

Mystery Quilt

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PIECE #14 (this week's Mystery Clue!!!)

This week, you will AGAIN make 64 **EASY** blocks!

Remember, this is a FREE project!!! You can use your own stash OR, if you are interested, you can purchase a "kit" each time we give you a piece of the *Mystery*. The price of our kits will vary clue to clue depending on the amount of fabric in the kit. The price will be nominal.

To make 64 EASY blocks, CUT:

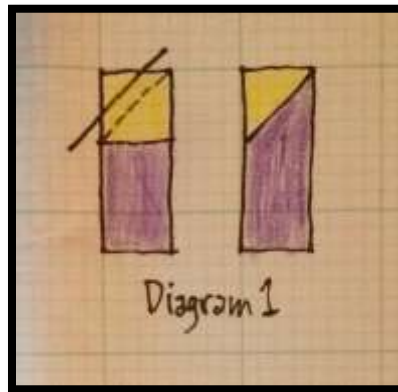
- 64 – 2 ½" x 5 ½" strips
(I used four different Civil War Print fabrics – each strip will yield 16 – 2 ½" x 5 ½" strips)
- 64 – 2 ½" squares of YELLOW Civil War fabrics
(I used 3 different YELLOWS. You'll need 4 – 2 ½" strips of THREE different yellows: 2 of Yellow Fabric #1, and one each of Yellow Fabric #2 and Yellow Fabric #3. Each strip will yield 16 – 2 ½" squares)
- 64 – 2 ½" squares of Shirtings
(I used 4 different Shirtings – a 2 ½" strip of each Shirting yields 16 – 2 ½" squares).

NOTE: last week the ends pointed DOWN. This week the ends point UP. This is important so carefully look at the diagrams before sewing! READ THIS TWICE!

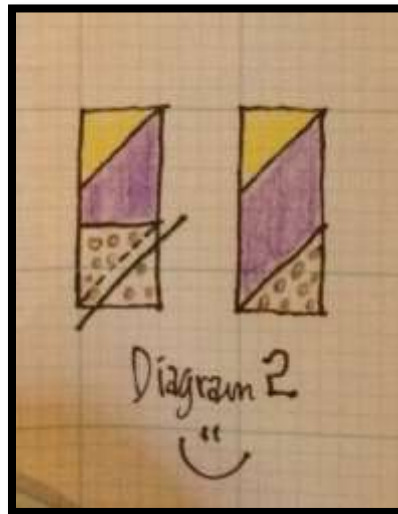
Draw a pencil line diagonally from corner-to-corner on the back of all 64 – 2 ½" YELLOW squares AND on all 64 – 2 ½" squares of SHIRTING squares.

Place one YELLOW 2 ½" square on the top of a 2 ½" x 5 ½" strip of Civil War Print fabric. Sew directly on the pencil line.

Trim $\frac{1}{4}$ " from the seam and press open.



Repeat on the bottom using a SHIRTING $2\frac{1}{2}$ " square.



Using all your $64 - 2\frac{1}{2} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ Civil War Fabric strips, now make 64 of these EASY blocks!

Once again, you should SAVE THESE EASY Blocks!

Put them in your *Mystery Quilt* project bag or a plastic baggy! You WILL need these later when we begin putting the *Mystery* all together!!