

Sister's Choice Class Supply List



42 blocks set 6 X 7. Quilt Center 60" x 70" before borders.

Quilt can be made any size you want it, just make more 10" blocks!

The objective in this workshop is for students to learn the basics, and the fun and freedom of scrap piecing!

Students will bring scraps and 2.5" strips to share with others in the class so that everyone has a variety of fabrics to play with.

Please come with a variety of lights (neutral backgrounds) And colors (main block parts) to play with! You may choose 1 accent color for the star points. In the quilt above, I chose many pinks for the star points, with each block having the same fabric in all 8 points. Star points may be whatever color you wish, even a scrappy mix!

How big of a quilt do you want to make

Cut the pieces from scraps for each block individually just as shown on the pattern page.

In the sample quilt, each block is different. Each nine-patch in the block center uses 2 different colors of strips. Each block uses one strip cut into 8 squares for the star points. Each star has

4 different neutral corners, and 4 different background pieces.

Why is there no "exact" yardage given for this quilt? It's a scrap quilt! It's difficult to figure yardage when each fabric is less than 1/8 of a yard per block.

Each block is 10" finished, and information is given for what is needed for each block.

As this is a one-day class, bring enough to keep you busy during the class duration. There is no need to cut out the whole quilt ahead of time, you can always add more later.

The objective is to use what you have in your quilt stash and make a beautiful quilt!

Please come with some of your scraps or FQ's already cut into 2.5" strips. It may save you time to "kit" them as shown below.

The directions for the quilt are found under the free patterns tab at the top of my blog at Quiltville.blogspot.com and it is helpful if you take the time to read through them before class starts.

Please print out your own set of printer-friendly instructions by clicking the printer-friendly link at the top of the pattern page to help us keep printing costs to the guild at a minimum!

Be aware of anyone in the class who does not have a printer or internet access, and maybe think about an extra copy just in case.

Yes, you can use jelly rolls for this quilt, but as each jelly roll contains a different number of strips equaling unknown yardage, together with not always the same amount of either light or dark strips, you may need to add to your jelly roll to include more neutrals from your stash, or accent pieces for your star points, etc. It's a good place to start your color palette, but usually isn't sufficient to use just a jelly roll for the whole quilt. (Each fabric line is different so I

can't lump them all together as what is included in each roll.)



Block Size: 10"



This is what you need to complete ONE block:

- (2) 2 1/2" X 11" strips for nine-patch center + (1) 2 1/2" square for the final corner.
(in this case it's the yellow square at the top left)
- (4) 2 1/2" neutral squares for block corners
- (4) 2 1/2" X 6 1/2" neutral rectangles for block sides
- (8) 2 1/2" Squares of green for the star points.

Kit up each block as shown (if desired) and come ready to sew!

Note Using just the picture above, I did some quick yardage figuring as if you were to make a queen size quilt with 72 of just the block shown above with the red & yellow nine-patch in the center. I thought this might help you know your *approximate* total yardage for the block portion of the quilt:

Red: 1 1/2 yards
Yellow: 1 7/8 yards
Green: 2 1/2 yards
Background Neutral: 4 1/2 yards

Inner border: 1 yard
Outer border: 1 1/2 yards

But of course, this is only if you were doing the whole quilt in only 4 fabrics. Do you see why it works a bit differently when figuring scraps into the equation?

In addition to your fabric you will need the basics:

- Print out the class instructions found under the free patterns tab on my blog at Quiltville.blogspot.com.
- Sewing machine in working order (including power cords and extension cords)
- Thread, scissors, seam ripper, pins and any other notions you usually sew with.
- Rotary cutter, mat and ruler.
- Wooden seam presser, unless individual irons are approved for your venue. Please don't overload the breakers and blow the fuses!
- 1 fine point pencil
- Please wear your guild name tag so I know who you are!

I am really looking forward to spending this time with your guild digging into our scraps! Of course, goodies (ie: chocolate!) are always welcome as snacks if your venue allows them!

Please contact me at quiltville@gmail.com if there are any questions.