

# Good Fortune



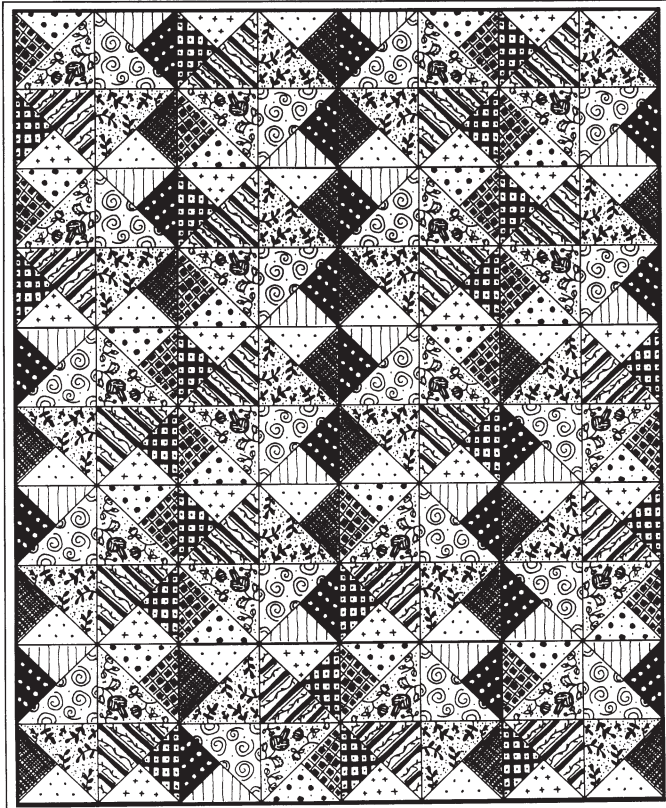
Good fortune will be yours with this fast and easy lap quilt. Use a bundle of fat quarters and a long afternoon to piece these fortune cookie-shaped blocks and — your quilt will soon be finished!

## Fabric requirements

Yardage is for 42-1/2" fabric with 40" of usable fabric

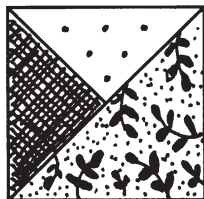
**Note:** Choose a variety of colors in distinctively dark, medium and light values. Or, choose three different colors where one color is a light value, one color is a medium value and one color is a dark value.

- light value fabrics — 5 fat quarters
- medium value fabrics — 10 fat quarters
- dark value fabrics — 5 fat quarters
- first border — 1/2 yard
- second border — 1 yard
- binding — 3/4 yard
- backing — 3-1/2 yards

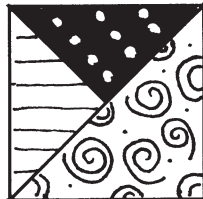


approximately 57" x 69"

diagram 1



fortune cookie one  
make 40

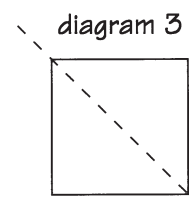
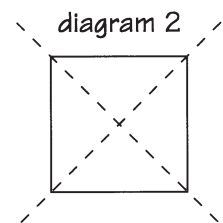


fortune cookie two  
make 40

## Cut — Read all directions before cutting

**Note:** The basic fortune cookie block is a 6" x 6" square finished (6-1/2" x 6-1/2" square unfinished). There are two variations of the fortune cookie block — **fortune cookie one** and **fortune cookie two** (see diagram 1). Make 40 of each for a total of 80 blocks. These look similar and are easy to get mixed up. Make fortune cookie one and then fortune cookie two and keep them in separate stacks.

**light value fabrics** — cut 20 squares 7-1/4" x 7-1/4" (cut four squares from each of the five light value fat quarters to equal 20 squares); cut these squares in half diagonally and then in half diagonally again (see diagram 2); you will have 80 triangles of light value fabric



**medium value fabrics** — cut **40** squares **6-7/8" x 6-7/8"** (cut four squares from each of the ten medium value fat quarters to equal 40 squares); cut these squares in half diagonally (see diagram 3); you will have 80 triangles of medium value fabric

**dark value fabrics** — cut **20** squares **7-1/4" x 7-1/4"** (cut four squares from each of the five dark value fat quarters to equal 20 squares); cut these squares in half diagonally and then in half diagonally again (see diagram 2); you will have 80 triangles of dark value fabric

**first border** — cut **eight** strips **1-1/2" x wof\***; sew two together end-to-end to form four long strips

**second border** — cut **eight** strips **3-3/4" x wof\***; sew two together end-to-end to form four long strips

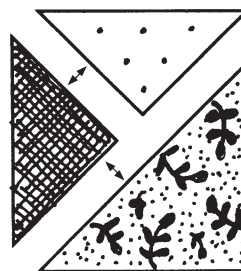
wof\* — width of fabric

## Construction — all seams are 1/4"

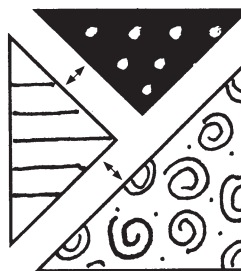
Read all directions before sewing

1. Construct 40 of fortune cookie one and 40 of fortune cookie two (see diagram 4).
2. Sew two of fortune cookie one with two of fortune cookie two to make a 4-block unit (follow placement in diagram 5). Make 20 4-block units.
3. Sew five rows of four 4-block units. Sew these rows together (see quilt diagram on page one) to make quilt center.
4. Sew first border strips to the edges of quilt center. Trim ends as needed.
5. Sew second border strips to the edges of the first border. Trim ends as needed.
6. Baste, quilt, bind and enjoy "Good Fortune" always!

diagram 4

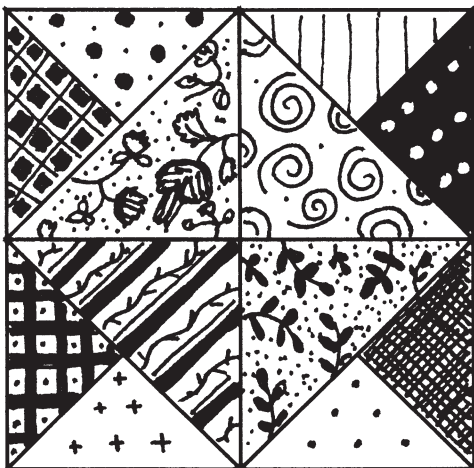


fortune cookie one  
make 40



fortune cookie two  
make 40

diagram 5



4-block unit — make 40