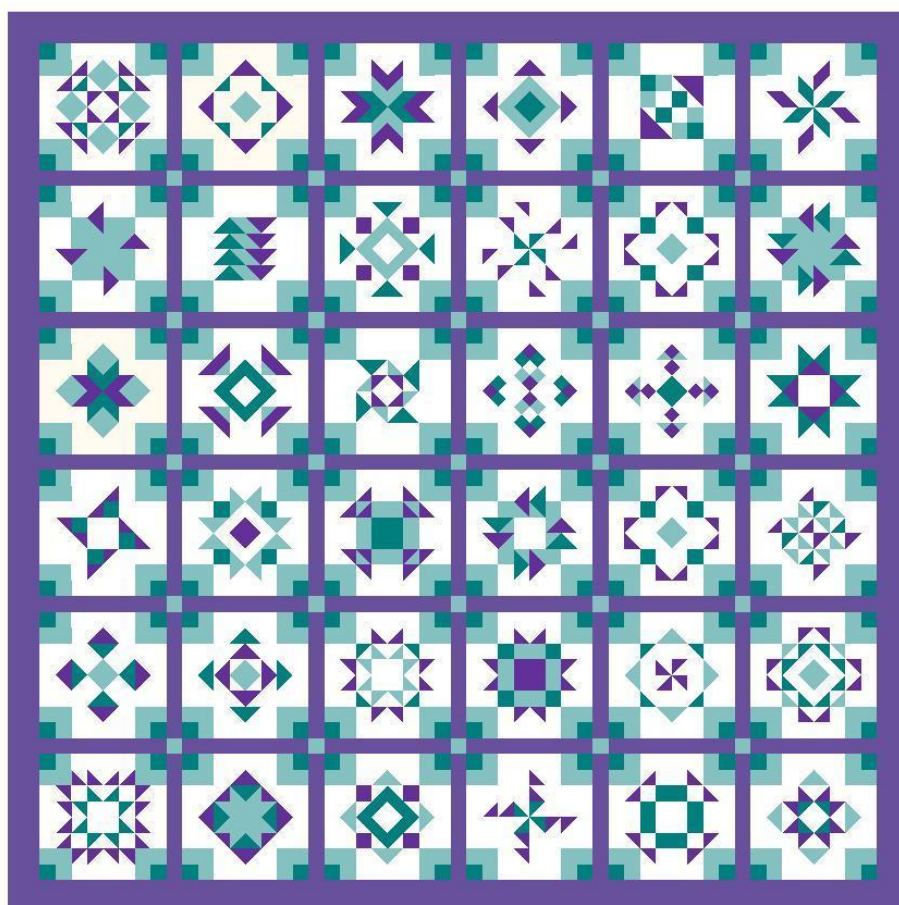


## Countdown to Paducah Quilt (Along)



This **FREE quilt along** will run over 38 weeks. There are 36 quilt blocks that create this quilt. We hope this will be a skill building experience. This beautiful quilt was offered as a free QAL through American Quilters Society. The finished quilt size is: 57" x 57". The blocks are 8 inches finished. This quilt has a little bit of foundation paper piecing in 3 of the blocks. This quilt lends itself to using up scraps (solids or prints), using a fabric collection that you have been saving for a special occasion, or as shown with solids.

In addition, there will be added incentive to participate in the QAL . . . weekly prizes and a final grand prize! In order for you to be entered into the QAL for the weekly prizes, you will either post your pictures of your block to Quilters' Guild of Arlington Facebook page or send an email to [Amysteinert@hotmail.com](mailto:Amysteinert@hotmail.com). Then I will share the pictures that come via email on Facebook. Remember, there will be a random prize drawing each week for

those who have posted/mailed their weekly block pictures, and are members of the Guild.

The **GRAND PRIZE** will be a random drawing from those people that have posted/mailed a photo of their finished quilt top. After the last block is sent on September 25<sup>th</sup>, you will have until October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022, to complete your quilt top (it does not have to be quilted). Remember, all your blocks are done at this point and you just have the sashing and borders left to do (unless you do it as you go, then it is only the borders which can be cut ahead and be ready to go). Finally, you will post/mailed your finished quilt top photo and be entered to win this grand prize . . . .



## Fabric Requirements

Purple (sashing and border) – 1 1/2 yards  
Dark Purple for blocks – 1/2 yard  
Blue – 3/4 yard  
Light Blue – 1 yard  
White – 2 yards

**\*\*We will be bringing our finished quilt tops for display at the October 11, 2022 Guild meeting to share with everyone.**

The first block will be emailed on January 24, 2022. Facebook posting and emails will be due Sunday night by 11:59 PM the night before the Monday blocks are posted. For example, the first block will need to be posted or emailed by January 30, 2022.

Now that you have the details, you can RUN to your fabric stash or your nearest quilt store to pick your fabric. **Please email Amy Steinert to let me know that you will be participating so that a group email can be created.**

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