/4" seam on each side of the diagonal line. Cut on the drawn line to create two half-square-triangle units from each pair of squares. Press toward H. Make sixty-four units.

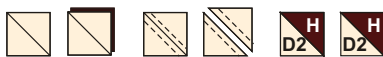


Figure 1. Make 64.

2. Sew one half-square-triangle unit to both a 2 1/2" D1 square and a 2 1/2" F square (Figure 2). Press as shown. Make thirty-two star point units.

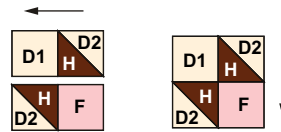


Figure 2. Make 32.

3. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of each 2 1/2" D4 square. Position a square, right sides together, on one end of a 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" J1 rectangle (Figure 3). Stitch on the drawn line. Cut 1/4" away from the drawn line. Press toward D4. Repeat with a second square on the opposite end of the rectangle. Stitch, cut, and press to complete a Flying Geese unit. Make thirty-two Flying Geese units.

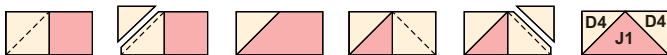


Figure 3. Make 32.

4. Follow step 3 to make thirty-two Flying Geese units using J2 squares and E rectangles (Figure 4).

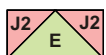
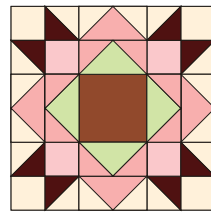


Figure 4. Make 32.



Block I
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Make 8.

5. Sew together one Flying Geese unit from each of steps 3 and 4 as shown in Figure 5. Press. Make thirty-two units.

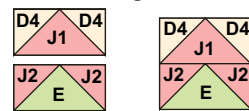


Figure 5. Make 32.

6. Arrange four star point units and four Flying Geese units with a 4 1/2" I square for each block (Figure 6). Sew the units together. Press in direction of arrows. Make eight of Block I.

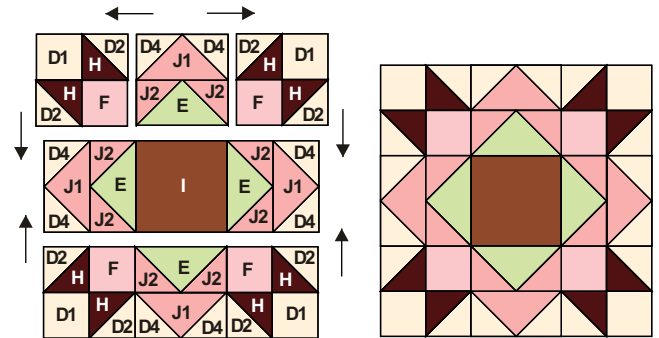
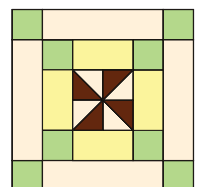


Figure 6. Make 8.

B. Block II:

1. Pair a 2 7/8" C square with a 2 7/8" D2 square. Follow step 1 for Block I to make twenty-eight half-square-triangle units for Block II.
2. Sew four half-square-triangle units together to make a Pinwheel unit for the center of Block II (Figure 7). Press. Make seven Pinwheel units.
3. Arrange eight 2 1/2" B squares, four 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" D3 rectangles, four 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" K rectangles, and one Pinwheel unit for



Block II
Finished Size: 12"
Make 7.

each block (Figure 7). Press in direction of arrows. Make seven of Block II.

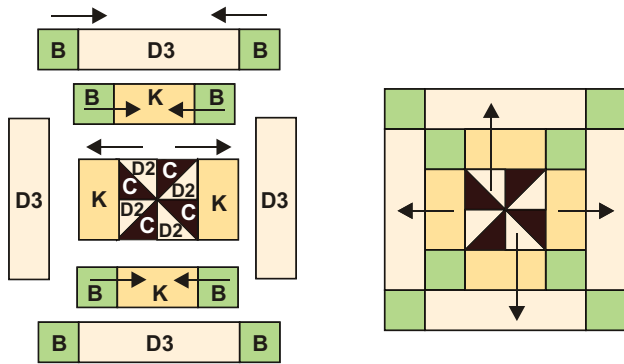


Figure 7. Make 7.

