

# Woman in Paris

Quilt Designed by eQuilter



50" x 64"

**Skill Level:** Confident Beginner

**Finished Quilt Size:** 50" x 64"

*Please read all instructions before beginning.*

*Pre-washing NOT recommended.*

## Yardages and Cutting

*WOF is width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. LOF is length of fabric, parallel to the selvage edges. Remove as little fabric as possible when trimming selvages and squaring strip ends.*

### 1 Woman in Paris panel

- Trim to 28 1/2" x 42 1/2", centering the panel.

### 1 yard black

- 4 strips 2" x WOF; trim to (2) strips each 42 1/2" x 31 1/2".
- 6 strips 3 3/4" x WOF for outer border.

### 3/4 yard light gray tonal

- 3 strips 6" x WOF.

### 3/4 yard dark gray tonal

- 3 strips 6" x WOF.

### 1 yard red tonal

- 5 strips 1 1/4" x WOF for border.
- 6 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

### 3 3/4 yards of 44/45" backing fabric OR

### 4 1/2 yards directional backing fabric

- 2 pieces 65" x WOF OR
- 2 pieces 79" x WOF directional fabric

### OR

### 2 yards wide backing fabric

- 1 piece 65" x 79"

### Batting

- 1 piece 65" x 79"

## Completing the Quilt

*Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press all seams as directed. Refer to the exploded quilt diagram on the next page throughout the following steps.*

1. Stitch the (2) 2" x 42 1/2" black strips to the long sides of the quilt center and the (2) 2" x 31 1/2" black strips to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press seams toward the strips.
2. Sew the (3) light gray 6" x WOF strips short ends together to make one long strip. Press seams to one side. Trim to make (2) strips 61".
3. Repeat Step 2 with the (3) dark gray 6" x WOF strips, and trim to make (2) strips 47".
4. Center and stitch the light gray strips to the left and right sides of the quilt center, beginning, ending, and securing 1/4" from the corners of the quilt center. Repeat with dark gray strips on the top and bottom. Miter corners using your favorite method, making sure all corners lie flat. Trim mitered corners to 1/4" and press. Press seams toward the strips.
5. Sew the (5) 1 1/4" x WOF red strips short ends together to make one long strip. Press seams to one side. Trim to (2) strips each 56 1/2" and 44". Stitch longer strips to the long sides of the quilt center and the shorter strips to the top and bottom of the quilt center. Press seams toward the strips.
6. Join the (6) 3 3/4" x WOF black strips short ends together to make one long strip. Press seams to one side. Trim to make (2) strips each 58" and 50 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 to complete the quilt top.
7. 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 65" x 79" backing piece.

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

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

### Exploded Quilt Diagram

