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Picture this delicate quilt in a white-washed guest room or cuddled in a white wicker chair. The antique florals and labels are simply charming and Michele's stripes and textures give just the right punch.








An heirloom waiting to be created!

Uses Michele D'Amore's *Arboretum* collection.

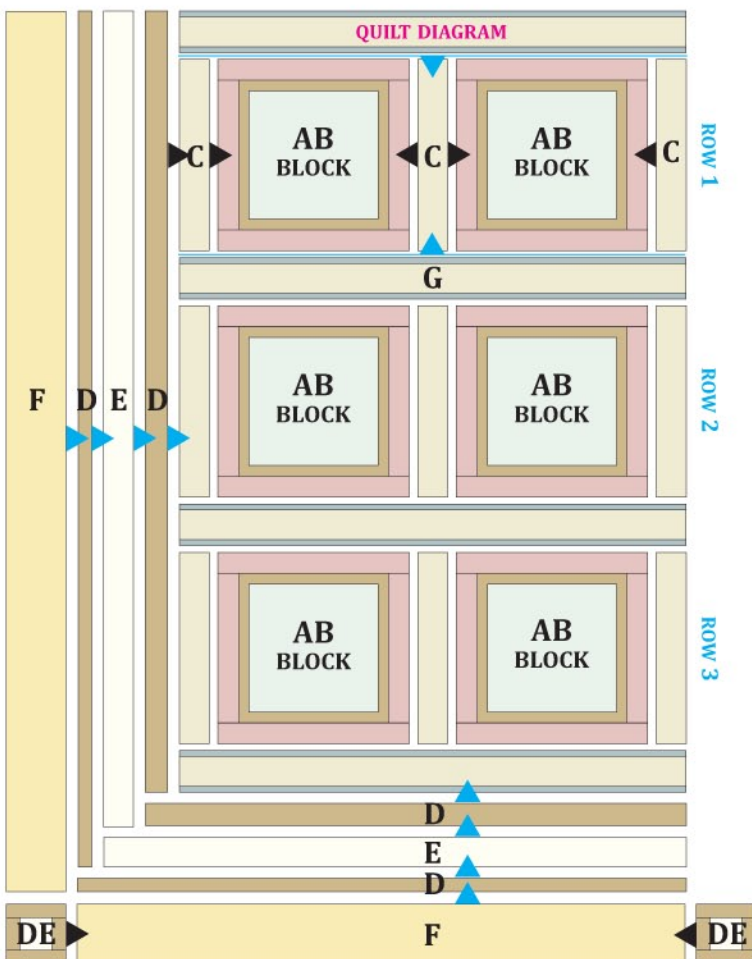
FINISHED SIZE: 61" x 85"

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Fabric for quilters. By quilters.

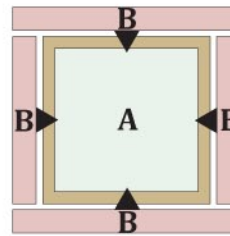
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SAMPLE	KEY/SKU	QTY	CUT
	A Pillow Panel 4110-77 <i>Beige</i>	1 Panel (24")	Using "frame" as guide, fussy cut (6) squares of the FLORAL FRAMES with 1/4" seam allowance. <i>SQUARE BLOCK TO 11-1/2" w x 11-1/4" L.</i>
	B Pin Stripe 4115-99 <i>Multi Pastel</i>	3/4 YD	(12) 2-3/4" x 11-1/4" strips. (12) 2-3/4" x 15-3/4" strips.
	C Floral Banquet 4120-77 <i>Neutral</i>	5/8 YD	(9) 3-1/2" x 15-1/2" strips.
	D Foulard 4118-70 <i>Brown</i>	1-1/2 YD	(6) 2-1/2" x WOF strips. *Subcut (2) 2-1/2" x 63-1/2" strips. (2) 2-1/2" x 43-1/2" strips. (6) 1-1/2" x WOF strips. *Subcut (2) 1-1/2" x 71-1/2" strips. (2) 1-1/2" x 49-1/2" strips. (8) 2" x 3-1/2" rectangles. (8) 2" x 6-1/2" rectangles. (8) 2-1/4" x WOF strips; BINDING.
	E Scroll 4116-77 <i>Beige</i>	2/3 YD	(6) 2-1/2" x WOF strips. *Subcut (2) 2-1/2" x 67-1/2" strips. (2) 2-1/2" x 47-1/2" strips. (4) 3-1/2" squares.
	F Patchwork 4113-77 <i>Neutral</i>	1-1/3 YD	(6) 6-1/2" x WOF strips. *Subcut (2) 6-1/2" x 73-1/2" strips. (2) 6-1/2" x 49-1/2" strips. (4) 3-1/2" squares.
	G Stripe 4112-77 <i>Neutral</i>	1-1/4 YD	FUSSY CUT: USE "BLUE EDGE" AS GUIDE (4) 5" X 39-1/2" strips.

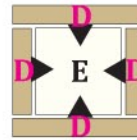
*SEW STRIPS VIA SHORT ENDS, THEN SUBCUT AS INDICATED | WOF=WIDTH OF FABRIC



BLOCK ASSEMBLY



1. AB Block: Take (1) B 2-3/4" x 11-1/4" strip and sew to each side of (1) A 11-1/2" w x 11-1/4" L block. Then sew (1) B 2-3/4" x 15-3/4" strip to top and bottom of AB unit. Square block to 15-1/2". Make 6 AB Blocks.



2. DE CORNERSTONE BLOCKS: Sew (1) D 2" x 3-1/2" strip to each side of (1) E 3-1/2" square. Then sew (1) D 2" x 6-1/2" strip to top and bottom. Square DE block to 6-1/2". Make 4 DE Blocks. Set aside.

ROW ASSEMBLY

3. Take (3) C 3-1/2" X 15-1/2" strips and (2) AB blocks and sew together, alternately, starting with C strip, as shown in *QUILT DIAGRAM*. Make 3 ABC ROWS.

QUILT ASSEMBLY

4. Sew (4) G 5" x 39-1/2" strips and (3) ABC rows together as shown in *QUILT DIAGRAM*. Quilt top measures 39-1/2" x 66-1/2".

BORDER ASSEMBLY

5. BORDER ONE: Sew (1) D 2-1/2" x 63-1/2" strip to each side of quilt top. Then sew (1) D 2-1/2" x 43-1/2" strip to top and bottom.

6. BORDER TWO: Sew (1) E 2-1/2" x 67-1/2" strip to each side of quilt top. Then sew (1) E 2-1/2" x 47-1/2" strip to top and bottom.

7. BORDER THREE: Sew (1) D 1-1/2" x 71-1/2" strip to each side of quilt top. Then sew (1) D 1-1/2" x 49-1/2" strip to top and bottom.

8. BORDER FOUR: Sew (1) F 6-1/2" x 73-1/2" strip to each side of quilt top. Next add (1) DE block to ends of (1) F 6-1/2" x 49-1/2" strip. Make 2 DE-F strips and sew one to top and bottom of quilt top.

FINISHING Cut batting and backing 3" larger than top on all sides. Assemble the quilt sandwich by placing the backing, batting and top together in layers and baste or pin with safety pins. Machine quilt as desired. When quilting is completed, trim excess batting and backing. Bind in the usual manner.

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