

Sweet Liberty

Fabric Collection by **Pat Sloan**

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Liberty Stars quilt by Pat Sloan
Size: 58" square



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Quilt by Pat Sloan using her *Sweet Liberty* fabric collection from P&B Textiles

Size: 59" square • Finished Block: 16"

Yardage Requirements

SLIB-307N	Navy Main Print for outer border	1 1/4 yards
SLIB-308N	Navy Stars for pieced border	3/4 yard
SLIB-308R	Red Stars for blocks & binding	1 1/8 yards
SLIB-309E	Cream Words for blocks	3/4 yard
SLIB-309X	Gold Words for blocks	1/2 yard
SLIB-310N	Navy Fireworks for blocks	3/8 yard
SLIB-310R	Red Fireworks for for pieced border	3/4 yard
SLIB-311N	Navy Stripe for inner border	3/8 yard
SLIB-311R	Red Stripe for blocks	1/4 yard
BACKING:	Any <i>Sweet Liberty</i> fabric	3 3/4 yards

Cutting All strips are cut across the width of fabric (wof)

Cream Words, cut:

- (2) 5 1/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (9) 5 1/4" squares
- (5) 2 1/2" x wof strips; crosscut into (72) 2 1/2" squares

Red Stars, cut:

- (3) 5 1/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (18) 5 1/4" squares
- (7) 2 1/2" x wof binding strips

Navy Fireworks, cut:

- (2) 5 1/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (9) 5 1/4" squares

Gold Words, cut:

- (5) 2 1/2" x wof strips; crosscut into (72) 2 1/2" squares

Red Stripe, cut:

- (3) 2 1/2" x wof strips; crosscut into (36) 2 1/2" squares

Navy Stripe, cut:

- (2) 2 1/2" x 36 1/2" border strips
- (2) 2 1/2" x 40 1/2" border strips

Red Fireworks, cut:

- (3) 5 1/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (20) 5 1/4" squares
- (2) 5" squares

Navy Stars, cut:

- (3) 5 1/4" x wof strips; crosscut into (20) 5 1/4" squares
- (2) 5" squares

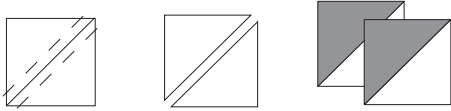
Navy Main Print, cut:

- (7) 5 1/2" x wof border strips

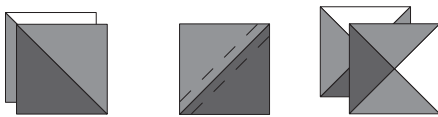
Star Block Assembly

1. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each $5\frac{1}{4}$ " Cream Words square. Place each marked square right sides together with a $5\frac{1}{4}$ " Red Stars square. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " from each side of the drawn line. Cut the squares apart on the drawn diagonal line to make two half-square-triangle units. Press the seam allowances toward the red triangles. Make 18 cream/red half-square-triangle units each measuring $4\frac{7}{8}$ " square.

2. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of each $5\frac{1}{4}$ " Navy Fireworks square. Place each marked square right sides together with a remaining Red Stars square. In the same manner as step 1; sew, cut and press to make 18 blue/red half-square-triangle units.



3. Place a navy/red half-square-triangle unit and a cream/red half-square-triangle unit, right sides together, so that the navy triangle is on top of the red triangle and the seams are nesting. Draw a diagonal line on the wrong side of the top unit so that it crosses the sewn seam as shown. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " from both sides of the drawn line. Cut on the drawn line to make two quarter-square-triangle units. Make 36 quarter-square-triangle units each measuring $4\frac{1}{2}$ " square.



4. Sew together two $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Cream Words squares and two Gold Words squares to make a four-patch unit. Make 36 units.

5. Lay out four $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Red Stripe squares as shown in the photo. Sew the squares together to make a four-patch unit. Make nine Red Stripe center units.

6. Lay out four units from step 3, four units from step 4, and one unit from step 5 in a nine-patch arrangement as shown in the photo. Sew the units together into rows and press the seam allowances toward the four-patch units. Sew the rows together to complete a Star block. Make nine star blocks.

Quilt Top Assembly

7. Join the Star blocks in three rows of three blocks each and then join the rows. The quilt top should measure $36\frac{1}{2}$ " square.

8. Sew a $36\frac{1}{2}$ "-long strip of Navy Stripe to each side of the quilt top. Then sew a $40\frac{1}{2}$ " strip of Navy Stripe to the top and bottom of the quilt top.

9. To make the pieced border, using the $5\frac{1}{4}$ " Red Fireworks squares and the $5\frac{1}{4}$ " Navy Stars squares, repeat steps 1 and 3 to make 40 red/navy quarter-square-triangle units.

10. Repeat step 1, pairing 5" Red Fireworks squares and 5" Navy Stars squares to make four half-square-triangle units for the corners of the pieced border.

11. Sew together ten red/navy units from step 9 to make a border strip, as shown in the photo. Make four border strips.

12. Sew a border strip to opposite sides of the quilt top. Sew a unit from step 10 to both ends of the two remaining border strips and then sew them to the quilt top, referring to the photo as needed.

13. Sew the $5\frac{1}{2}$ "-wide Navy Main Floral strips together end to end. From the strip, cut two $48\frac{1}{2}$ "-long strips and sew them to the sides of the quilt top. Then cut two $58\frac{1}{2}$ "-long strips and sew the top and bottom of the quilt top.

14. Layer the quilt with batting and backing; baste. Quilt as desired and bind the edges to finish.