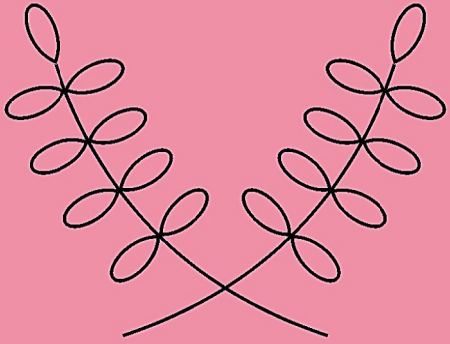


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Elephant & Castle



70" x 75" approx.

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This is a scrappy quilt with an effective Zig Zag border that develops by using 2 fabrics and putting the Turquoise on the left side of the block and the Pink on the right side. By staggering the vertical rows and rotating half the blocks the Zig Zag appears!

Read all instructions through first carefully. Press all seams with a dry iron.
All seam allowances are $\frac{1}{4}$ " unless stated.

The Stars – 36 Full Stars and 6 Half Stars

Split your fabrics into background fabrics and Star colour fabrics

Cut from the Background fabrics

Per 1 Full Star (36)

1 x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " background then into 4 **quarter** square triangles

4 x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " backgrounds

Per 2 Half Stars (6)

2 x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x $2\frac{1}{2}$ " backgrounds

1 x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " x $5\frac{1}{4}$ " background then into 4 **quarter** square triangles

2 x $2\frac{7}{8}$ " x $2\frac{7}{8}$ " backgrounds then into 4 **half** square triangles

Cut from the Colour fabrics

Per 1 Full Star (36)

1 x 4 1/2" x 4 1/2" square

4 x 2 7/8" x 2 7/8" then into 8 **half** square triangles

Per 2 Half Stars (6)

1 x 4 7/8" x 4 7/8" then into 2 **half** square triangles

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Cut from each of the Zig Zag fabric

39 x 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" then into 2 **half** square triangles yielding 78 triangles each.

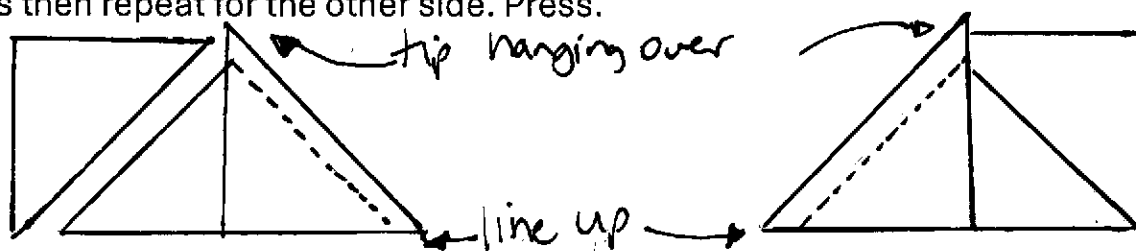
Set these aside for now

Making Stars

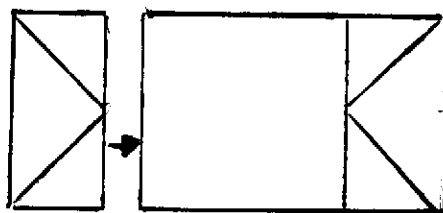
To make 1 Star

Create 4 flying geese units by adding a small colour triangle to either side of a large background triangle. Note - Always line up the first triangle straight along the bottom and the tip of the coloured triangle hangs out.

Press then repeat for the other side. Press.



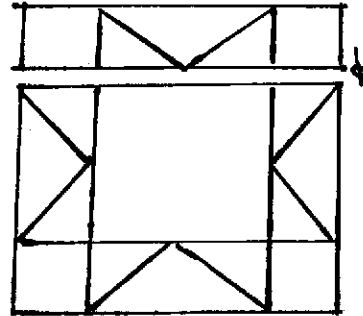
Join 2 units to each side of a large coloured square. Press.



Add a background square to either side of the remaining 2 units.

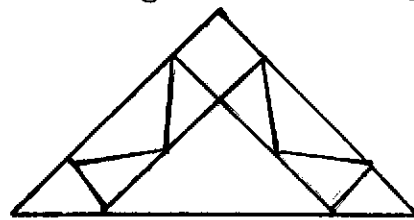
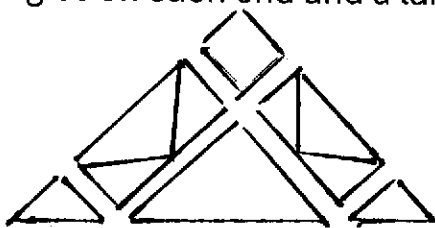


Join these to the top and bottom of the centre unit



Repeat to make 36 Stars.

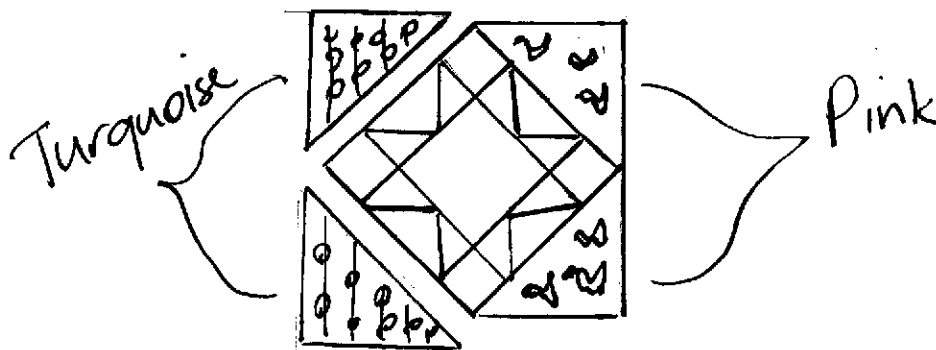
Make the Half Stars in the same manner but with 2 flying geese units, triangles on each end and a large coloured triangle. Make 6 Half Stars.



