



Disappearing Four-Patch Star

How Did That Block Disappear Retreat 2026

Pattern must be purchased to make the quilt per permission from Missouri Star Quilt Co.

The pattern can be ordered at www.Missouriquiltco.com and search Disappearing 4-Patch Star.

The pattern can also be found in various Missouri Star Quilt Block Magazines. Spring Vol. 3, Issue 2, is one edition it is in, but can also be found in other editions too. If you have any Block magazines, check them out.

Fabric requirements are given on the pattern for the 78" x 90" (20 blocks) size quilt.

Fabric requirements to make the approximately 70" x 80" (12 block) size I made are as follows:

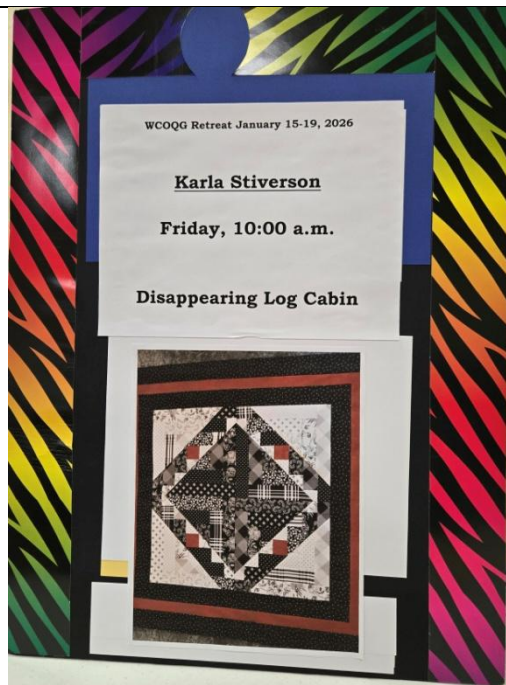
2 packages 5" print squares (charm packs)

7/8 yard coordinating fabric for stars

2-1/4 yards background fabric, which also includes inner border or 1-7/8 yards without inner border

1-1/2 yards outer border and binding

4-1/2 yards 45" backing OR 2 yards 108" backing (sideways) OR 2-1/4 yards 108" (lengthwise)



DISAPPEARING LOG CABIN – DEMONSTRATION

This is a demonstration on how to make a Disappearing Log Cabin Block.

I will show you how to do the disappearing part at the Winter Retreat.

You can make your log cabin at home before the retreat using a basic log cabin pattern, using a 2 ½” Red center square block. I used a black and white 2 ½” jelly roll but you may use 2” strips if you like. 8 strips – 2 ½” light fabric WOF, and 8 strips - 2 ½” dark fabric WOF.

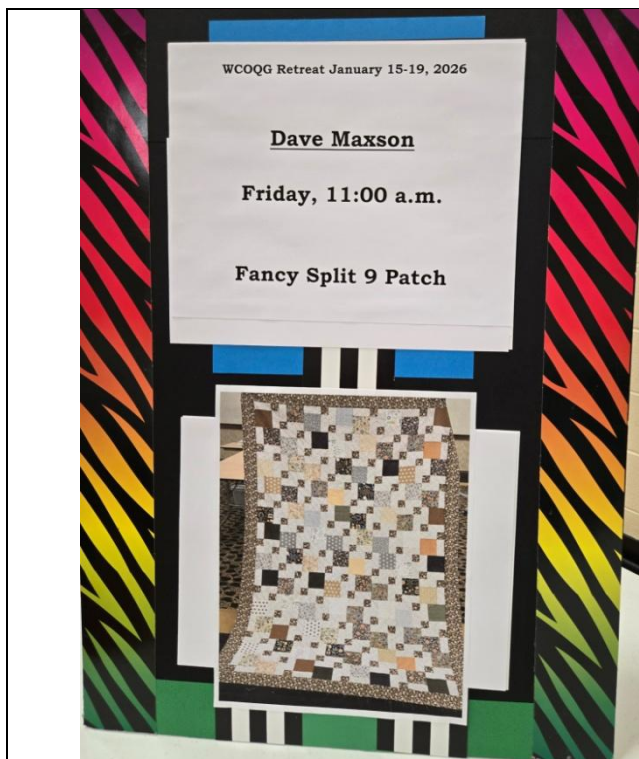
[Log Cabin Blocks + 10-Day Challenge Update -](#) AQuiltingLife.com

A free download on a Large Log Cabin (Only use steps A thru M) To make a 13 ½” block.

