**Welcome Wall Hanging**

24-1/2" x 35-1/2"

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**Backings:**

- An additional 1-1/4 yards

**Fat Quarters:**

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**Note:** The fabrics listed are the ones used in the wall hanging as shown in the above illustration. Some fabrics are placed differently and yardage amounts vary slightly from the original pattern. Examples are: Fabric 4 (background behind Welcome) and Fabric 13 (binding). It is not necessary to follow the fabric suggestions in the pattern exactly. Depending what looks best with the fabrics you choose - and since there are so many fabrics to choose from - your fabric placement may be different too.

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Fabrics Used

1. 2377 Hometown
   Red
   FQ
2. 2411 Tonal
   Fern
   FQ
3. 2371 Bottle Rocket
   Red
   FQ
4. 2367 Fireworks
   Marine
   FQ
5. 2375 Sparklers
   Marine
   1/2 yard
6. 2408 Tonal
   Flax
   FQ
7. 2382 Parchment
   Ecru
   1/2 yard
8. 2283 Barbecue
   Olive
   FQ
9. 2366 Fireworks
   Red
   FQ
10. 2410 Tonal
    Chestnut
    FQ
11. 2270 Hammock
    Olive
    FQ
12. 2266 Fireflies
    Peridot
    FQ
13. 2276 Crouquet
    Leaf
    FQ
14. 2381 Parchment
    Marine
    FQ
15. 2378 Hometown
    Ecru
    FQ
16. 2383 Old Glory
    Red
    FQ
17. 2372 Bottle Rocket
    Marine
    1/2 yard
18. 2374 Sparklers
    Red
    1/2 yard
19. 2370 Star Spangled
    Marine
    FQ
20. 2380 Parchment
    Red
    FQ

Backing: Scrappy or an additional 1 yard
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Pattern Basics

We encourage breaking the rules, but here are a few things you might want to keep in mind:

- Please read through all the instructions carefully before beginning a project. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this pattern.
- All instructions use a ¼” seam allowance unless otherwise stated.
- Need help with any of the techniques used? Check out our free tutorials and videos at http://quiltwithus.connectingthreads.com

Common Quilting Acronyms:
- FQ = fat quarter (~18” x 22”)
- FE = fat eighth (~18” x 11”)
- WOFQ = width of fat quarter
- WOF = width of fabric
- WS = wrong side of fabric
- RS = right side of fabric
- HST = half square triangle

Approx. finished size: 24-1/2” x 35-1/2”

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| 1 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
B - One 4-1/2” x 8-1/2” (roof)  
1/2 yd. |
| 2 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
C - One for Foundation Template C-1 (tree) |
| 3 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
E - Six for Foundation Template E (hearts) |
| 4 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
B - One 4-1/2” x 8-1/2” (roof) |
| 5 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
D - One 2-1/2” x 3-1/2” (door)  
“Welcome” letters (templates on page 6) |
| 6 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
F - Fifteen 1-1/2” x 2-1/2” (windows) |
| 7 | G - One 4-1/2” x 24-1/2” (welcome background)  
H - Sixteen 3-1/2” squares, marked once diagonally  
L - Six 4-1/2” squares, marked once diagonally |
| 8 | A - One 3-1/2” x 6-1/2” (flying geese)  
C - One for Foundation Template C-1 (tree) |
### Directions

#### Flying Geese Row:

1. Sew H's, on the marked diagonal lines, to opposite ends of A's. Trim seam allowances and press.

2. Sew all eight of the flying geese units together as shown.

### Fabric and Cut Pieces

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### Cut Pieces Diagram

![Diagram of Flying Geese Row](image)
House Row:

**Note:** You will be making 3 different houses using fabric 6 for windows, and fabrics 5, 16, and 20 for the doors. The directions are the same for each house.

1. Sew L's, on the marked diagonal lines, to opposite ends of B's. Trim seam allowances and press.

2. Sew the flying geese roof tops together.

3. Sew J's, F's, and I's together.

4. Sew K's to the top and bottom of the long unit of J's, F's, and I's.

5. Sew M's to the bottoms of the short J/F/J units. Sew the two units to opposite sides of D.

6. Sew the three houses together. Sew the roof tops to the top of the houses.

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Tree Row:

**Foundation Piecing Tips:**

1. Use a 12-14 sharp needle.
2. Use pins or fabric glue to hold the fabric in place before stitching.
3. Decrease stitch length to 20 stitches per inch and always stitch a few stitches beyond the solid line. This will make removing the paper a little easier and prevent unraveling of seams.
4. Remove foundation paper in the seams when joining two units together.
5. Do not remove the remaining paper until the blocks are sewn together.

* Cut at least 1/2" wider and longer than the section you will be covering. These will be trimmed to size later.

1. Make 5 copies of the foundation template on page 5 for the tree row.

2. Place the fabric to be foundation pieced, right sides up on the wrong side of the foundation paper. Stitch in numerical order. Stitch on the solid lines from the right side of the foundation paper and trim each seam allowance, after stitching, to 1/4". Press open before adding the next piece.
Remember you will be sewing on the printed side of the foundation paper and the fabric will be placed on the back side of the paper, wrong sides against the foundation paper.

3. Press and trim, leaving a 1/4" seam allowance (included on the template).

4. Sew C-1 and C-2 together as shown.

5. Sew trees together. Sew N's to opposite ends of the trees.
NOTE: Please add seam allowances if you will be using needle turn appliqué. If you will be using fusible web on the templates, remember to reverse them so they will be going in the correct direction when appliquéd.

Size Check
When making copies, this square should measure 1” x 1”
Welcome Row:

1. Using your favorite method of appliqué, appliqué the lettering to G.

Heart Row:

Foundation Piecing Tips:
1. Use a 12-14 sharp needle.
2. Use pins or fabric glue to hold the fabric in place before stitching.
3. Decrease stitch length to 20 stitches per inch and always stitch a few stitches beyond the solid line. This will make removing the paper a little easier and prevent unraveling of seams.
4. Remove foundation paper in the seams when joining two units together.
5. Do not remove the remaining paper until the blocks are sewn together.
6. Trim seams as they are sewn to reduce bulk.

*Cut at least 1/2” wider and longer than the section you will be covering. These will be trimmed to size later.

1. Make 6 copies of the foundation template on page 6 for the heart row.
2. Place the fabric to be foundation pieced, right sides up on the wrong side of the foundation paper. Stitch in numerical order. Stitch on the solid lines from the right side of the foundation paper and trim each seam allowance, after stitching, to 1/4”. Press open before adding the next piece.
3. Sew all the heart blocks together in a row as shown.

Finishing:

1. Sew all the rows together:
2. Layer backing, batting and top wrong sides together and quilt as desired.
3. Sew binding on using a 1/4” seam allowance.