

Seaside

Fabric: Friendship by the Sea by Faye Whittaker for Elizabeth's Studio LLC



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Skill Level: Beginner

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Fabrics Needed and Cutting Instructions: Friendship by the Sea by Faye Whittaker for Elizabeth's Studio LLC

Fabric A—1403 Sepia

1 yard

(3 full repeats)



Fussy-cut (twelve) 8" x 11-1/4" assorted blocks

NOTE: Please read cutting note on page 3 BEFORE cutting any fabric. Blocks should be fussy-cut with 1/4 inch seam allowance around the stripe or patterned border and measurements verified

Fabric B

1402 sepia

1 yard



See directions

Fabric C

1401 sepia

1 yard



See directions

Fabric D

237 sepia

5/8 yard



Cut one 9" x WOF strip AND
(one) 4-1/2" x WOF strip

Fabric E

231 brown

1-5/8 yard



Cut (one) 7-1/2" x WOF strip AND
(five) 6-1/2" strips AND
(three) 2-1/2" x WOF strips

Fabric F

310 sepia

5/8 yard



Cut (seven) 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding

Backing—(two) 2 yard cuts (total 4 yards) of your favorite fabric

Batting—for 51 x 60 quilt top

CUTTING NOTE (IMPORTANT): Please **MEASURE** the size of the main blocks to be sure that they measure **8" x 11-1/4"** - this includes **1/4"** seam allowance beyond the block in each direction. If the block size varies due to printing/cutting variations or pre-washing, the cut size of the sashing strips will have to be adjusted. This is indicated by ****Your Measurement in the directions**. Remember to read through the directions before you begin to cut your fabrics. You will be using a **1/4"** seam allowance throughout the pattern. WOF means width of fabric.

CUTTING AND PIECING THE BLOCKS:

Begin with the large blocks. As indicated above, check to be sure that your block size is accurate. If not, note that there are several simple changes to be made, indicated with ****** in the directions.

TALL SASHING BLOCKS (Fabric #1402): Cut (three) **11-1/4"** (****OR YOUR BLOCK HEIGHT**) x Width of Fabric strips. Cross cut into (twelve) **4-1/2"** wide x **11-1/4"** (or your block height) tall strips. You may wish to fussy cut so that the motifs are centered horizontally, extra fabric is allowed for this.



WIDE SASHING BLOCKS (Fabric #1401): Cut (three) **4-1/2"** x Width of Fabric strips. Cross cut into twelve **4-1/2"** x **8"** (**** OR YOUR BLOCK WIDTH**). You may wish to fussy cut to center motifs, extra fabric is allowed for this.

4-1/2" SQUARE IN A SQUARE BLOCKS:

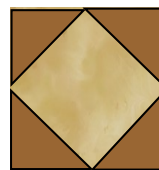
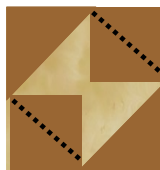
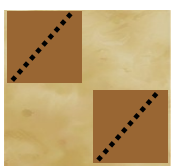
Fabric #237 (Sand): Cut (two) **7-1/2"** squares for outer border and (sixteen) **4-1/2"** blocks.

Fabric #231 (Brown dot): Cut (two) **7-1/2"** squares for the outer border and (sixty-four) **2-1/2"** squares.

Piece square in a square blocks as follows: Mark diagonal line on back of **2-1/2"** brown dot squares, place right sides together with **4-1/2"** sand squares. Sew across diagonal line. Trim **1/4"** from stitching line.

Repeat with two more **2-1/2"** squares. Press.

FINISHED BLOCK:

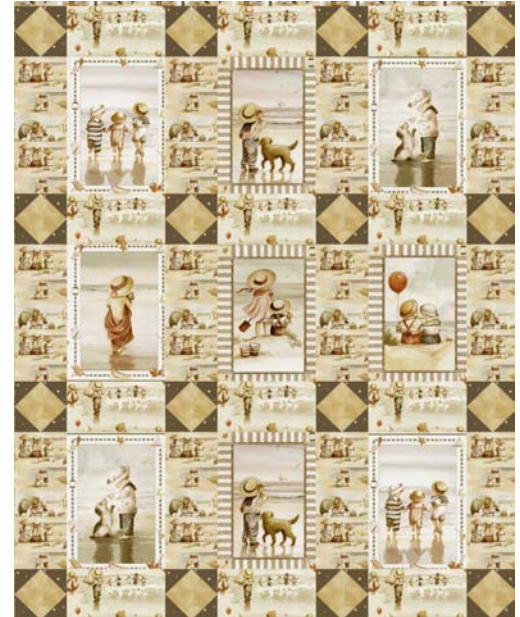


Unfinished measurement

4 1/2" square

PIECING CENTER OF QUILT:

Following quilt layout, piece blocks, sashing rectangles and square-in-square blocks together into rows, then sew the rows together to form the center section.



PREPARING THE BORDERS:

From the (five) 6-1/2" strips x Width of Fabric Brown Dot—Piece three strips together to form one long strip. Measure length of center section and cut two side borders 6-1/2" x YOUR finished center section length (sample length is 48-3/4").

Measure the width of the center section. Cut top and bottom borders 6-1/2" x YOUR finished center section width from the remaining 6-1/2" strips (sample width is 39").

CORNER BLOCKS:

Layer one 7-1/2" sand block and one 7-1/2" brown dot block together, right sides together. Mark diagonal line on wrong side of sand block. Stitch 1/4" from each side of marked line. Cut blocks apart on marked line. Press toward brown dot. TRIM block to 6-1/2" square. Repeat with second set of squares.

ADDING BORDERS:

Sew top and bottom borders to quilt. Add half-square triangles to ends of side borders, sew to sides of center section.

FINISHING THE QUILT:

Piece together the (two) 2 yard cuts of backing fabric to form back. Layer with batting, and quilt as desired.

Piece together the 2-1/2" stripe fabric strips to bind the quilt.