

Dream Ride



46-1/2" x 56-1/2"

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FABRICS: *Dream Ride* by Elizabeth's Studio LLC

629 Black (Block Panel)—2/3 yard

144 Red (Allover)—7/8 yard

630 Blue (Allover)—3/4 yard

281 Black (Allover)—1 yard

Black Solid—1-1/4 yards

144 Red (Allover)— 1/2 yard for binding

Backing fabric—4 yards

Batting for 46-1/2" x 56-1/2" quilt top

CUTTING DIRECTIONS:

629 Black (Block Panel): Fussy cut (10) 6-1/2" square (centering motifs as desired).

144 Red (Allover):

FIRST, cut (2) 1-1/2" x WOF (width of fabric) strips for inner top and bottom borders.

THEN, cut (3) 1-1/2" x LENGTH of fabric strips for inner side borders.

FROM REMAINDER OF FABRIC, cut (1) 6-1/2" x WOF strip and crosscut into (18) 1-1/2" x 6-1/2" rectangles. Cut (1) 3-1/2" x WOF strip and crosscut into (4) 3-1/2" squares and (4) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" strips.

630 Blue (Allover):

Fussy cut (10) 6-1/2" squares, centering motifs as desired (extra fabric is allowed for this).

281 Black (Allover):

Cut (5) 3-1/2" x WOF strips for outer borders.

Black Solid:

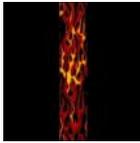
Cut (7) 3" x WOF, cross cut into (36) 3" x 6-1/2" rectangles AND (8) 3" x 3-1/2" rectangles. Cut (6) 2-1/2" x WOF strips for sashing.

144 Red (Allover): Cut (5) 2-1/2" x WOF strips, set aside for binding.

MAKING ALTERNATE BLOCKS

MAKING RAIL FENCE UNITS:

Sew together (2) 3" x 6-1/2" **Black Solid** rectangles and (1) 1-1/2" x 6-1/2" **144 Red (Allover)** strip to form 6-1/2" rail fence unit. Repeat to create a total of (18) units.



Sew together (2) 3" x 3-1/2" **Black Solid** rectangles and (1) 1-1/2" x 3-1/2" **144 Red (Allover)** strip to form 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rail fence unit. Make (4) units.

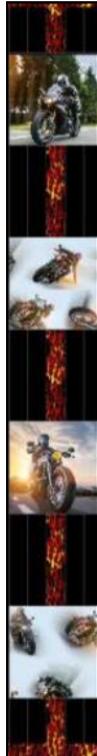


ASSEMBLING THE QUILT TOP

Following diagram at left, sew together (2) 6-1/2" **629 Black (Block Panel)** fussy-cut blocks, (4) 6-1/2" **Black Solid/144 Red (Allover)** rail fence units and (2) 6-1/2" **630 Blue (Allover)** fussy-cut blocks to form Row 1. Repeat to make 2 more rows (rows 3 and 5). *You may wish to lay out all of the fussy-cut blocks before you construct the rows to place the motifs the way you like.*

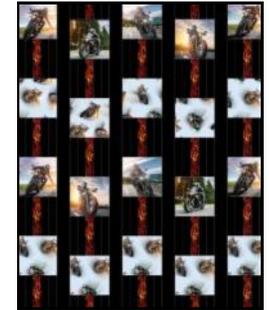


Following row diagram at right, sew together (2) 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" **Black Solid/144 Red (Allover)** units, (2) 6-1/2" **629 Black (Block Panel)** fussy-cut blocks, (2) 6-1/2" **630 Blue (Allover)** fussy-cut blocks and (3) 6-1/2" square **Black Solid/144 Red (Allover)** units to form alternate row 2. Be sure that the 3-1/2" x 6-1/2" rail fence blocks are at the top and bottom of the row. Repeat for row 4.



MAKE SASHING:

Sew together the (6) 2-1/2" x WOF **Black Solid** strips to form a long strip. From this, cut (4) 2-1/2" x 48-1/2" sashing strips.



Sew together the rows, alternate rows and sashing strips, following diagram.

INNER BORDER:

Sew together (3) 1-1/2" x Length of Fabric **144 Red (Allover)** strips to form long strip. From this, cut (2) 1-1/2" x 48-1/2" side border strips. Add to sides of quilt top.

Trim 1-1/2" x Width of Fabric **144 Red (Allover)** strips to measure 1-1/2" x 40-1/2". Add to top and bottom of quilt top.

OUTER BORDER:

Sew together (3) 3-1/2" x WOF **281 Black (Allover)** strips to form long strip. Cut (2) 50-1/2" lengths. Add borders to sides of quilt top.

Trim remaining (2) 3-1/2" x WOF **281 Black (Allover)** strips to measure 40-1/2". Add 3-1/2" **144 Red (Allover)** squares to each end of strips, being sure to orient flames and motorcycles correctly. Add borders to top and bottom of quilt top.



FINISHING THE QUILT

Layer quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Use 2-1/2" **144 Red (Allover)** strips to bind quilt.