Patches of Autumn
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Patches of Autumn quilt design by Vicki McCarty. The quilt features autumn-themed elements such as pumpkins, flowers, and a barn. The colors are warm and cozy, with shades of orange, brown, and green. The quilt is bordered with zigzag patterns and has a rustic feel, perfect for fall decor.
Patches of Autumn Panel Quilt
56” x 72”

Patch-It refers to my lines of fabric by MARCUS Fabrics called, Patches of Joy. Each bolt consists of 8 Different designs and coordinating color ways. Six of the designs on each bolt are 5” wide and the 2 edge designs are 6 1/2” wide. I designed the fabric this way so with just a small amount of yardage, one can have many different color coordinated fabrics choices that lend themselves to the scrappy feel I love for all my designs. The 5” is a large enough width for many different patterns and is a natural to use in charm pack patterns or jelly roll friendly designs. The wider edges give more freedom for borders.

Unless a specific fabric or colorway is mentioned, assume the fabric pieces in cutting requirements should be taken from assorted fabrics to make project scrappy. If not using the Patch-Its to make this beautiful designs pleas keep in mind that the fabric requirements and cutting directions used are based off the Patch-Its and could be replaced with 4 darks and 4 lights from each color way used.

When this pattern calls for Half Square Triangles (HST) I use Thangles, as I find them quick, easy and accurate. If using a different method, adjust your cutting requirements accordingly.

Fabric Requirements
1 panel of Patches of Autumn R23 8455-0528
3 yards Cheddar/Tan Patch-It 8424-0528
1 1/4 yards Purple/Tan Patch-It 8424-0535
1 yard Tan/Tan Patch-It 8424-0540
1 yard of Aged Muslin Artichoke 7030-0114 (First Border)
1 3/4 yard of Aged Muslin Basil 7756-0114 (Outer Border & Binding)

Cutting Directions
Panel
A. Trim to 24 1/2” x 42 1/2”

7030-0114 Aged Muslin Artichoke (First border)
B. 2- 4 1/2” x 42 1/2”
C. 2- 3 1/2” x 24 1/2”

7756-0114 Aged Muslin Basil (Outer Border & Binding)
Q. 6- 4 1/2” x 42” (Cut two of these into 4 1/2” x 21”)
R. 7- 2 1/2” x 42” Binding

Purple/Tan Patch-Its
D. 14- 2 1/2” x 11” Tans
F. 4- 2 1/2” X 11” Purple (HST)
H. 16- 2 1/2” Squares Purple
L. 16- 1 1/2” x 2 1/2” " Purple
N. 4- 1 1/2” x 11” Purple (HST)
O. 2- 1 1/2” x 11” Tan (HST)

Cheddar/Tan Patch-It
D. 14- 2 1/2” x 11” Tans (HST)
E. 4- 3 1/2" x 4 1/2” Cheddar (cornerstones)
G. 27- 2 1/2” x 11” Cheddar (HST)
I. 4- 2 1/2” x 4 1/2” Tans
J. 2- 2 1/2” x 11” Cheddar (HST)
K. 80- 2 1/2” Squares Cheddar
S. 4- 4 1/2” Squares Cheddar

Tan/Tan Patch-Its
D. 14- 2 1/2” x 11” Tans (HST)
I. 4- 2 1/2” x 4 1/2” Tans
M. 2- 2 1/2” x 11” Tans (HST)
O. 2- 1 1/2” x 11” Tans (HST)
P. 4- 2 1/2” Squares Tans

Pieces from different colorways may have the same label and are meant to be interchangeable to make project scrappy!
**Sewing Directions**

Sew a piece (B) to each side of the panel (A) and press towards the border. Sew a (E) to each end of the 2 piece (C)s. Press towards the Cheddar. Make 2. Pin and sew one across the top and one across bottom of the panel. Press.

**BORDER BLOCKS**

Using 2.0” Thangles and the process above, make 160 - 2 1/2” unfinished HST of Tan (D) and Cheddar (G). Place the strips right sides together (RST) and pin a sheet of Thangles on top of the Tan. Sew on dotted lines and cut on black lines. Press to the red. Repeat the process to make 80 - 2 1/2” HST of Tan (D) and Purple (F). Press to the Purple.

Lay out the block as shown and stitch up in rows. Press each row in opposite directions. Pin at the seams and stitch rows together. Press and trim to 8 1/2” square if needed. Make 20.

**CORNER BLOCKS**

Using 1.0” Thangles and the process above, make 32 - 1 1/2” unfinished HST of piece (N) Purple and (O) Tan. Repeat using 2.0” Thangles to make 8 - 2 1/2” unfinished HST of piece (J) Cheddar and (M) Tan.

Sew the small HST together as shown to make a star points. Press open. Sew the star points to piece (L). Press open. Lay out the block as shown and stitch up in rows. Press away from the star points. Pin at the seams. Sew both sets of (I) to the Cheddar and Tan HST. Press. Add (K) to one of these sets. Sew the other set (without the K) to the side of the star block. Press. Pin the last section to the block and sew. Press and trim to 8 1/2” square if needed. Make 4.

**QUILT ASSEMBLY**

Lay out blocks as shown on cover photo with 4 Border blocks across the top and bottom, 6 Border Blocks along each side of the quilt and a Corner Block on each end. Sew the Border and Corner blocks together across the top. Press. Repeat for the bottom row. Sew the 6 side Border Blocks for the sides together and press. Do the same for the other side. Press. Sew on the side blocks on each side of the panel. Press. Pin at seams and sew the top and bottom rows to the panel. Press.

Sew one piece (Q) and the half (Q) together and trim to 62 1/2”. Repeat to make two 62 1/2” side border strips. Press and sew one to each sides of the quilt. Repeat process to make top border by sewing (Q) and another half (Q) together and trimming to 48 1/2”. Repeat for bottom border. Press. Sew a piece (S) to each end of these borders. Press. Pin at seams and stitch on borders.

Quilt, Bind and Enjoy!!