There is a physical Disappearing Log Cabin Pattern as well as an instant download if you wish to purchase one for \$12.99 at:

revelationquilts.com **Disappearing Log Cabin! – Revelation Quilts or contact:**

revelationquilts@yahoo.com : Suze Spensley 10221 Biltmore Drive, Waco, Texas 76708



Fabric Requirements:

96 – 5" Charm Squares

Dark Accent – ½ yd cut to 24 @ 5" squares

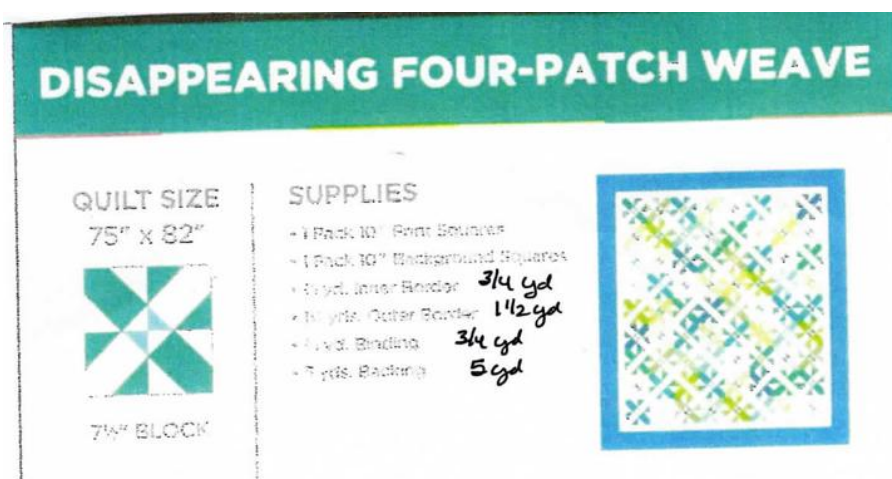
Light Accent – 2 yds – cut to 96 @ 5" squares

Inner border-5/8 yd – cut in 7 @ 2 1/2" WOF

Outer border – 1 yd – cut 8 @ 4" WOF

Binding – 5/8 yard

Backing – 5 ½ yards



The copy was very light, here's a repeat

Supplies

1 pack 10" squares

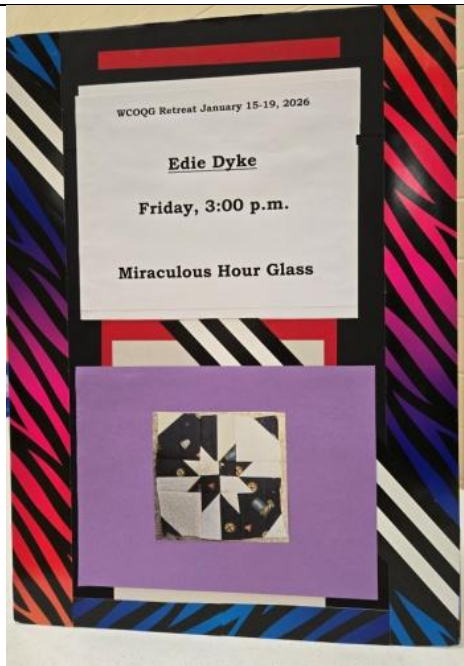
1 pack 10" background squares

3/4 yd inner border

1 1/2 yd outer border

3/4 yd binding

5 yd backing



Disappearing Hour Glass

Taught by Edie Dyke WCOQG 2026 Retreat

Materials Needed:

4 squares that are equal in size (charm squares work as long as there are equal numbers of lights and darks) These 5" squares make 7" finished blocks. (a layer cake will also work well for larger blocks)

Using yardage:

Crib or throw - 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards of 2 colors-one dark and one light (42" x 49")

Twin-3 yards of 2 colors-one dark and one light (56" x 70")

Double/Queen-5 yards of 2 colors-one dark and one light (70" x 84")

To get a head start:

Cut 5" (2 lights and 2 darks for each block) if you are using yardage

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Disappearing Grecian Block or Greek Cross Block

This quilt measures 39" X 52" and is perfect for a lap quilt or a baby quilt.

I used 6 Fat Quarters and 1-1/2 yards of white fabric. Each Fat Quarter will make 2 Grecian Square Blocks (Greek Cross). One positive and one negative.

It is super quick because there are only 12 blocks!

Cuts from FAT QUARTER (18" x 21") Background fabric is cut the same way.

Step 1---Cut two (2) strips measuring 2-3/4" x 21"

Step 2---Cut one square measuring 11" x 11".

This will be used to make your half-square triangles (makes 8 at a time).

Step 3---Cut one square 5" x 5". This is your center square.

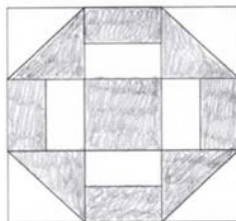
For each block you will need to make:

(4) Half Square Triangle (HST) Blocks, trimmed to 5" X 5". Made from the 11" x 11" square.

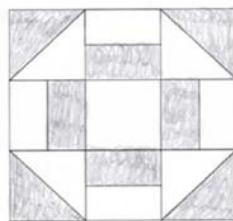
(4) Bar Blocks that are 5" X 5". Each block is half white and half dark made from strips of fabric that are 2-3/4" wide, from each fabric (fat quarter and background).