Zig Zag Triangles

Take your stack of Stars and identify any that have a directional centre fabric and split the into 2 piles as later some of these blocks will be rotated upside down.

Take all the nondirectional Stars, all the Half Stars and half any that are directional and add 2 pink Pheasant Fabric Triangles to the right side of each Star one triangle at a time. Then add 2 Claire Turquoise Triangles to the left side of each Star one triangle at a time. Press.



Turn the remaining directional Stars upside down then add the triangles the same way.

Press all the blocks.

Assembly

Lay the stars out and arrange the Star colours in 6 vertical rows of 6 Stars.
*See cover and lay out diagram.

Row 1, 3 & 5 starts with 6 Stars with the Turquoise all on the left side and a Half Star at the bottom.

Row 2, 4 & 6 have 6 rotated blocks making the Pink fabric on the left and a Half Star at the top.

**Each row has a half Star at either the top or the bottom. Half the Stars will need to be rotated upside down.

Press well.

Ric Rac Edging

I have added a jumbo Ric Rac edging all around by sewing it on the machine on the top of the quilt top before I sandwich it together and quilt it. Fold it back and press the Ric Rac, this will become the binding.

Now sandwich your wadding and backing together and quilt.

Trim wadding to exact size and trim the backing a ¼" seam allowance, turn under and hand sew down.

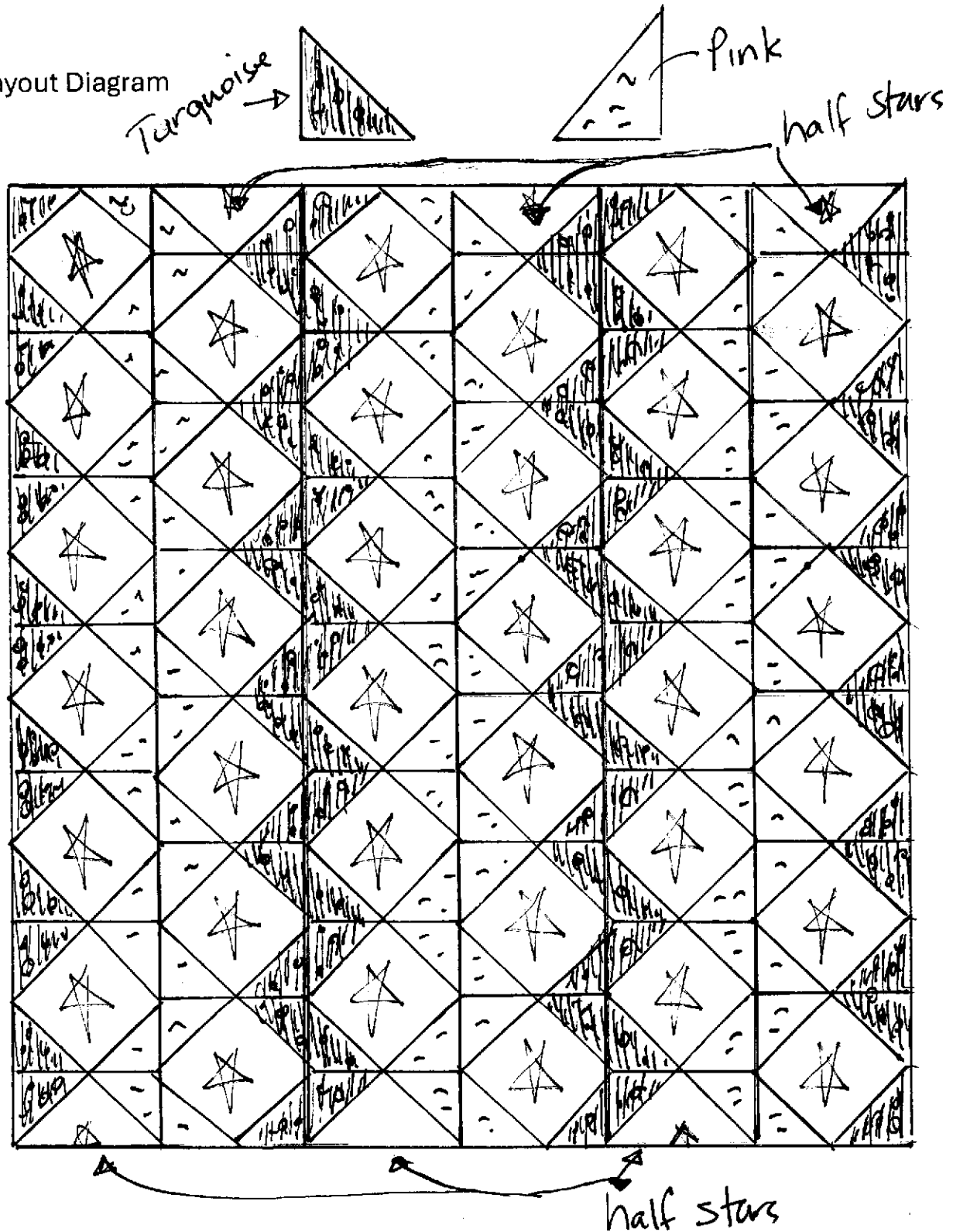
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Layout Diagram



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FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

1.4mtrs Pink Pheasant Fabric DV7703

1.4mtrs Turquoise Claire Fabric DV7716

1 x Fat Quarter Bundle Elephant & Castle

8mtrs Turquoise Ric Rac edging DVRR 006

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