

Web Bonus: Moonlight Stars Queen Size



The 45" x 57" version of this quilt is patterned in the August/September 2013 issue of *McCall's Quick Quilts*.

Adapted from a Quilt
Designed by
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Finished
Quilt Size
88½" x 100½"

Number of Blocks &
Finished Size
42 Star Blocks
12" x 12"

Shop

Cream print (blocks)	6¼ yds.
Medium blue print (blocks)	4⅝ yds.
Dark blue print (border, binding)	3⅝ yds.
Backing (piece widthwise)	8½ yds.
Batting size	98" x 110"

Plan

Gerri's clever, simple-to-piece block creates an intriguing secondary pattern that will make your quilt sparkle.

Cut

(in order listed)

- Cream print
42 squares 4½" x 4½"
252 squares 2⅞" x 2⅞"
840 squares 2½" x 2½"
- Medium blue print
168 squares 4½" x 4½"
252 squares 2⅞" x 2⅞"
- Dark blue print
11 strips 2½" x width of fabric (binding)
*4 strips 8½" x 92", cut on lengthwise grain
*Border strips include extra length for trimming.

Sew

- 1 Draw diagonal line on wrong side of cream 2⅞" square. Referring to **Diagram I**, place marked square on medium blue 4½" square, right sides together. Sew ¼" seam on each side of marked line; cut apart on marked line. Open and press to make 2 pieced squares. Make 504.

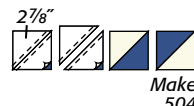


Diagram I

- 2 Stitch together 1 cream 2½" square and 3 pieced squares (**Diagram II**) to make corner square. Make 168.

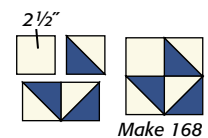


Diagram II

- 3 Draw diagonal line on wrong side of cream 2½" square. Referring to **Diagram III**, place marked square on medium blue 4½" square, right sides together, aligning raw edges. Stitch on drawn line; trim away and discard excess fabric. Open and press. Repeat on remaining corners to make side square. Make 168.

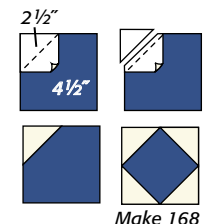
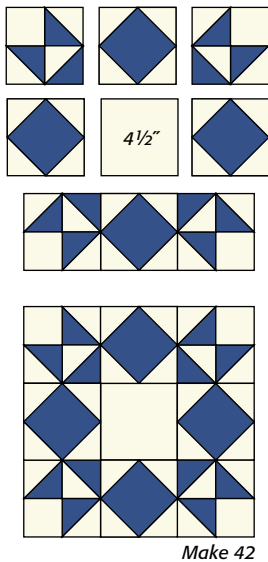


Diagram III

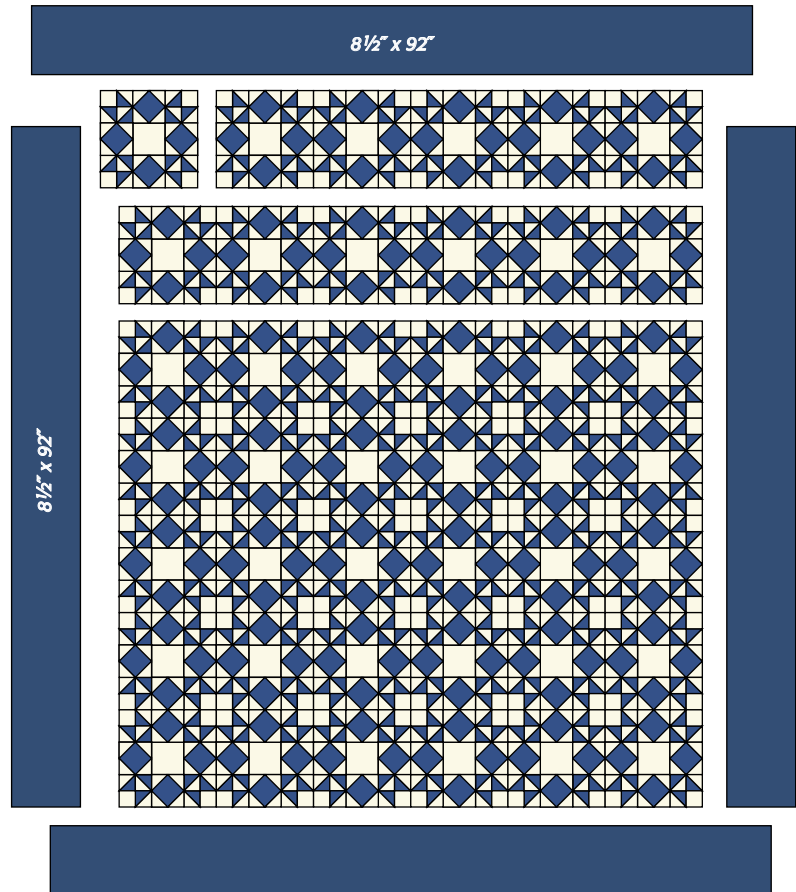
- 4 Sew 4 corner squares, 4 side squares, and 1 cream $4\frac{1}{2}$ " square together (**Diagram IV**) to make Star Block. Make 42.



Make 42

Diagram IV

- 5 Referring to **Assembly Diagram**, sew 7 rows of 6 blocks each. Sew rows together. Stitch dark blue print 92" strips to sides; trim even with top and bottom. Sew dark blue print 92" strips to top/bottom; trim even with sides.
- 6 Layer, baste, and quilt. Bind with dark blue print.



Assembly Diagram

Designer Information

Learn more about Gerri Robinson's pattern company, Planted Seed Designs, by visiting her website at plantedseeddesigns.com.