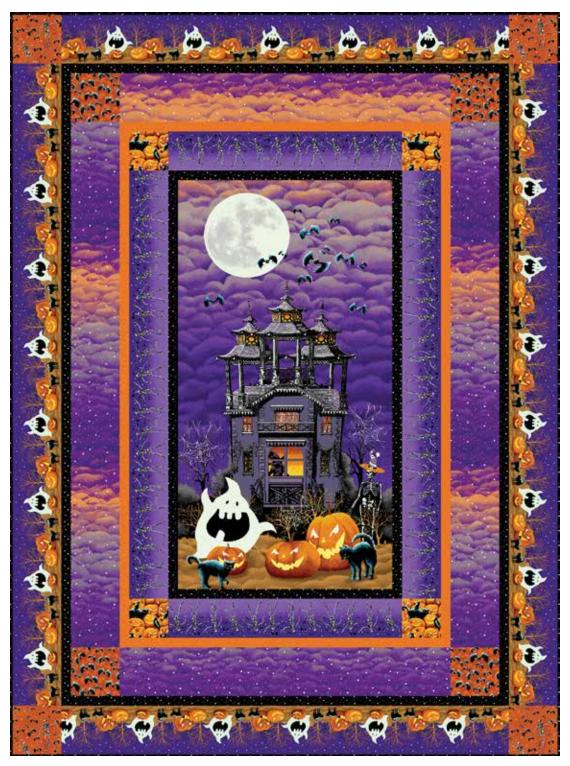


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Finished Size of Project: 56" x 76" (1.42m x 1.93m)

Fabric Collection Name and Designer: **After Life Party by Gail Green**

Technique: Pieced

Project Designed by: Matthew Pridemore of The Whimsical Workshop

Skill Level: **Advanced Beginner**



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Fabric Requirements

DESIGN	COLOR	ITEM ID	YARDAGE
(A) Panel	Purple/Multi	1967PG-59	1 panel (0.61m)
(B) Tossed Stars	Black	1959G-90	1 ¼ yards (1.14m)*
(C) Border Stripe	Purple/Multi	1965G-53	2 yards (1.83m)
(D) Pumpkin Patch	Black/Orange	1961G-39	¼ yard (0.23m)
(E) Cloud and Stars	Purple/Multi	1966G-53	1 yard (0.91m)
(F) Tossed Bats	Orange/Black	1963G-39	¼ yard (0.23m)
(G) Skeletons and Bats	Orange/Black	1958G-39	¼ yard (0.23m)
(H) Modern Melody Basics	Orange	1063-34	⅓ yard (.30m)
* includes binding			
(A) (B) (C)	(D) (E	(F)	(G) (H)

Backing (Purchased Separately)

44" (1.12m) wide

Spooky Tales

Purple/Multi 1957G-59

4 ¾ yards (4.34m)



Backing 44"

Additional Materials:

- Batting 64" x 84"
- Thread and sewing supplies



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Cutting Instructions

Notes:

WOF= Width of Fabric • LOF = Length of Fabric

Fabric A, fussy cut:

(1) 22 ½" x 42 ½" rectangle, centered on the panel.

Fabric B, cut:

- (2) 2" x 42 ½" WOF strips, piece as needed.
- (2) $2'' \times 25 \frac{1}{2}''$ WOF strips.
- (4) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 64 ½" strips.
- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 46 ½" strips.
- (7) 2 ½" x WOF strips for the binding.

Fabric C, cut:

- (2) 5 ½" x 66 ½" LOF strips (pumpkins).
- (2) 5 ½" x 46 ½" LOF strips (pumpkins).
- (2) 4 ½" x 44 ½" LOF strips (skeletons).
- (2) 4 1/2" x 24 1/2" LOF strips (skeletons).

Fabric D, cut:

(1) 4 ½" x WOF strip; sub-cut (4) 4 ½" squares.

Fabric E, cut:

- (2) 5 ½" x 34 ½" WOF strips.
- (6) 5 ½" x LOF strips; sub-cut (6) 18 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangles

Fabric F, cut:

(1) 5 ½" x WOF strip; sub-cut (4) 5 ½" squares.

Fabric G, cut:

(1) 5 ½" x WOF strip; sub-cut (4) 5 ½" squares.

Fabric H, cut:

- (3) 1 ½" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together end to end with diagonal seams and cut (2) 1 ½" x 52 ½" strips.
- (2) 1 1/2" x 34 1/2" WOF strips.

Backing, cut:

(2) 84" x WOF strips. Sew the strips together and trim to make the 64" x 84" back.



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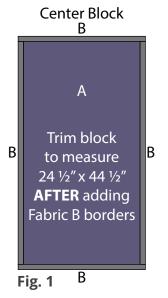
Sewing

Sew using a ¼" seam allowance with right sides together (RST) unless otherwise indicated. Press seams towards the darker fabric, unless otherwise indicated.

The arrows in the figures represent the fabric print direction. Pay attention to the fabric and unit orientations when assembling the various components.

Block Assembly

1. Sew (1) 2" x 42 ½" Fabric B strip to each side of the 22 ½" x 42 ½" Fabric A rectangle. Sew (1) 2" x 25 ½" Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the Fabric A rectangle to make the Center Block (Fig. 1). **Trim the block to measure** 24 ½" x 44 ½".



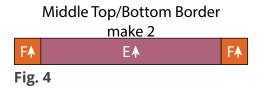
2. Sew (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G square to each end of (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to make the Outer Top Border (Fig. 2).



3. Sew (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric G square to each end of (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to make the Outer Bottom Border (Fig. 3).



4. Sew (1) 5 ½" Fabric F square to each end of (1) 5 ½" x 34 ½" Fabric E strip to make the Middle Top Border (Fig. 4). Repeat to make the Middle Bottom Border.



5. Sew (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D square to each end of (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $24 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to make the Inner Top Border (Fig. 5).



6. Sew (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric D square to each end of (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $24 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to make the Inner Bottom Border (Fig. 6).



Quilt Top Assembly

(Follow the Quilt Layout while assembling the quilt top.) 7. Sew (1) $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $44 \frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to each side of the Center Block.

- 8. Sew the Inner Top Border and the Inner Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 9. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 52 ½" Fabric H strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 ½" x 34 ½" Fabric H strip to the top and bottom of the Center Block.
- 10. Sew (3) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric E strips together end to end. Repeat to make a second strip. Sew (1) newly sewn strip to each side of the Center Block.



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- 11. Sew the Middle Top Border and Middle Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block.
- 12. Sew (1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 64 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to each side of the Center Block. Sew (1) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric B strip to the top and bottom of the Center Block.
- 13. Sew (1) 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Fabric C strip to each side of the Center Block.
- 14. Sew the Outer Top Border and the Outer Bottom Border to the top and to the bottom of the Center Block to make the quilt top.

Layering, Quilting and Finishing

15. Press the quilt top and 64" x 84" 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

- 16. Cut the ends of the (7) Fabric B 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.
- 17. Sew the binding to the front of the quilt, raw edges together. Turn the folded edge to the back, and hand stitch in place.



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Quilt Layout

