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# American Valor Fabrics Collection

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66" x 81"

 **MARCUS** Fabrics.

1911 celebrating 100 years 2011

## FABRIC REQUIREMENTS & CUTTING GUIDE

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**Panel** 3556-0110 **1 panel**



**Red & Cream Floral** 3558-0129 **1 FQ**



**Navy Dot** 3559-0110 **1 FQ**



**Medium Blue Stars** 3560-01103 **1/2 yard**



**Cream Stars** 3561-0142 **5/8 yard**



**Navy Texture** 3562-0110 **1 ¼ yds**



**Red Texture** 3562-0111 **1 ¼ yds**



**Beige Texture** 3562-0142 **1 ½ yds**



**Strip-It** 3557-0110 **1 ½ yds**



**Backing** 3563-0110 **5 yds**

### Partial Panel Trimming Guide



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## Cutting Directions

### From the Panel Fabric,

Trim one panel  
(see *Partial Panel Trimming Guide Diagram*, Page 2)

### From the Red & Cream Stars, cut:

2 (2-3/8" x 20") strips  
12 (3" x 3") C squares

### From the Navy Dot, cut:

2 (2-3/8" x 20") strips  
8 (3" x 3") C squares

### From the Medium Blue Stars, cut:

4 (2-3/8" X WOF) strips, then recut into:  
64 (2-3/8" x 2-3/8") A squares

### From the Cream Stars, cut:

2 (1 3/4" x WOF) side border strips  
2 (2-3/8" x WOF) strips, recut into 32 (2-3/8" x 2-3/8") A squares  
2 (4 1/4" x WOF) strips, recut into 32 (2-3/8" x 4 1/4") B rectangles

### From the Navy Texture, cut:

11 (3" x WOF) strips. Piece end-to-end, then recut into,  
2 (3" x 46 1/2") side borders  
2 (3" x 37") top/bottom borders  
2 (3" x 52") top/bottom borders  
2 (3" x 66 1/2") side borders

### From the Red Texture, cut:

4 (4" x WOF) borders  
8 (2 1/2" x WOF) strips, pieced end-to-end for double fold binding

**Note: "WOF" = Width of Fabric**

### From the Beige Texture, cut:

7 (5 1/2" x WOF) strips. Piece end-to-end, then recut into,  
2 (5 1/2" x 57") borders  
2 (5 1/2" x 71 1/2") borders

### From the Stripe, cut: (see *Stripe Cutting Tip*)

1 (15" x WOF) strip, recut into:  
4 (8" x 15") rectangles  
1 (22 1/4" X WOF) strip, recut into:  
4 (8" x 22 1/4") rectangles

### From the Backing, cut:

2 (90" x WOF) panels

### Stripe Cutting Tip

The width of the stripe strips that you'll be cutting is 8". Because the stripes are 2 1/2" wide, that means that you'll be cutting 1/4" beyond the edge of three stripes. Center a light stripe in the middle.



## Sewing Directions

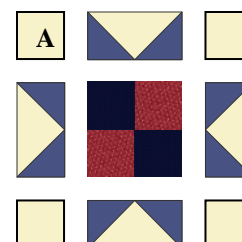
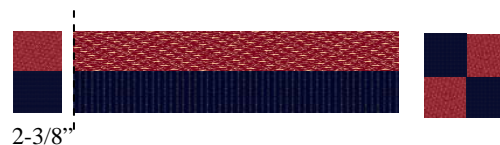
### Pieced Star Block (finished size 7 1/2")

1. Sew together a red & cream floral 2-3/8" x 20" strip and a navy dot 2-3/8" x 20" strip. Press seam toward the navy dot fabric. Repeat with the remaining strips. Cross-cut strips into 16 (2-3/8") wide segments.

2. Sew together the segments into a four-patch, as shown. Make total of 8.

3. To make a flying geese unit, lay a medium blue stars fabric (A) square on top of a cream stars fabric (B) rectangle, right sides together. Draw a seam line diagonally from corner to corner of the small square. Sew on the line. Trim seam allowance to 1/4" and press open. Repeat stitch and flip method, by placing an (A) square on the right hand side of the (B) rectangle. Make a total of thirty-two flying geese units.

4. Arrange the block patches as shown. Sew together in rows, then sew together the rows. Make a total of 8 blocks.



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## Border Four-Patch

5. Join the navy dot (C) 3" squares and the red & cream floral (C) 3" square to make 4 four-patch blocks. Set aside for borders.

## Quilt Assembly

6. Measure height of panel. Trim the (1 3/4" x WOF) cream stars border strips AND two of the red texture 4" wide strips to this length. First, sew the cream star border strips to the sides of the center panel. Press seams open. Then, sew the red texture border to the sides, pressing seams away from the center of the quilt.

Measure the width of the quilt. Trim the remaining two (4" x WOF) red texture strips to this length. Sew to top/bottom of quilt, again pressing seams away from the center of the quilt.

7. Trim the quilt so that it measures 32" wide and 46 1/2" high.

8. Sew the 46 1/2" long navy texture border to quilt sides and the 37" long borders to the top/bottom, pressing all seams toward outside edge of quilt.

9. To make the side stars and stripes borders, sew together two pieced stars alternately with 2 (22 1/4") long stripe rectangles. Press seams toward stripe fabric. Make a total of two. These borders will be attached using a "partial seam" in order to achieve an overlapping look. Begin sewing at the end with the pieced star, aligning the border with the edge of the quilt. Stitch the seam, stopping approximately 5" from the end of the quilt top.

10. To make the top/bottom stars and stripes borders, sew together two pieced stars alternately with 2 (15") long stripe rectangles. Press seams toward stripe fabric. Attach these borders to the top and bottom of the quilt.

11. Finish sewing the seams on the side stars and stripe borders.

12. Add 66 1/2" long navy texture borders to sides. Sew a red & cream floral (C) square to both ends of the remaining navy texture borders. Add to top and bottom of quilt, pressing all seams toward outside edge.

13. Sew long beige texture borders to sides. Sew the four-patch border blocks to ends of remaining beige texture borders, noting orientation of four-patch blocks. Add to top and bottom of quilt, pressing all seams inward toward navy borders.

## Finishing

14. Layer top, batting, and backing. Quilt as desired. Bind with the red texture fabric.



**Quilt Assembly Diagram**