

# COMPANIONS



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62-1/2" x 68-1/2"

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## **Fabrics: *Companions by James Hautman* for Elizabeth's Studio LLC**

**46002 Black (panel):** 1 panel (36" x 44")

**Black Solid:** 1/2 yard

**19003 Forest (pine branches):** 3/4 yard

**586 Umber (texture):** 3/4 yard

**556 Olive (wolf stripe):** 1-1/3 yards—3 full wolf stripes)

**709 Walnut (bark):** 3/4 yard

Binding—**586 Umber (texture):** 5/8 yard

Backing for 62-1/2" x 68-1/2" quilt top (5 yards)

### **Cutting Directions:**

**46002 Black (panel):** Trim panel to measure 34-1/2" high x 42-1/2" wide.

**Black Solid:** Cut (2) 1-1/2" x WOF (width of fabric) strips, cross cut to 1-1/2" x 43-1/2". Cut (7) 1-1/2" x WOF, set aside.

**19003 Forest (pine branches):** Cut (3) 7" x WOF strips, cross cut into (14) 7" squares. From remaining fabric, cut (2) 6-1/2" squares.

**586 Umber (texture):** Cut (3) 7" x WOF strips, cross cut into (14) 7" squares.

**556 Olive (wolf stripe):** Fussy cut (3) 6-1/2" x LENGTH of fabric strips. (Align your ruler to center the wolf stripe as you like, so that you have (3) identical strips). Set aside.

**709 Walnut (bark):** Cut (7) 3-1/2" x WOF strips. Set aside for border.

**586 Umber (texture):** Cut (7) 2-1/2" x WOF strips for binding, set aside.

## CONSTRUCTING THE QUILT TOP:

### *First Border:*

Add 1-1/2" x 42-1/2" strips **Black Solid** to top and bottom of **46002 Black (Panel)**.

### *Second Border (pieced):*



Layer 7" square **586 Umber (texture)** and **19003 Forest (pine branches)** right sides together. Draw a diagonal line on back of **19003 Forest (pine branches)** square. Sew a scant 1/4" on each side of line. Cut apart on drawn line. Press to make (2) half-square triangle units. Trim to measure 6-1/2" square. Repeat to make a total of (28) half-square triangle units.

Sew together (6) half-square triangle units for side border. Repeat to make second identical border. Sew to sides of quilt top, noting the direction of the half-square triangles. See diagram at right.



Top and Bottom borders are identical, one is flipped.



Sew together (8) half-square units for top border, sew 6-1/2" square **19003 Forest (pine branches)** to end. Add to quilt panel.

Repeat for bottom border. Add to bottom of quilt panel, noting direction of the half-square triangle units.



Side borders—two identical borders, one flipped upside down

### *Third Border:*

Sew together (3) 6-1/2" x WOF strips **556 Olive (wolf stripe)** along short edges.

From this, cut (2) 6-1/2" x 54-1/2" strips. Add to top and bottom of quilt top.

### *Fourth Border:*

Sew together (7) 1-1/2" x WOF strips **Black Solid** along short edges. From this, cut (2) 1-1/2" x 60-1/2" borders and (2) 1-1/2" x 56-1/2" borders. Add 1-1/2" x 60-1/2" strips to sides, then 1-1/2" x 56-1/2" strips to top and bottom of quilt top.

### *Outer Border:*

Sew together (7) 3-1/2" x WOF strips **709 Walnut (bark)** along short edges. From this, cut (4) 3-1/2" x 62-1/2" border strips. Add (2) strips to sides of quilt top, then add (2) to top and bottom.

## FINISHING QUILT:

Layer quilt top, batting and backing. Quilt as desired. Use reserved 2-1/2" x WOF strips **586 Umber (texture)** to bind quilt.