

TRIBUTE



Fabric Collection by **Pat Sloan**



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YARDAGES

TRIB 670 B (main floral-navy)	1/4 yd
TRIB 670 LB (main floral-denim)	1/4 yd
TRIB 672 N (paisley-navy)	1/4 yd
TRIB 672 R (paisley-red)	1/3 yd
TRIB 673 LB (polka dot stars-denim)	1 1/4 yds
TRIB 674 N (stripe-navy)	1/4 yd
TRIB 675 N (shooting star-navy)	1 1/4 yds
TRIB 676 E (plaid-ecru)	1 Fat quarter
TRIB 677 N (tiny stars-navy)	1/4 yd
TRIB 677 R (tiny stars-red)	1 1/8 yd
TRIB 677 E (tiny stars-ecru)	1 1/2 yds
LTEX 770YG (green tone-on-tone)	1 Fat quarter
BACKING: Any <i>Tribute</i> fabric	3 1/2 yds
FUSIBLE WEB:	2 3/4 yds

CUTTING

Tiny stars-ecru, cut:

- (1) 16 1/2" square
- (20) 7 1/2" squares

Polka dot stars-denim, cut:

- (56) 2 1/2" x 7 1/2" sashing strips

Tiny stars-red, cut:

- (36) 2 1/2" squares 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"
- (6) 2 1/2" x width of fabric binding strips

Shooting star-navy, cut:

- (4) 10 1/2" squares; cut in half diagonally to yield (8) side setting triangles*
- (2) 19 1/2" squares; cut in half diagonally to yield (4) corner triangles*

*The setting triangles are oversized to make cutting and piecing easier. Spray the squares with starch before cutting in half diagonally to keep the bias edges from stretching while you work with the triangles.

APPLIQUÉ

Following the manufacturer's instructions, use the templates to trace the shapes onto the paper side of the fusible web. Roughly cut out each shape about an 1/8" outside the drawn lines. Press each fusible template onto the wrong side of the fabrics listed below. Cut out each shape on the drawn lines.

Main floral-navy, cut:

- 3 baskets
- 3 basket handles

Main floral-denim, cut:

- 3 baskets
- 3 basket handles

Paisley-navy, cut:

- 3 baskets
- 3 basket handles

Paisley-red, cut:

- 4 flowers
- 1 heart
- 3 baskets
- 3 basket handles

Stripe-navy, cut:

- 4 baskets
- 4 basket handles

Plaid-ecru, cut:

- 8 large circles

Tiny stars-navy, cut:

- 4 baskets
- 4 basket handles

Tiny stars-red, cut:

- 4 flowers

Polka dot stars-denim, cut:

- 8 small circles

Green tone-on-tone, cut:

- 20 leaves
- 4 stems

APPLIQUÉING THE BLOCKS

1. Making sure to position the 7 1/2" tiny stars-ecru square on point, center a basket and a matching handle on each square and then appliqué the pieces in place. Make 20 basket blocks.

2. Referring to the quilt photo, position four flowers, four large circles, and four small circles on the 16 1/2" tiny stars-ecru square, be sure the square is positioned on point. Position the stems, tucking the ends under the flowers; then position the four leaves on the inside of the wreath. (The outside leaves will be appliquéd after the top is assembled.) Lastly, position the heart in the center of the square. Appliqué all of the pieces in place.

ASSEMBLING THE QUILT

3. Referring to the quilt photo and the assembly diagram, lay out the basket blocks, center block, polka dot stars-denim sashing strips, and tiny stars-red squares as shown.

4. Join the sashing strips and red squares to make sashing rows.

5. Join the basket blocks and sashing strips to make block rows.

6. Sew together the sashing rows, blocks rows, and shooting star-navy side setting triangles as shown in the assembly diagram. You'll have two sections with six basket blocks in each section.

7. For the center section, join the block rows and sashing rows to make a four-block section. Make two of these sections and sew them to opposite sides of the center block. Then add sashing rows to complete the center section.

8. Join the sections from step 6 to opposite sides of the section from step 7. Add the shooting star-navy corner triangles to complete the quilt top.

