

# CENTER POINT

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Featuring **CHALK AND CHARCOAL**

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Finished quilt measures: 50" x 70"

Difficulty Rating: **Beginner**








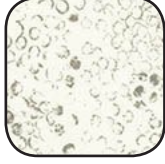










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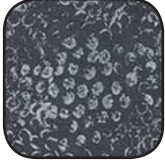




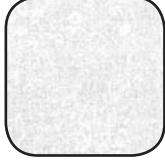


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# Fabric and Supplies Needed

Fabric amounts based on yardage that is 42" wide.

Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage	Color	Fabric	Name/SKU	Yardage
		RU-742-40 Chalk and Charcoal <i>*Includes fabrics A-X</i>	2 Roll Ups		I	AJS-17514-265 PARCHMENT	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	A	AJS-17515-155 STONE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		J	AJS-17517-293 SMOKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	B	AJS-17517-12 GREY	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		K	AJS-17512-383 SHITAKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	C	AJS-17516-293 SMOKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		L	AJS-17511-155 STONE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	D	AJS-17514-295 IRON	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		M	AJS-17513-383 SHITAKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	E	AJS-17514-1 WHITE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		N	AJS-17517-155 STONE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	F	AJS-17516-1 WHITE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		O	AJS-17513-399 ZINC	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	G	AJS-17511-347 OYSTER	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		P	AJS-17514-293 SMOKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	H	AJS-17512-87 SNOW	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		Q	AJS-17515-293 SMOKE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>

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	R	AJS-17513-188 PEPPER	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		W	AJS-17516-188 PEPPER	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	S	AJS-17511-305 GRAPHITE	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		X	AJS-17515-2 BLACK	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>
	T	AJS-17513-184 CHARCOAL	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		Y	AJS-17513-2 BLACK	1/3 yard
	U	AJS-17514-2 BLACK	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		Z	AJS-17511-1 WHITE	1/3 yard
	V	AJS-17512-2 BLACK	<i>*included in Roll-Up</i>		Binding*	AJS-17512-2 BLACK <i>*Also used for Fabric V</i>	5/8 yard
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## Notes Before You Begin

- Read through all of the instructions before beginning.
- All of the seam allowances are 1/4" unless otherwise noted.
- Press seam allowances open unless otherwise noted.
- Width of fabric (WOF) is equal to at least 42" wide.
- Right sides together has been abbreviated to RST.
- Half-square triangle has been abbreviated to HST
- Quarter-square triangle has been abbreviated to QST
- Remember to measure twice and cut once!

## Cutting Instructions

Fabrics A-X will be cut as the quilt is assembled. For now, sort the strips into piles of light (white and cream) and dark (black and gray).

### From each of Fabrics Y and Z, cut:

two 3" x WOF strips. Subcut:

twenty-four 3" squares for the HSTs

one 3-1/2" square for the quarter square triangle

### From the Binding Fabric, cut:

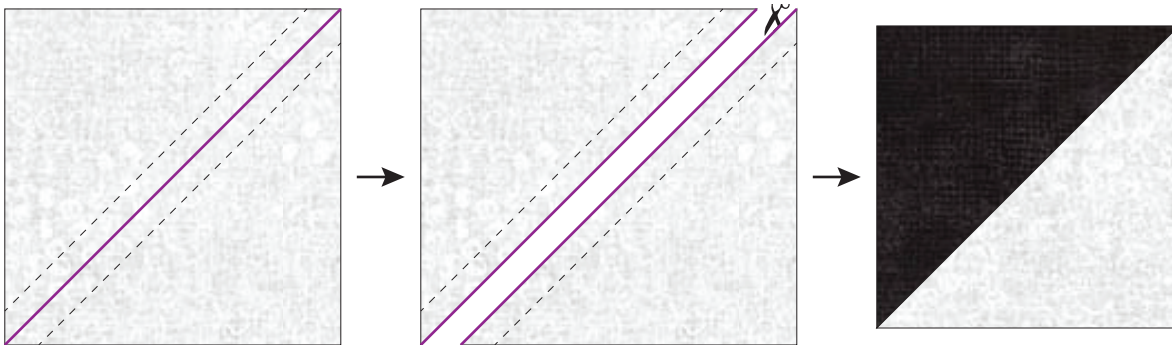
seven 2-1/2" x WOF strips

## Make the HSTs and QST

**Step 1:** Pair a 3" Fabric Y square with a 3" Fabric Z square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Trim to 2-1/2" square. Repeat to make a total of forty-eight Y/Z HSTs.



**Step 2:** Pair the 3-1/2" Fabric Y square with a Fabric Z square, RST. Mark a diagonal line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two half-square triangles (HSTs). Press toward the darker fabric. Do not trim.



