

Love Birds

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FABRIC	YARDAGE	CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS
Green/brown medallion flower (A)	1/4 yard	(2) 2-1/2" x width of fabric strips
Row of love birds (B)	panel	(2) 3-3/4" strips*
Brown/Blue stripe (C)	1-1/2 yards	(2) 2-1/2" x width of fabric strips; (1) 4-1/2" strip
Mint honeycomb (D)	1/4 yard	(1) 6-1/2" x 14-3/4", (2) 3-1/2" x 14-3/4"
Love Bird Squares (E)	panel	(2) 15-1/2" x 14-3/4" (center bird squares)
Mint w/large grey floral (F)	1/2 yard	(1) 15-1/2" x width of fabric
Brown w/blue overall (G)	5/8 yard	(1) 3-1/2" x width of fabric strips; binding
Backing/Batting	3 yards	

SEWING INSTRUCTIONS

*The two love bird borders (B) on the panel will be spliced together to create one strip of birds. Cut carefully, centering birds in strip and having equal seam allowances on both strips. Sew strips together between two birds. (We made our seam between the lime bird and grey bird – this centers the pair of brown birds in the center of the width of the quilt.)

Carefully cut the two bird squares (E) from the panel. In this order (left to right) sew 3-1/2" x 14-3/4" mint honeycomb (D); right facing bird square; 6-1/2" x 14-3/4" mint honeycomb; left facing bird square; 3-1/2" x 14-3/4" mint honeycomb.

Referring to picture, starting at the top, sew strips together.

Trim right and left selvage edges to square up quilt top. (Quilt top should measure 42" x 47-1/2")

Layer quilt, batting and backing and quilt.

Bind with the Brown w/blue overall (G).