

Wolves in the Snow

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



59" x 67"

*Please read all instructions before beginning. Pre-washing recommended for hand dye only.
Pre-washing NOT recommended for other fabrics.*

Yardages and Cutting

WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. Remove as little fabric as possible when removing selvages and squaring strip ends.

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- Trim to 41 1/2" wide x 21 1/2" tall.

1 1/4 yards dark gray texture

- 1 strip 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (8) 3 7/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally to make 16 triangles.
- 1 strip 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (8) 3 1/2" squares.
- 4 strips 3" x WOF; trim to 2 strips each 41 1/2" and 26 1/2" for panel framing.
- 6 strips 3" x WOF for border.

1 3/4 yards light gray hand dye

- 2 strips 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (16) 3 7/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally to make 32 triangles.
- 7 strips 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (80) 3 1/2" squares.
- 8 strips 2 1/2" x WOF for borders.

5/8 yard black texture

- 7 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

1 1/4 yards blue texture

- 1 strip 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (8) 3 7/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally to make 16 triangles.
- 6 strips 3 1/2" x WOF, cut into (32) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles and (8) 3 1/2" squares.
- 4 strips 1 1/2" x WOF for panel framing.
- 6 strips 1 1/2" x WOF for border.

4 1/3 yards 42" backing fabric OR

4 3/4 yards directional fabric

- 2 strips 75" x WOF OR
- 2 strips 83" x WOF directional backing

OR

2 1/4 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 75" x 83"

Batting

- 1 piece 75" x 83"

Piecing the Blocks

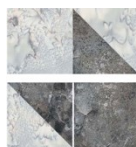
Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press seams as directed.

1. Sew a light gray triangle to a blue triangle on the long edges to make a 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" blue triangle unit. Press seam toward the blue triangle. Repeat to make 16 blue triangle units. Repeat with light gray and dark gray triangles to make 16 gray triangle units.



Triangle Units — Make 16 of each

2. Stitch a 3 1/2" light gray square to a blue triangle unit to make the 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" top row. Press seam toward the square. Repeat with a 3 1/2" blue square and blue triangle unit to make the bottom row. Join the rows to complete (1) 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" blue corner unit. Press seam toward the top row. Repeat to make 8 blue corner units. Repeat to make 8 gray corner units with light gray squares and gray triangle units as shown.



Corner Units — Make 8 of each

3. Draw a diagonal line from corner to corner on the wrong side of the remaining light gray squares.

4. Place a marked square right sides together on 1 end of a 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" blue rectangle. Sew on the line. Trim 1/4" out from the stitching. Press the light gray triangle open. Repeat on the remaining end of the rectangle to make (1) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" angled strip. Repeat to make 16 angled strips. Repeat to make 16 reverse angled strips, changing positioning of the diagonal lines as shown.



Angled Strips — Make 16 of each

5. Sew 2 angled strips together to make a 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" angled unit. Press seam to the left. Repeat to make 8 angled units. Repeat with reverse angled strips to make 8 reverse (R) angled units **except** press seam to the right in each unit.



Angled Units — Make 8 of each

6. Stitch a blue corner unit to an angled unit to make a 6 1/2" x 12 1/2" row. Press seam toward the corner unit. Sew a reverse (R) angled unit to a gray corner unit to make a row. Press seam toward the corner unit. Join the rows to complete (1) 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" Paw block. Press seam open. Repeat to make 8 blocks.



Paw Block — Make 8

Completing the Quilt

Refer to the exploded quilt diagram on the next page throughout the following steps.

1. Sew the 3" x 41 1/2" dark gray strips to the top and bottom of the panel. Press seams toward the strips. Sew the 3" x 26 1/2" strips to the sides. Press seams toward the strips.

2. Sew (4) 1 1/2" x WOF blue strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side. Cut into 2 strips each 26 1/2" and 48 1/2". Stitch the 26 1/2" strips to the sides of the bordered panel and the 48 1/2" strips to the top and bottom to complete the 48 1/2" x 28 1/2" framed panel. Press seams toward the strips.

3. Stitch the 2 1/2" x WOF light gray strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to one side cut into 2 strips each 56 1/2", 52 1/2" and 48 1/2". Sew the 48 1/2" strips to the top and bottom of the framed panel. Press seams toward the strips. Set aside the remaining strips for step 5.

4. Join 4 blocks to make a 12 1/2" x 48 1/2" row. Press seams open. Repeat to make a second row. Stitch the rows to the top and bottom of the framed panel to complete the 48 1/2" x 56 1/2" quilt center. Press seams toward the framed panel.

5. Sew the 2 1/2" x 56 1/2" light gray strips from step 3 to the sides of the quilt center and the 2 1/2" x 52 1/2" strips to the top and bottom. Press seams toward the strips.

6. Repeat step 3 with (6) 1 1/2" x WOF blue strips to make a long strip, cutting 2 strips each 60 1/2" and 54 1/2". Stitch the longer strips to the sides of the quilt center and the shorter strips to the top and bottom. Press seams toward the strips.

7. Repeat with the 3" x WOF dark gray strips to complete the top, cutting 2 strips each 62 1/2" and 59 1/2".

8. If using 42" backing fabric, remove the selvage edges from the backing pieces. Join the pieces on the long edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam open. Trim to make the 75" x 83" backing piece.

9. Layer the quilt top with the backing and batting pieces. Quilt as desired. Trim batting and backing even with the top.

10. Join the black texture binding strips on the short ends with diagonal seams to make a long strip. Press seams in one direction. Press the strip in half along the length with wrong sides together. Bind the quilt edges using your favorite method to complete the quilt.