9. Appliqué eight outer leaves onto the center block as shown in the photo.

10. Position two leaves, one flower, one large circle, and one small circle on each corner triangle; appliqué in place. Remember that the triangles are sized too large, and position the flowers accordingly.

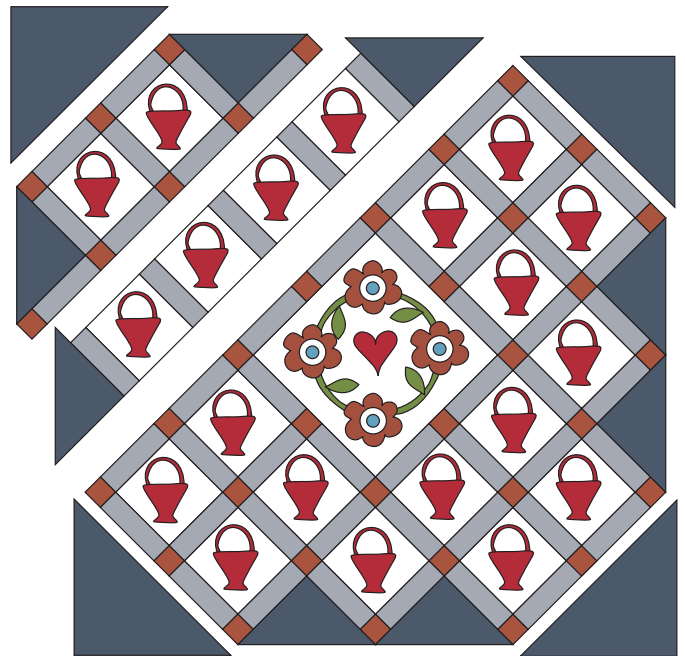
11. The setting triangles are oversized to make assembly easier. Trim and square up the quilt top, making sure to leave at least 1/4" beyond the points of the red squares for seam allowances. If you want the blocks to float so they don't touch the binding, you can make the seam allowances a bit wider.

FINISHING

12. Layer the quilt top with batting and backing; baste.

13. Quilt as desired. Pat's quilt has small meandering on the cream blocks, and larger meandering on the navy. All of the appliqué is outline quilted. Straight lines are quilted inside the light blue sashing. All of the baskets have a flower quilted in them just like the appliqué flowers.

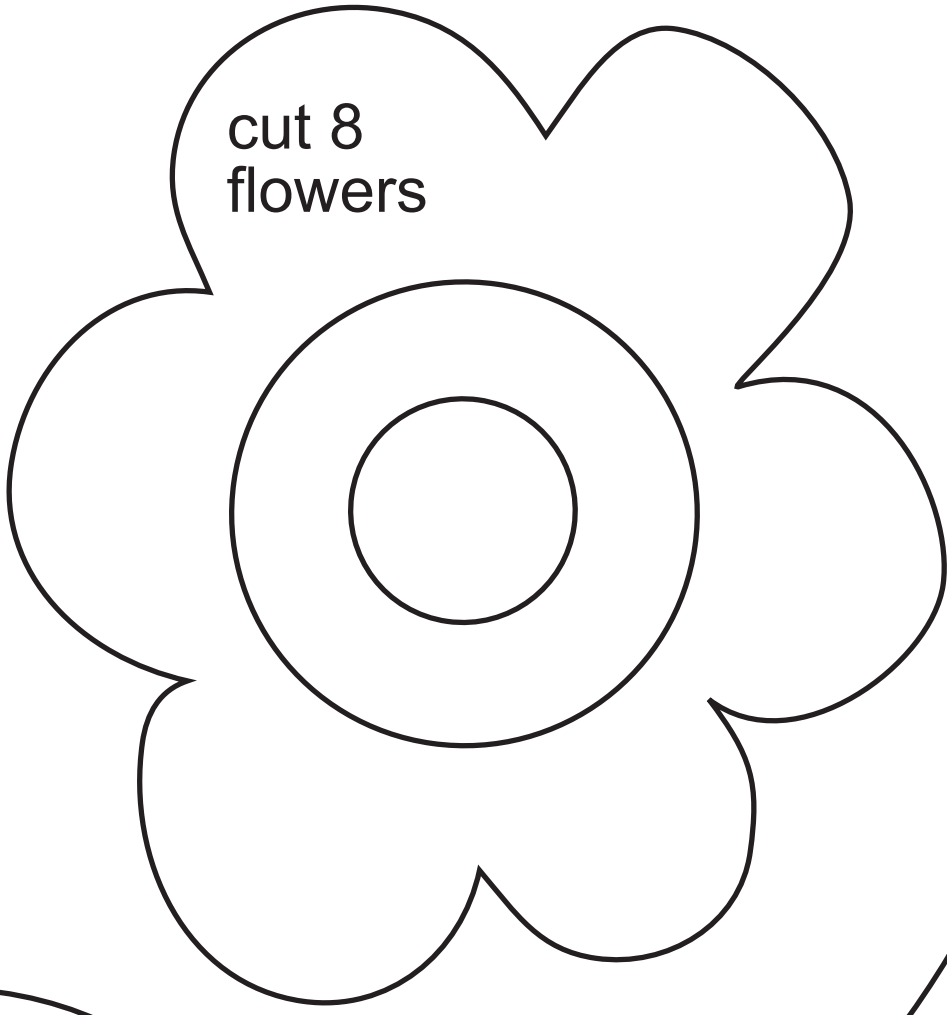
14. Bind the edges. Add a label and enjoy!



