A Cat Tale

Featuring fabrics from the *A Cat Tale* collection from Studio E Fabrics

**Quilt #1**

**Fabric Requirements**

- (A) 3053-87 .............. ⅔ yard
- (B) 3055-99 .............. ¾ yard
- (C) 3058-01 .............. 1 ⅛ yards
- (D) 3059-77 .............. ¼ yard
- (E) 3056-76 .............. ¼ yard
- (F) 3059-88 .............. ¼ yard
- (G) 3056-83 .............. ½ yard
- (H) 3054-88 .............. 1 yard
- (I) 1351-Grass** .... ¼ yard
- (J) 3058-99 .............. ½ yard*
- (K) 3057-88 .............. 4 yards

**Additional Supplies Needed**

- Batting 68" x 68"
- Piecing and sewing thread
- Quilting and sewing supplies
- Quilt Design by Megan Downer
- Finished Quilt Size 60" x 60"

**Just Color! Collection**
Cutting Instructions

*Please Note: All strips are cut across the width of fabric (WOF) from selvage to selvage edge unless otherwise noted.*

WOF = Width of Fabric • LOF = Length of Fabric

Fabric A (3053-87 Patch – Multi):
- Fussy cut (10) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strip (3 blocks), vertically.
- Fussy cut (10) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strip (3 blocks), horizontally.

Fabric B (3055-99 Pin Cushion Toss – Black), cut:
- (4) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (20) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.
- (5) 2 ½” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together, end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 2 ½” x 46 ½” strips and (2) 2 ½” x 42 ½” strips.

Fabric C (3058-01 Tossed Pins – White), cut:
- (6) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (36) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.
- (6) 1 ½” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together, end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 1 ½” x 52 ½” strips and (2) 1 ½” x 50 ½” strips.
- (2) 2 ½” x 42 ½” WOF strips.
- (2) 2 ½” x 38 ½” WOF strips.

Fabric D (3059-77 Mini Quilt Geo – Blue), cut:
- (2) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (9) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.

Fabric E (3056-76 Measuring Tape – Blue/Green), cut:
- (2) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (9) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.

Fabric F (3059-88 Mini Quilt Geo – Red), cut:
- (2) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (7) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.

Fabric G (3056-83 Measuring Tape – Red/Orange), cut:
- (2) 2 ½” x WOF strips, sub-cut (7) 2 ½” x 6 ½” strips.
- (6) 2 ½” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together, end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 2 ½” x 50 ½” strips and (2) 2 ½” x 46 ½” strips.

Fabric H (3054-88 Cats All-Over – Red), cut:
- (4) 4 ½” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together, end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 4 ½” x 60 ½” strips.
- (3) 4 ½” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together, end to end with diagonal seams, and cut (2) 4 ½” x 52 ½” strips.

Fabric I (1351-Grass Just Color! – Grass), cut:
- (2) 1 ½” x 38 ½” WOF strips.
- (2) 1 ½” x 36 ½” WOF strips.

Fabric J (3058-99 Tossed Pins – Black), cut:
- (6) 2 ½” x WOF strips for the binding.

Backing (3057-88 Kittens Toss – Red), cut:
- (2) 68” x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to 68” x 68” for the back.
Sew using a ¼” seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Always press towards the darker fabric while assembling, unless otherwise noted by the arrows.

**Block Assembly**

1. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric A (vertical) strip, (1) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric B strip and (1) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strip together, lengthwise, to make (1) ABC Vertical unit (Fig. 1). Repeat to make (10) ABC Vertical units total.

2. Repeat Step 1 using (10) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric A (Horizontal) strips, (10) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric B strips and (10) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strips to make (10) ABC Horizontal units (Fig. 2).

3. Repeat Step 1 using (5) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric D strips, (5) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric E strips and (5) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strips to make (5) Horizontal DEC units (Fig. 3).

4. Repeat Step 1 using (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric D strips, (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric E strips and (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strips to make (4) Vertical DEC units (Fig. 4).
5. Repeat Step 1 using (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric F strips, (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric G strips and (4) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strips to make (4) Vertical FGC units (Fig. 5).

6. Repeat Step 2 using (3) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric F strips, (3) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric G strips and (3) 2 ½” x 6 ½” Fabric C strips to make (3) Horizontal FGC units (Fig. 6).

**Quilt Top Assembly**

*(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.)*

7. Sew (2) ABC Vertical unit, (1) DEC horizontal unit, (1) DEC vertical unit and (2) ABC Horizontal units together to make Row One. Repeat to make Row Two. Pay attention to the orientation of the blocks.

8. Sew (1) FGC vertical unit, (2) ABC Horizontal units, (1) DEC vertical unit, (1) DEC horizontal unit and (1) ABC vertical unit together to make Row Three.

9. Sew (1) FGC vertical unit, (1) FGC horizontal unit, (1) ABC Vertical unit, (1) ABC Horizontal unit, (1) DEC vertical unit and (1) DEC horizontal unit together to make Four.

10. Sew (2) ABC Vertical units, (1) FGC horizontal unit, (1) FGC vertical unit, (1) ABC Horizontal unit and (1) DEC horizontal unit together to make Row Five.

11. Sew (2) ABC Horizontal units, (2) ABC Vertical units, (1) FGC horizontal unit and (1) FGC vertical unit together to make Row Six.

12. Sew the six rows together, in numerical order, to make the quilt top.

13. Sew (1) 1 ½” x 36 ½” Fabric I strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 1 ½” x 38 ½” Fabric I strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

14. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 38 ½” Fabric C strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 42 ½” Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

15. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 42 ½” Fabric B strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 46 ½” Fabric B strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.
16. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 46 ½” Fabric G strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 2 ½” x 50 ½” Fabric G strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

17. Sew (1) 1 ½” x 50 ½” Fabric C strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 1 ½” x 52½” Fabric C strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

18. Sew (1) 4 ½” x 52 ½” Fabric H strip to each side of the quilt top. Sew (1) 4 ½” x 60 ½” Fabric H strip to the top and to the bottom of the quilt top.

Layering, Quilting and Finishing
19. Press the quilt top and 68” x 68” backing well. Layer backing (wrong side up), batting, pressed quilt top (right side up) and baste. Quilt as desired and trim excess batting and backing when quilting is complete.

Binding
20. Cut the ends of the (6) Fabric J binding strips at a 45-degree angle and sew end to end to make (1) continuous piece of binding. Fold in half lengthwise and press wrong sides together.

21. Sew the binding to the front of the quilt, raw edges together. Turn the folded edge to the back, and hand stitch in place.