

A Vintage View Web Bonus: Philadelphia Pavement

Designed by BARBARA B. SNYDER STONER

Finished Quilt Size

86" x 86"

An Artist's Plan

Barbara created this striking quilt circa 1895 for her daughter, Ida S. Stoner. Barbara and her husband John farmed near Ephrata, Lancaster County, PA. The quilt is part of the collection of Barbara's great-grandson, Clarke Hess.

Planning a quilt such as this must have given Barbara many hours of pleasure. She even dyed some of the fabric pieces herself, to get precisely the shades she wanted to include in her design. Her stunning project was finished with a lovely green/ brown lozenge stripe backing, the only patterned fabric in the quilt.

You may find it helpful to use a design wall to position your squares prior to sewing.

Fabric Requirements

Purple solid (squares) 11/8 yds. White solid, gray solid, 7/8 yd. and pink solid (squares) each Blue solid (squares, inner border) 13/8 yds. Green solid (squares, outer border) 15/8 yds. Light green solid and 1/2 yd. orange solid (squares) each Red solid (squares, middle border, binding) 23/4 yds. Gold solid (squares) ³/₄ yd. 1/4 yd. Yellow solid (squares) Backing 8 yds. Batting size King

Cutting Instructions

Purple solid 360 squares 2" x 2" White solid 224 squares 2" x 2" Gray solid 240 squares 2" x 2" Blue solid *4 strips 21/4" x 82", pieced from 9 width of fabric (WOF) strips 216 squares 2" x 2" Green solid *4 strips 21/8" x 90", pieced from 9 **WOF** strips 316 squares 2" x 2" Light green

120 squares 2" x 2"

Red solid *10 strips 21/2" x WOF (binding) *4 strips 31/8" x 86", pieced from 9 **WOF** strips 348 squares 2" x 2" Pink solid 237 squares 2" x 2" Gold solid 196 squares 2" x 2" Orange solid 108 squares 2" x 2" Yellow solid 36 squares 2" x 2" *Cut first.



Piecing the Quadrants and Strips

1 Referring to Color Key and **Diagram I**, use 2" squares to stitch 24 rows of 24 squares each, watching color placement. Sew rows together to make quadrant. Make 4.

2 Stitch 24 squares together to make pieced strip (Diagram II). Make 4.

Quilt Top Assembly

Note: Refer to Assembly Diagram for following steps.

3 Stitch 4 quadrants, 4 pieced strips, and 1 pink square together to make quilt center.

4 Stitch blue strips to sides of quilt; trim even with top/bottom. Stitch remaining blue strips to top/bottom; trim even with sides. In same manner, sew red and green borders to quilt, trimming after each addition.

Quilting and Finishing

5 Layer, baste, and quilt. Using white thread, a 1" diagonal grid was hand quilted over the squares. A 5-line cable design fills the borders. Bind with red solid.