(1) 5" square of either a fat quarter or background fabric. Depending on if this is a positive or negative block.

The blocks will measure 13" X 13" finished (13.5" unfinished. However, mine measured 14").



Positive Block



Negative Block

Class being taught at the 2026 January WCOQG Retreat in Lima, Ohio.

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DISAPPEARING WINDOW PANE 9 PATCH

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026, 11 AM

(This is a Missouri Star Quilt Company pattern being taught with verbal permission from Shawn on July 8, 2025 at 4:55 PM)

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My sample is approximately 68 inches square including borders.

This is an easy beginning pattern. Basic sewing supplies, rotary cutter, rulers

- 144, 5" squares. I used a layer cake and cut it in half horizontally and vertically. (It gave me a good selection of squares.) You can also use charm packs or cut 5" square from yardage. (From a 5" strip you can get 8, 5" squares.)
- For sashing (of 5" squares), from WOF, cut 5, 5" wide strips and then sub-cut into 2" x 5" strips. (You will only add sashing to 2/3 of your 5" squares")
- For sashing (of 9 patch rows), from WOF, cut 16, 2" wide strips

For borders of my quilt, I cut 8, 2" by WOF for inner border and 9, 4" by WOF for outer border.



Materials needed:

1 Jelly roll works well for this project. (2 Jelly rolls for queen or king size)

Scraps from your stash also work well.

If using yardage, you will need a total of:

1 ½ yards for a Baby/Crib

3 ½ yards for a Twin

5-5 ½ yards for a Queen

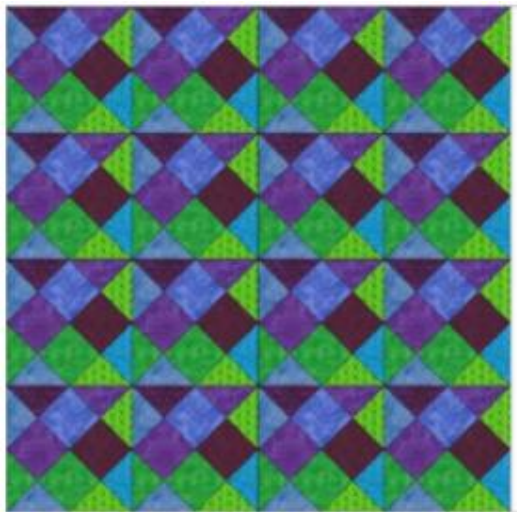
7-7 ½ yards for a King

To get a head start:

Cut fabric into strips if using yardage. Can be any width. My samples are 2 ½" strips and one layout makes a 7" block the other will make a 5" block. Wider strips will make this project go much quicker

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Disappearing Pinwheel Friendship Star January 2025

42 10inch squares print or 1 Layer Cake

42 10inch squares Background or 3 1/2 yards backgrou.

2 yards for Borders and Binding

Pre Class Homework (if wanted)

Sew a seant 1/4 inch seam around
A print and a background square,
right sides together



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WCOQG Retreat January 15-19, 2026

Carol Ginter

Sunday, 1:30 p.m.

Disappearing 9 Patch



Carol Ginter will be unable to teach this year. Dave Maxson will teach her class.

MINI-NINE PATCH

This quilt is made from a nine-patch using 3 colors
Colors need to be light, medium and very dark. The dark should be very dark suggest-
Navy blue, black, dark brown, dark purple etc.

The nine-patches can be a 6-½ inch, 9-½ inch, 12-½ inch or a 15-½ inch block.

The mini-9-patch is made from a 6-½ inch square.

All sizes are made exactly the same. The Center Square is always the darkest fabric. The four corner squares are the medium fabric and the other 4-squares are the lightest fabric.

Fabric requirements.

Mini- 6 ½ inch 9-patch. You will need 3 fat quarters, which will give you plenty for a small piece. You can use the darkest piece for your border.

9-½ inch 9-patch- ½ yard of the 3 fabrics will give you a Wall Hanging or Table Topper

12 ½ inch or 15 ½ inch- 9-patch- One to two yards of each of the fabrics will give you a lap to twin size piece.

If you want to make it scrappy just bring a ½ yard to a yard of the darkest fabric depending on how big you want your piece to be. For the other colors -bring lights and mediums to darks. Bring as much or as little as you want.

Borders are not included in the fabric requirements.

If you want to bring something you would like as a border. I suggest you bring at least 2 yards. You probably won't need this much however. I usually wait until I am done with the top and then add a border later.

You can make your nine patches ahead of time if you want, just make sure the fabrics are in the correct positions.

Also I will be demonstrating how to strip piece 9-patches at the Retreat for those who are interested.

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L+	Dark	L+
M	L+	M

