

Air Mail 1930's



Fabric by Karen Roti Quilt Design by Rochelle Martin 72" x 96" Pillowcase design by Bonnie Mitchell

Figure 2

Figure 3

Figure 4

Figure 5 (Block A)

Materials

Yardages based on 42" wide fabric

3/4 yd Cream Cancel (Y1103-2)

3/4 yd Multi Stamps (Y1101-2)

13/4 yd Blue Stripe (Y1100-29) inc. pillowcase

2 yd Blue Stamps (Y1102-30) inc. pillowcase

1/2 vd Lt Blue Impressions Sprig (Y1130-29)

1/2 yd Red Stamps (Y1102-4)

1 yd Cream Impressions Sprig (Y1130-2)

1 yd Blue Cancel (Y1103-29)

1/2 yd Khaki Stripe (Y1100-14)

1³/₄ yd Dk Blue Impressions Sprig (Y1130-31)

6 yds Backing of choice

Cut the Fabrics

WOF = Width of Fabric; LOF = Length of Fabric

From Cream Cancel cut:

 $8 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

 $3 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

From Multi Stamps cut:

 $6 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

 $3 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $8 \frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

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From Blue Stripe cut:

8 - 6" x WOF

1 - 12" x 42" (WOF) strip -pillowcase cuff

From Blue Stamps cut:

1 - 26" x 42" (LOF) rectangle –pillowcase body

 $6 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ squares

7 – 6 ½" x 12 ½" rectangles

 $3 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

 $4 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ squares

From Lt Blue Sprig cut:

2 - 8 ½" squares 2 - 4 ½" x 8 ½" rectangles 9 - 4 ½" squares

From Red Stamps cut:

 $1 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " square

 $2 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

 $5 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

From Cream Sprig cut:

 $28 - 6 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

From Blue Cancel cut:

 $5 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

 $9 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

 $7 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

From Khaki Stripe cut:

 $2 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

5 – 4 ½" x 8 ½" rectangles

 $3 - 4 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

From Dk Blue Sprig cut:

 $7 - 2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF (inner border)

 $8 - 2 \frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF (binding)

1 – 2" x WOF strip –pillowcase accent

 $3 - 8 \frac{1}{2}$ " squares

 $7 - 6 \frac{1}{2}$ " x 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ " rectangles

Directions

Prior to starting this project, please check our web site for any updates to this pattern: www.clothworks.com

Assemble Block A

- Pencil a diagonal line from one corner to the opposite corner on the back side of the twenty-eight 6 1/2" Cream Sprig squares as shown in Figure 1.
- Place one 6 ½" square right sides together on the left end of a 6 ½" x 12 ½" Blue Stamp rectangle. Sew on the line and trim the seam allowance to 1/4" as shown in Figure 2. Fully press open the corner.
- Place another 6 1/2" square right sides together on the right end of the Blue Stamp rectangle as shown in Figure 3. Sew on the line, trim the seam allowance to 1/4" and fully press open the corner as shown in Figure 4. Repeat to make 7 Blue Stamp flying geese units.
- Repeat to make 7 Dk Blue Sprig units. 4.
- Sew one Blue Stamp unit to one Dk Blue Sprig unit as shown in Figure 5. Press the 5. center seam towards the Blue Stamp fabric. Repeat to make 7 Block A's.

Sewing Block A and the Patches Together

- Sew the blocks and patches into three long vertical rows; then sew the rows together. Sew together 2 block A's and the patches as shown in Figure 6 for row 1.
- 2. Sew 3 block A's and the patches for row 2 as shown in Figure 7.
- Sew 2 block As and the patches for row 3 as shown in Figure 8. 3.
- Sew rows 1-3 together. Press the quilt top. 4.
- Measure the length of the quilt center and piece and trim two border strips from the Dk Blue Sprig 2 1/2" WOF strips. Sew these border strips to the left and right sides of the quilt center; press. Measure the width of the quilt center; piece and trim two border strips; sew these to the top and bottom edges of the quilt; press. Repeat to add the 6" WOF Blue Stripe strips for the outer border.
- Layer, baste and quilt as desired. Make the binding strips and apply to the quilt.

Make the Pillowcase: Use 1/2" seam allowances

- Fold the accent strip in half lengthwise, wrong sides together; press. Baste with a 1/4" seam allowance to the front side of the pillowcase on the long side on the left, having raw edges even. (Figure 9)
- Place a long edge of the cuff rectangle right sides together with the pillowcase, sandwiching the Accent between the cuff and the pillowcase, having raw edges even. Sew through all layers. Press the seam allowances and the accent toward the cuff. (Figure 10)
- Fold the pillowcase in half, right sides together, matching the accent strips in the side seam. Sew across the bottom end and up the side, leaving the cuff end open. Optional: Zigzag or serge raw edge of seam allowance to prevent fraying (Figure 11). Turn the pillowcase right side out; press. (Figure 12.)
- Press under 1/2" on the long edge of the cuff. Fold the cuff in half, turning the folded edge into the pillowcase 1/8" past the seam line. On the right side, stitch in the ditch of the Accent seam, or slip stitch by hand, covering the seam allowances.





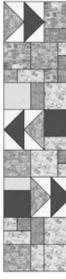




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Figure 8



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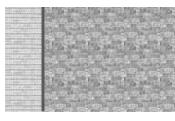


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