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One Day Mystery Quilt

Date(s) Saturday, April 25, 2020 Time 10:30pm - 5:00pm

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Welcome!

I don't want to reveal too much, but what I can tell you is the finished quilt size will be 44" x 60" and includes one border. The basic building blocks to the quilt will finish at 4". Here is a list of the blocks we will be making: Flying Geese, Square in a Square, 4-Patch, Half Square Triangles, Triangles in a Square, and plain ol' squares. While there are many methods in piecing these basic blocks, I have recommended rulers that will make these blocks easier to piece.

You **MUST** come to class with your blocks made. If you want instructions on preparing your blocks, you can come to Glastonbury on these specific dates and we will help you prepare them – **FREE!** If you want to stay and sew in our classroom, you can do that as well. We can help you, if and when you need help. **Wednesday, March 18, 10:00am-5:00pm and/or Saturday, March 21, 10:00am-5:00pm.** The quilt is simply gorgeous, and we feel strongly that you'll be glad you took the class.

Fabric Choices: This mystery quilt works the best with **VERY** contrasting light and dark fabrics that read solid. These fabric quantities are for the cutting and rulers I am recommending. If you choose an alternate cutting/piecing method such as the AccuQuilt Go and for mistakes ☺, get a little more fabric.

Fabric

- Light 2 yards
- Dark 1 ¾ yards
- Binding ½ yard
- Backing 3 yards

Rulers Recommended

- Eleanor Burns QIAD Large Flying Geese (CTH#560094)
- EZ Quilting Tri Recs Triangle Ruler (CTH#7307737530)
- EZ Quilting Easy Angle Triangle Ruler III 6 ½" (CTH#7936)
- Creative Grid Corner Clipper

Also, bring the following:

Sewing machine in top running condition*

Presser Feet: ¼" foot for your machine – **Required-no exceptions**

Needles: Quilting cottons use Universal 80/12, Batik cottons use Microtex Sharps 70/10

Small thread snips

Rotary cutter, large mat, and 6 ½" x 24 ½" square creative grid ruler for borders

Glass head straight pins

Seam Ripper

Small iron, iron mat, Best Press Fabric Starch Alternative

PRE-CLASS Homework: Make the # needed for each Block. (See Page 2) Bring them ALL with you!

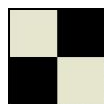
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28 FG



8 SIS



24 4P



24 HST



7 SQ



26 TIS

Quilt In A Day-2" x 4" Large Flying Geese:

From the DARK fabric cut (14) 5 ½" squares

From the LIGHT fabric cut (14) 7" squares

Center DARK 5 ½" square on top of a LIGHT 7" square, right sides together (RST). Draw a diagonal line on wrong side of DARK square. Stitch ¼" on both sides of the drawn line. Cut on the line. Press toward large triangle (LIGHT).

Center these two pieces RST on top of each other, opposite fabrics touching in the corners, with seams running parallel but not touching. Note: Large triangle tips will hang out beyond the square. Draw a diagonal line perpendicular to the seams. Sew ¼" from both sides of the line. Cut on line.

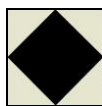
Snip ¼" into the seam between the two seams. Press flat. Use the Eleanor Burns QIAD Large Flying Geese Ruler 2x4 markings to trim the flying geese to 2 ½" x 4 ½" unfinished (seam allowances are built into the ruler!). Yield 4 Flying Geese units per square of DARK and LIGHT fabric.

Repeat 13 more times to yield a total of 56 flying geese units.



Sew pairs of Flying Geese to make (28) 4 ½" unfinished square units.

Clip these units together with a WONDER CLIP and place these units in a zip lock for later.



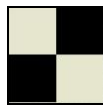
Make 8 - Square-in-a-Square (SIS)

From the Light, Cut (2) 2 ½" strips WOF. Sub cut 32 - 2 ½" squares

From the Dark, Cut (1) 4 ½" strip WOF. Sub cut 8 - 4 ½" squares

Align one 2 ½" light square in the corner - right sides together with the dark center square. Align the Creative Grid Folded Corner Clipper to trim the corner away and sew at ¼" seam allowance. Press toward the light corner. Repeat for each corner.

Alternately, if you do not have the CG Corner Clipper ruler, draw a diagonal on the wrong side of the light 2 ½" square, sew on the line, trim excess corner away, and press.



Make 24 - 4-patch (4P)

From the Light, Cut (3) 2 ½" strips WOF.

From the Dark, Cut (3) 2 ½" strip WOF.

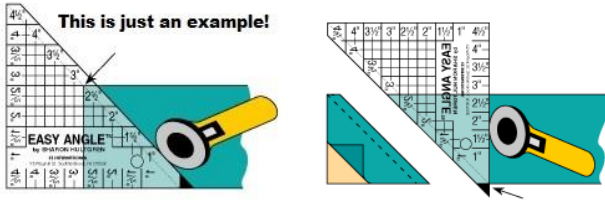
Sew a light and dark strip right side together along the long side. Press toward the dark. Sub cut each strip set into 16 - 2 ½" units. Rotate the units to lock seams and sew together the 4-patch units.



Make 24 - Half Square Triangles (HST)

From the Light, Cut (2) 4 1/2" strips WOF. (*see alternate cutting if not using EZ Easy Angle ruler)
From the Dark, Cut (2) 4 1/2" strips WOF. (*see alternate cutting if not using EZ Easy Angle ruler)

Use the EZ Easy Angle Ruler to make simple, quick HST by placing one light and one dark strip right sides together and place the ruler as shown below. Cut 24 and sew each triangle unit to make 4" HST. Press to the dark fabric.



*Alternately, Cut your strips 4 7/8" wide, cut (12) 4 7/8" squares, draw the line diagonal and stitch 1/4" on both sides of the line. Cut apart on the line and press to dark fabric.

Make 7 – Squares (SQ)



From the Dark, Cut (1) 4 1/2" strips WOF. Sub cut (7) – 4 1/2" squares



Make 26 - Triangle in a Square (TIS)

- Use the EZ Quilting TRI-RECS tool by Darlene Zimmerman

From the Light, Cut (3) 4 1/2" strips WOF.
From the Dark, Cut (2) 4 1/2" strips WOF.

Cutting Light using the RECS Tool: Fold each light 4 1/2" strip to 4 1/2" x 21 1/2" – Lay the blunt edge of RECS Tool on top edge of strip and the 4 1/2" marked line on bottom edge of strip. Cut your first pair of half rectangles. Trim the small notch at the top of the RECS tool to help with lining up to the TRI unit. Rotate RECS Tool 180 degrees to cut the second pair of triangles. Trim the notch. Repeat 24 more times to yield 26 pairs of Light RECS in total.

Cutting Dark using the TRI Tool: – Cut (26) triangles by using the TRI TOOL. Place blunt edge of TRI Tool along the top edge of strip and 4 1/2" tool marking on bottom edge of strip. Cut triangle. Rotate ruler 180 degrees to cut another triangle. Repeat to cut a total of 26 Dark triangles in total.

Sew a pair of Light RECS to the Dark TRI matching up blunt edge to the point on the Triangle. Press toward the Light Recs. Make 26.

