

## Bohemian Blues <br> by JUDY AND JUDEL NIEMEYER

Changing Tides
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## Fabric Requirements

13/4 yards JN-C5773 Tan
1 yard JN-C5771 Royal
7/8 yard JN-C5770 Coffee
7/8 yard JN-C5774 Aqua
3/4 yard JN-C4069 Latte
5/8 yard JN-C4062 Ice
5/8 yard JN-C5769 Stone
1/2 yard JN-C5768 Cloud
3/8 yard JN-C4062 Oat
1/3 yard JN-C4059 Sky
2/3 yard JN-C5770 Storm
$2^{1 / 4}$ yards JN-C4069 Mystic (includes 5/8 yard for binding)
6 yards Bohemian Blues backing fabric of your choice 83" $\times 107^{\prime \prime}$ batting

## Cutting

From JN-C5773 Tan:

- Cut three $11^{1 / 21} \times$ x width-of-fabric (WOF) strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 22^{\prime \prime}} \times 11^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.
- Cut five $2^{1 / 21}$ x WOF strips. Sub-cut thirty-five $2^{1 / 2 " 1}$ squares.
- Cut eight $1^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF inner border strips.

From JN-C5771 Royal:

- Cut three $10^{1 / 2 " 1} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 10^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.


## From JN-C5770 Coffee:

- Cut three $9^{1 / 21} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 2^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.


## From JN-C5774 Aqua:

- Cut three $8^{1 / 21} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 2^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.
From JN-C4069 Latte:
- Cut three $7^{1 / 21} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21 " x} 7^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.
From JN-C4062 Ice:
- Cut three $6^{1 / 21} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 6^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.


## From JN-C5769 Stone:

- Cut three $5^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 5^{1 / 21}$ strips.

From JN-C5768 Cloud:

- Cut three $4^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 4^{1 / 21}$ strips.
From JN-C4062 Oat:
- Cut three $3^{11 / 211} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 3^{1 / 2 "}$ strips.
From JN-C4059 Sky:
- Cut three $2^{11 / 2 " 1} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut seventy $1^{1 / 21} \times 2^{1 / 211}$ rectangles.

From JN-C5770 Storm:

- Cut thirteen $1^{1 / 21} \times$ WOF strips. Sub-cut (350) 1 $1 / 2$ " squares.
From JN-C4069 Mystic:
- Cut nine $6^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime} \times$ WOF outer border strips.
- Cut nine $2^{1 / 14^{\prime \prime}} \times$ WOF strips for binding.


## Block Construction

All seam allowances are ${ }^{1 / 4 "}$ "and pieces are sewn right sides together. Press all seams in the direction of the arrows.

1. Sew a $1 \frac{1}{1 / 2}$ " $C 5770$ Storm square to one end of thirty-five strips from each of the $1^{1} / 2^{\prime \prime}$ block strip sizes (one square to each size/color strip; 350 pieced units total) (figure 1). Do not sew a square to the inner border strips.
2. Sew a $1^{1 / 2 "} \times 2^{1 / 2 "}$ C4059 Sky strip to the top of a $2^{1 / 21}$ C5773 Tan square (figure 2).
3. Sew the C4059 Sky/C4069 Mystic unit to the right side, matching adjacent seams (figure 3).

Fig. 1


Fig. 2


Fig. 3

4. Sew a $1^{1 / 2} 2^{\prime \prime} \times 3^{1 / 21}$ " C4062 Oat strip to the bottom of the step 3 unit (figure 4).

Fig. 4


Fig. 5
5. Sew a C4062 Oat/ C4069 Mystic unit to the left side, matching adjacent seams (figure 5).

6. Sew a $1^{1 / 211} x$

Fig. 6
41/2" C5768
Cloud strip to the top of the step 5 unit (figure 6).
7. Sew a C5768


Fig. 7


Cloud/ C4069
Mystic unit to the right side, matching adjacent seams (figure 7).
8. Continue building out the block clockwise in Fig. 8
 this manner with the remaining strips and pieced units (figure 8).

## Quilt Top Assembly

9. Following the Quilt Assembly Diagram, lay out the blocks in seven rows of five blocks each, rotating the blocks as needed. Sew the blocks together in each row, pressing seams in alternate directions for adjacent rows.
10. Sew the rows together in order. Press seams in one direction.
11. Sew the eight $1^{1 / 2 " 1} \times$ WOF C5773 Tan inner border strips end to end using diagonal seams. Press seams open.
12. Measure the center length of the quilt top and cut two strips that length. Sew one strip to each side.
13. Measure the center width of the quilt top and cut two strips that length from the pieced C5773 Tan strip. Sew one strip to the top and the other to the bottom.
14. Repeat steps $11-13$ using the nine $6^{1 / 2 "} \times$ WOF C4069 Mystic outer border strips.

## Finishing

15. Layer the quilt top, batting and backing, and quilt as desired.
16. Stitch the binding strips together end to end using diagonal seams. Fold and press the resulting long strip in half lengthwise with wrong sides together. Stitch to the quilt front, matching raw edges and mitering the corners.
17. Fold the binding to the quilt underside and hand stitch the folded edge to the quilt back.


Quilt Assembly Diagram

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