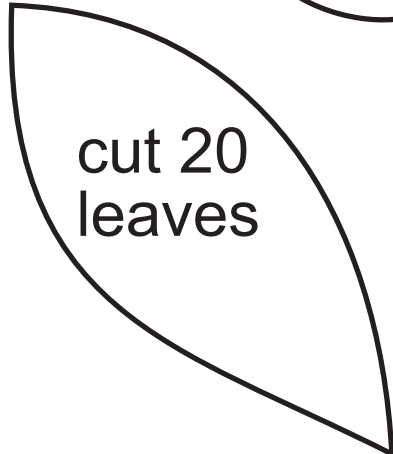
ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM

cut 8 small and
8 large dots

cut 8
flowers

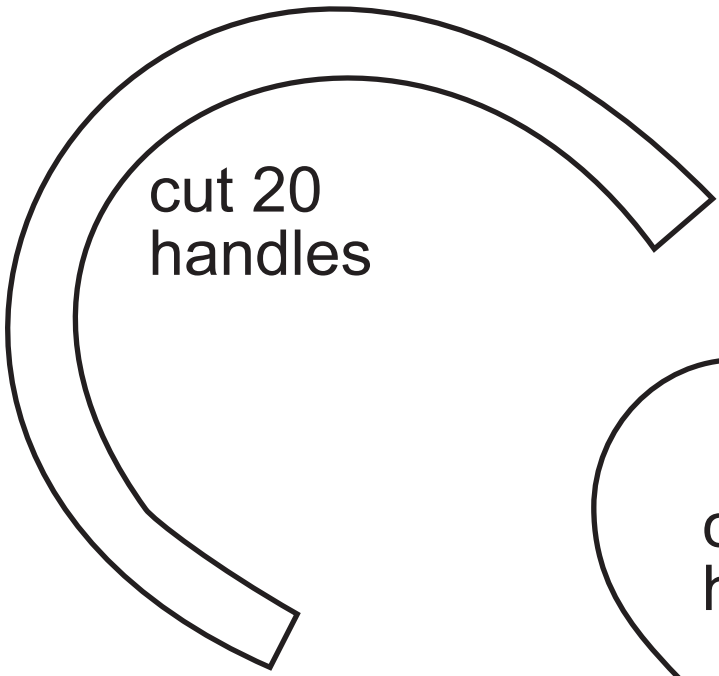


