"Flying Free"

Designed by Jean Katherine Smith and Sue Pickering Featuring the Freedom collection by Whistler Studios Finished Size: 52 x 52"



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Fabric Picture	Quantity	Fabric Number	Placement of Fabric	Cutting
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	1/2 yard	38904-X Multi	Border Blocks	Cut 4 - 7" x 10 ½" Cut 4 - 7" squares
	5/8 yard	38905-X Multi	Outer Border	Cut 5 - 3 ½" strips. Make into 2 - 3 ½" x 46 ½" and 2 - 3 ½" x 52 ½"
	1/4 yard	38907-2 Navy	Flag Block	Cut one strip 4 inches. Recut 8 - 4" x 4 ½"
	1/4 yards	38907-3 Red	Border	Cut 4 - 2" strips. Make into 2 - 2" x 27 ½" and 2 - 2" x 30 ½ "
	1/2 yard	38908-1 Cream	Flag Block	Cut 12 - 1" strips.
	1 1/8 yard	38908-2 Navy	First Border Fourth Border Binding	Cut 3 – 4" strips. Make into 2 – 4" x 20 ½" and 2 - 4" x 27½". Cut 5 – 2" strips. Make into 2 – 2" x 43 ½" and 2 - 2" x 46 ½" Cut 6 – 2 ¼" strips for binding.
	1/2 yard	38908-3 Red	Flag Block	Cut 14 - 1" strips.



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Additional Material Needed:

- 58" x 58" Quilt Backing approximately 3 ¼ yards.
- 58" x 58" Quilt Batting

Making the Quilt

- 1. First Border: Sew blue 4" x 20 ½" strips to sides of panel. Press out. Sew blue 4" x 27½" strips to top and bottom of panel. Press out.
- 2. Second Border: Sew red star fabric 2" x 27 ½" strips to sides. Press toward blue strip. Sew red star 2" x 30 ½ " strips to top and bottom. Press toward blue strip.

Making Flag Block Finished Flag Bock size is 10 ½" x 6 ½". Make 8.



- a. For the bottom part of the flag make 3 Strip Sets consisting of alternating 3 red and 3 white strips. Press seams toward the red fabrics.
- b. Cut $8 10 \frac{1}{2}$ " pieces from the Strip Sets. Cut 3 pieces from two Strip Sets and 2 pieces from the third Strip Set. You should have about a 20" piece left.
- c. Add a red strip to the 20" piece. Cut $3 6 \frac{1}{2}$ " pieces.
- d. Make one more Strip Set using 4 red and 3 white. Press seams toward red fabrics. Cut 5 $6\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces for a total of 8 $6\frac{1}{2}$ " pieces.
- e. Sew the 8 blue star rectangles to the $8-6\frac{1}{2}$ " striped pieces. This is the top half of flag.
- f. Sew the top half flag to the $8-10 \frac{1}{2}$ " striped pieces, making sure the stripes continue to alternate.
- Sew two Flag Blocks to an eagle fabric rectangle. Make four sets. Sew two of these sets to
 the sides of quilt. Add eagle corner squares to the remaining two sets. Sew to top and
 bottom of quilt. Press seams toward red star border. Make sure all flags are shown in
 picture.
- 4. Add the shorter narrow blue borders to sides of quilt. Press. Add the other two borders to top and bottom of quilt.
- 5. Add flag borders in the same way. Make sure they are right side up.
- 6. Make quilt sandwich. Quilt as desired. Add binding

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