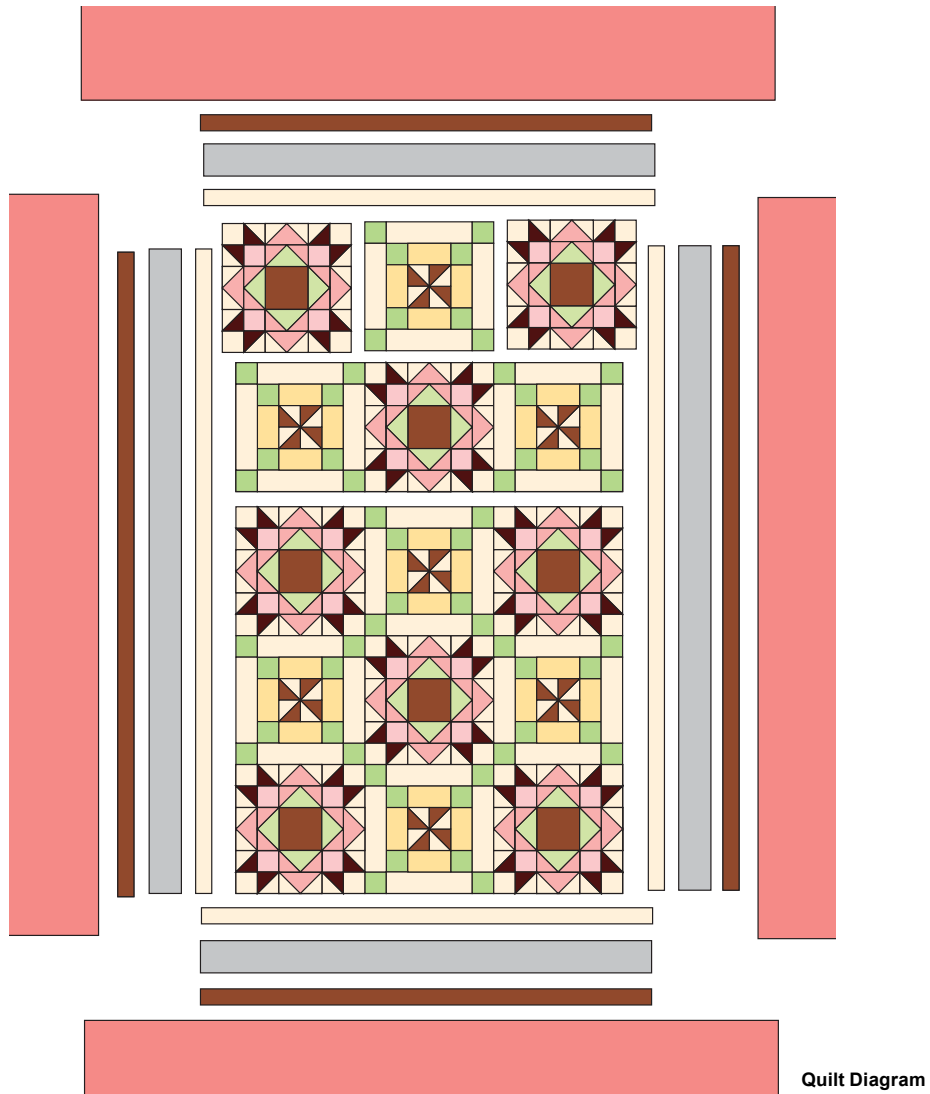
QUILT ASSEMBLY:

1. Arrange Blocks I and II as shown in the Quilt Diagram, alternating blocks from row to row. Sew blocks together into rows. Press seams toward Block I. Sew rows together. Press.

2. Border #1: Sew 1 3/4" strips together, end to end. Press seams open. Cut two lengths equal to the length of the quilt. Sew to the sides of the quilt. Press toward the border strips. Cut two lengths equal to the width of the quilt. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the strips.
3. Border #2: Cut the length of two 2 1/2"-wide Border #2 strips equal to the length of the quilt top. Sew to the sides of the quilt. Press toward the strips. Cut the two remaining Border #2 strips equal to the width of the quilt top. Sew to the top and bottom of the quilt. Press toward the strips.
4. Borders #3 and #4: Follow the directions for Border #1 to sew Border #3 and Border #4 to the quilt. Press all seams toward the borders as they are sewn to the quilt.

FINISHING:

1. Prepare backing to measure 66" x 90". Press seams open. [Note: The remaining braid fabric can be pieced into the backing with an additional fabric.]
2. Layer the quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired.
3. Trim layers even with quilt top.
4. Prepare binding strips and sew to the quilt using your favorite method.



Quilt Diagram