14. Sew (3) Block Two squares and (2) Block One squares together, alternating them, to make Row Two. Repeat to make Row Four and Row Six.
15. Sew the (6) Rows together, in numerical order to make the Center Block.
BORDER ASSEMBLY MEASURE WIDTH AND LENGTH OF THE QUILT TOP TO ENSURE J AND K BORDER SIZES, BELOW ARE OUR CUTTING SIZES
16. Sew (1) J $2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times\left(72-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}\right)$ strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) J 2-1/2" x (64-1/2") strips to the top and bottom of Center Block.
17. Center K 8-1/2" $x$ ( $96^{\prime \prime}$ ) strip on (1) side of the Center Block and pin in place. Start sewing the strip a $1 / 4$ " from the top edge of the block and stop a $1 / 4$ " from the bottom edge. DO NOT TRIM THE EXCESS. Repeat with the opposite side.
18. Repeat Step $\mathbf{1 7}$ to sew $\mathbf{K} 8-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{x}\left(84^{\prime \prime}\right)$ strip to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block, making sure to stop and start $1 / 4$ " away from each end of the block. To miter each corner, fold the Center Block on a diagonal, wrong side together. This should line up the strips from adjacent sides.
19. Starting at the sewn seam (represented by the arrow in the below), draw a 45-degree line to the edge of the fabric. Sew on the drawn line. Trim the excess fabric leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam. Repeat this step with the remaining corners to make the quilt top.

FINISHING Cut batting and backing 3" larger than top on all sides. Layer backing, batting and top together and baste or pin. When quilting is completed, trim excess batting and backing. Bind as usual

FINISHED SIZE: 80" x 92"

## Quilt Diagram




## Floral Radiance



- BY HEIDI PRIDEMORE
- FINISHED SIZE: 80" X 92"
- PATTERN AVAILABLE IN JULY 2020 at www.benartex.com

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BLOCK ASSEMBLY PROJECT USES PRECISE 1/4" SEAMS. TEST YOUR SEAM ALLOWANCE BY CUTTING (2) 2-1/2"X 5" RECTANGLES. STITCH THEM TOGETHER ALONG THE 5" LENGTH. AT THE MIDPOINT, MEASURE ACROSS THE UNI IT SHOULD BE EXACTLY 4-1/2" WIDE. IF
YOUR SEAM ALLOWANCF AND REPEAT

## Block Assembly

1. Place (1) B $3-3 / 8$ " square on top of (1) E $3-3 / 8$ " square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from each side of the drawn diagonal line. Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line to make (2) half-square triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 3" square to make (2) Unit 1 squares. Repeat to make (60) Unit 1 squares total.

2. Place (1) F $2-3 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ square on top of (1) G 2-3/8" square, right sides together. Draw a line across the diagonal of the top square. Sew $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from each ide of the drawn diagonal line. Cut the (2) squares apart on the drawn diagonal line to make (2) halfsquare triangles. Trim the half-square triangles to measure 2" square to make (2) Unit 2 squares. Repeat to make (120) Unit 2 Unit 2 squares total.
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3. Sew (1) Unit 2 square to the left end of (1) $\mathbf{F}$ 2 " x 3" strip to make the top row. Sew (1) F 2" x 3" strip to the left side of (1) Unit 1

Unit 3 square to make the bottom row. Sew the (2) rows together engthwise to make (1) Unit 3 square. The square should measure $41 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ square. Repeat to make (60) Unit 3 squares total.

4. Place (1) D $2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ square on the top half of (1) C $2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strip, right sides together aligning the tops of the fabrics. Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner. Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance.

5. Place (1) B $2-1 / 2$ " square on the bottom half of the C $2-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ x $4-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strip, right sides together aligning the bottoms of the fabrics. Sew across the diagonal of the square from the upper left corner to the lower right corner. Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle, leaving a $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ seam allowance to make (1) Unit 4 strip.
6. Repeat Steps $\mathbf{4 - 5}$ and refer to the diagram for fabric identification, placement and seam direction to make (60) Unit 5 strips.

7. Sew (1) Unit 4 strip to the left side of (1) Unit 5 strip lengthwise to make (1) Unit 6 square. Repeat to make (60) Unit 6 squares total.

8. Sew (1) Unit 3 square to each side of (1) Unit 6 square to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) Unit 6 square to each side of (1) A $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " square to make the middle row. Sew the (3) rows together to make (1) Block One square. Repeat to make (15) Block One squares total.

Block One

9. Place (1) I 3" square on the top left corner of (1) H 9-1/2" square, right sides together. Sew across the diagonal of the smaller square from the upper right corner to the lower left corner. Flip open the triangle formed and press. Trim away the excess fabric from behind the triangle $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ away from the sewn seam.

10. Follow the diagram below for the seam direction to add (1) I 3" square to each of the remaining corners of the $\mathbf{H} 9-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ square to make (1) Unit 7 square.
11. Repeat Steps 9-10 to make (15) Unit $\mathbf{7}$ squares total.

Unit 7

12. Sew (1) Unit 2 square to each end of (1) B 2 " $\times 9-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strip to make the top row. Repeat to make the bottom row. Sew (1) B 2 " $\times 9-1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ strip to each side of (1) Unit 7 square to make the middle row. Sew the (3) rows together to make (1) Block Two square. Repeat to make (15) Block Two squares total.

Block Two


## Quilt Assembly

13. Sew (3) Block One squares and (2) Block Two squares together, alternating them, to make Row One. Repeat to make Row Three and Row Five.