cut 20
leaves

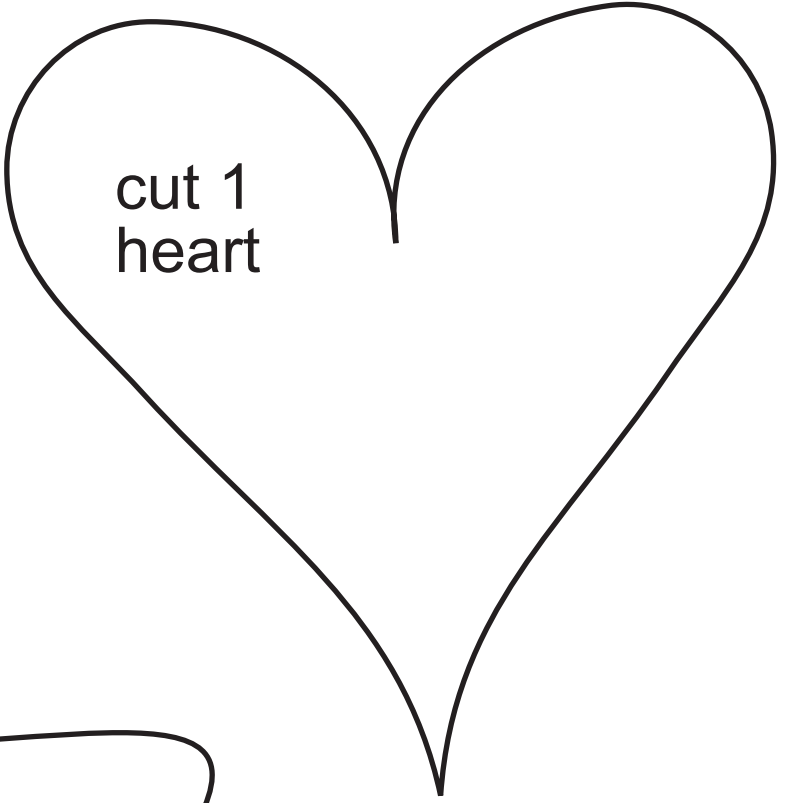


cut 4
stems

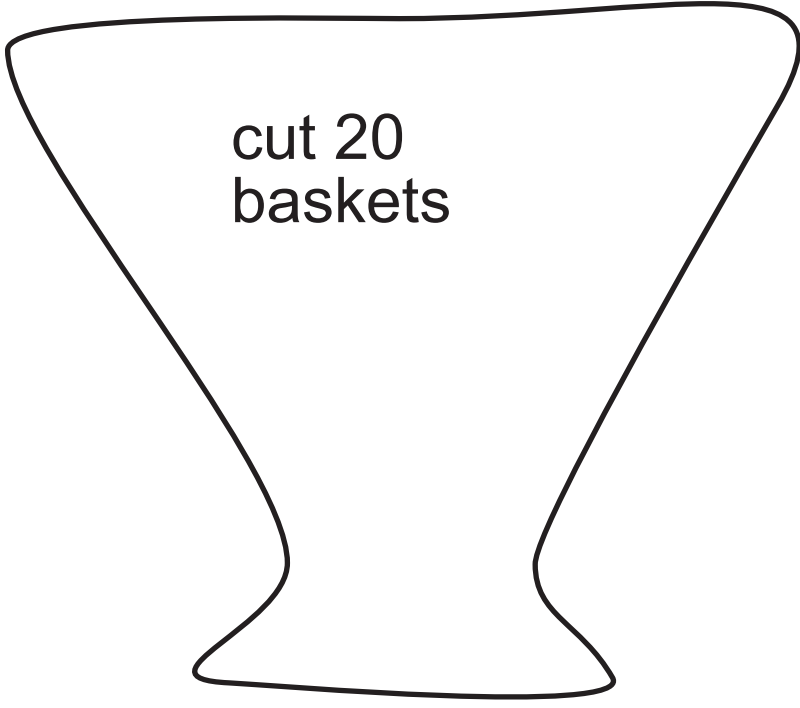




cut 20
handles



cut 1
heart



cut 20
baskets