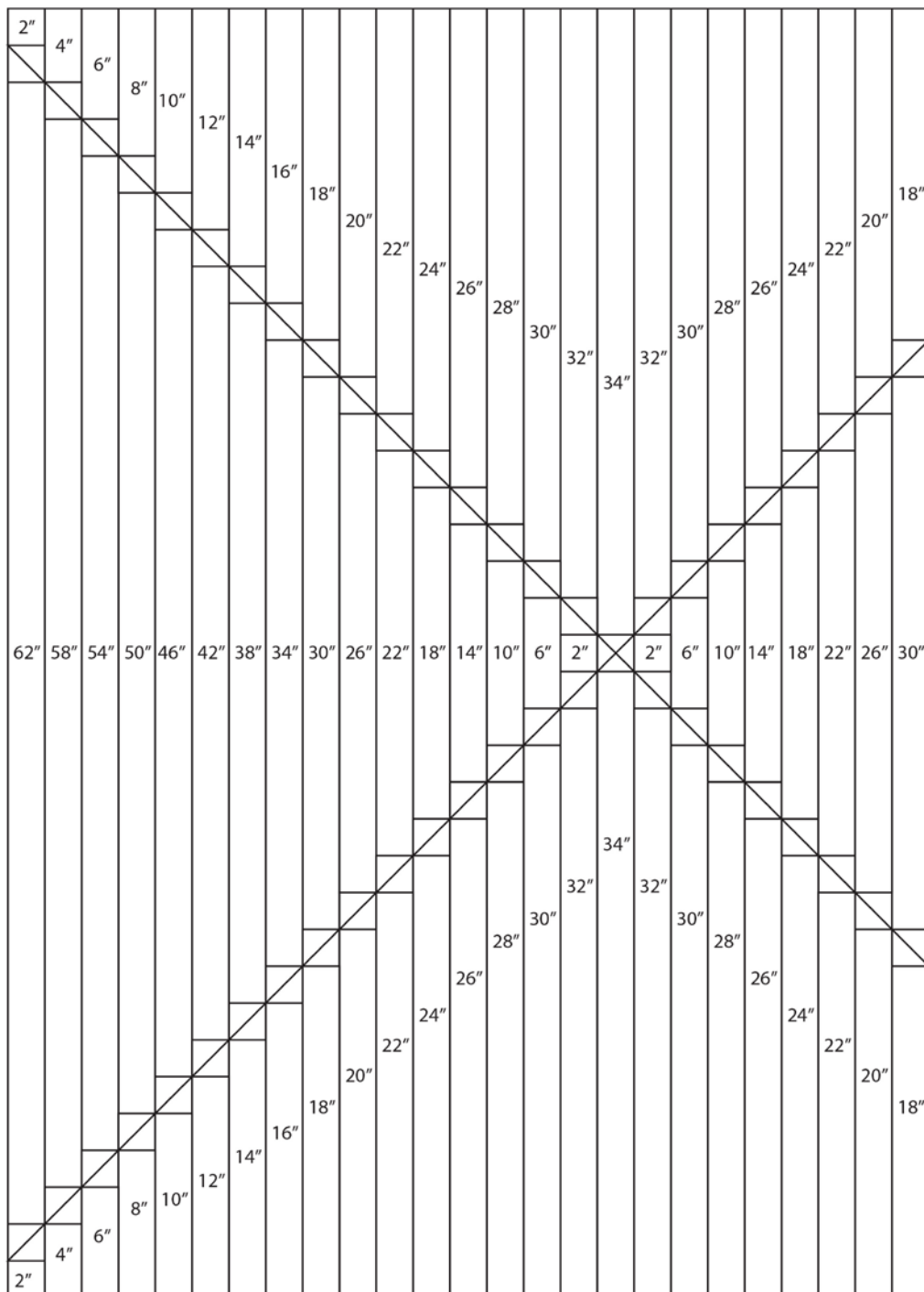
**Step 3:** Pair two Step 2 HSTs, RST, matching opposite fabrics together. Mark a diagonal line perpendicular to the seam line on the wrong side of one square. Sew 1/4" away from both sides of the marked line. Cut on the marked line, creating two quarter-square triangles (QSTs). Press toward the seam open or to one side. Trim to 2-1/2" square. Discard one QST.



## Assemble the Quilt

Note: This quilt is assembled in strips/columns, adding one strips to the left and right, starting with the "center" (column 17). Trim each Fabric A-X piece as needed, noting the following two cutting rules:

1. For any length needed over 42", sew two identical fabric strips together, end-to-end, then trim to the length needed.
2. Note that the chart shown indicates the finished length. You will need to add 1/2" to all of the lengths before cutting to size and sewing.
3. Select a light strip for the upper and lower portions and a dark strip for the middle portions of each column, using the sample as a guide.



**Step 4:** Gather the QST unit and two 34-1/2" light strips. Sew together, with the QST in the center. Press toward the strips. This is Column 17.

**Step 5:** Gather two HST units, one 2-1/2" dark square and two 32-1/2" light strips. Sew together, following the HST orientation for Column 16. Press away from the HSTs. Repeat for Column 18.

**Step 6:** Sew Columns 16-18 together, pinning along the lengths and matching each end before sewing. Sew slowly, and alternate sewing directions to prevent any curving of the quilt seams.

Continue repeating the process from Step 5, adding each column and continuing to monitor the orientation of the HSTs until all twenty-five columns are sewn together.

Press all seams open or to one side.

Your quilt top is complete! Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy!