

Web Bonus:

Pretty in Paisley Queen Size

Adapted from a Quilt Designed by
Metropolitan Quilt

Finished Quilt Size
90½" x 102½"

Plan

Pretty and rich in color, this is one of the fastest bed-sized quilts we've seen. Wonderful prints from the Equinox collection by Ana Davis for Blend Fabrics lend a cheerful feel, while the density of the designs give this simple quilt a visual complexity that sets it apart. Notice that all directional prints in the quilt are upright. Our instructions will show you how to easily accomplish this in your quilt.

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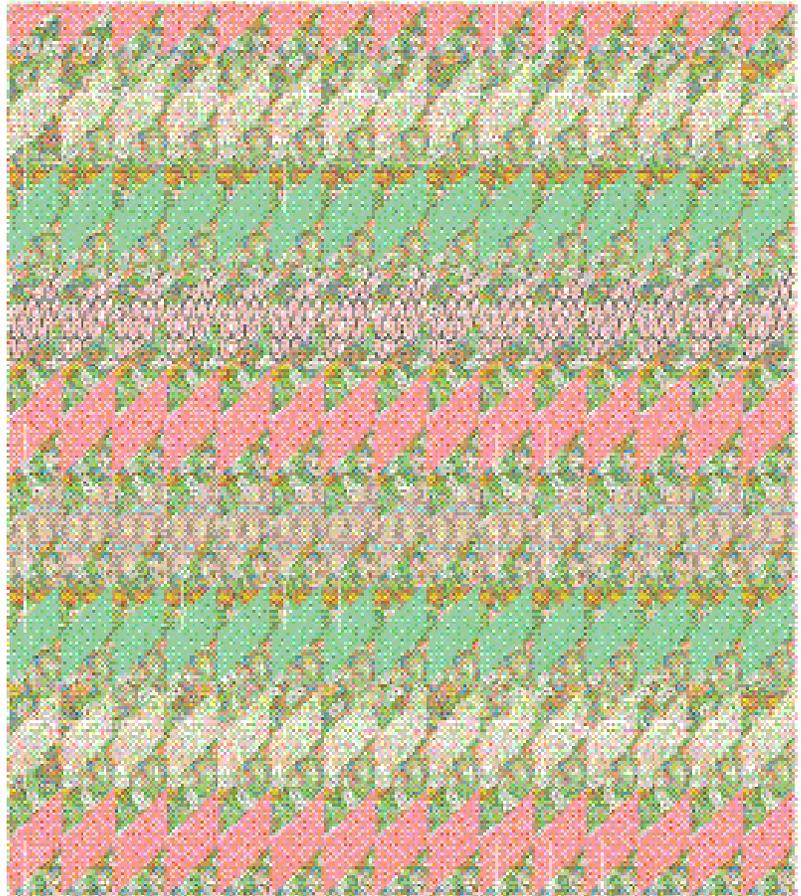
Pink/orange print (pieced squares)	1¾ yds.
Green/multicolor paisley (pieced squares)	5½ yds.
Blue/green print (pieced squares)	1¾ yds.
White/multicolor scallops (pieced squares, binding)	2⅛ yds.
Gray/pink zigzag and gray/pink ogee (pieced squares)	each ¾ yd.
Backing (piece widthwise)	8¾ yds.*
Batting size	100" x 112"

*If you choose a directional print for your backing you may wish to piece lengthwise, which requires 9⅞ yards.

Cut

(in order listed)

Pink/orange print	38 squares 6⅞" x 6⅞"
Green/multicolor paisley	128 squares 6⅞" x 6⅞"
Blue/green print	30 squares 6⅞" x 6⅞"
White/multicolor scallops	11 strips 2½" x width of fabric (binding)
	30 squares 6⅞" x 6⅞"
Gray/pink zigzag and gray/pink ogee— cut from each:	15 squares 6⅞" x 6⅞"



Sew

1 Draw diagonal line on wrong side of pink/orange print 6⅞" square. Referring to **Diagram I-A**, place marked square on green/multicolor paisley 6⅞" 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 75. To make pieced squares with a directional print (such as the scallops print), be sure to position the directional square with the print running vertically when placing a marked green paisley square on top (**Diagram I-B**). Make 60 green/white scallops pieced squares. Make remaining pieced squares in fabrics and quantities shown (**Diagram I-C**).

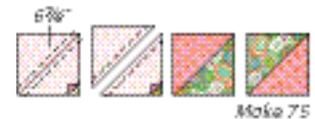


Diagram I-A

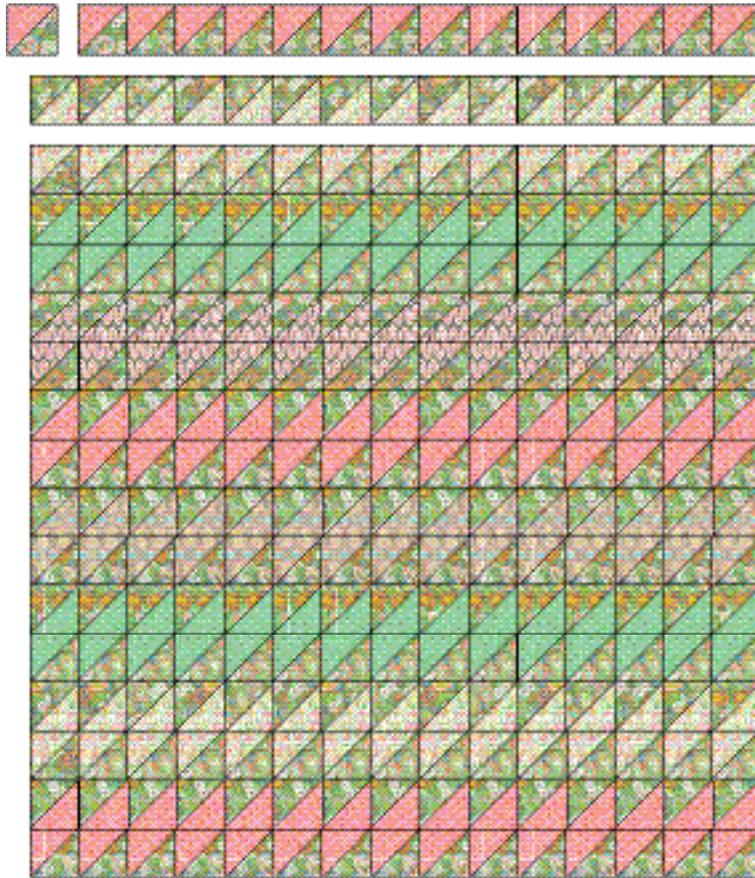


Diagram I-B



Diagram I-C

- 2 Referring to **Assembly Diagram**, sew 17 rows of 15 matching pieced squares each, being sure to orient directional fabrics correctly. You may wish to use a design wall or other large flat surface to arrange your squares prior to sewing them together.
- 3 Layer, baste, and quilt. Bind with white/multicolor scallops print.



Assembly Diagram



The lap-sized (54½" x 72½") version of Pretty in Paisley is patterned in the June/July 2015 issue of *McCall's Quick Quilts*; pattern also available as a digital download at QuiltandSewShop.com.



- A kit of fabrics for lap size quilt top and binding is available while supplies last for \$79.99 (QQK15071).
- Call **877-269-8024**, or shop online at **ShopMcCallsQuilting.com**.
- Backing fabric (4¾ yds.) is \$59.99 (QQK15071B).

