



Week Nine

Scrap Block Quilt Sampler – 52-week Series

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“Churn Dash Night & Day” block 12.5” x 12.5”

Using “Speedy Solutions Scrap Techniques” by Lori Dickman;
Speedy Solutions Techniques [Video link HERE](#)

Fabric scraps to pull from your stash:

Darks: (4) 5” squares; (1) 5.5” squares

Lights: (4) 5” square; (1) 5.5” squares

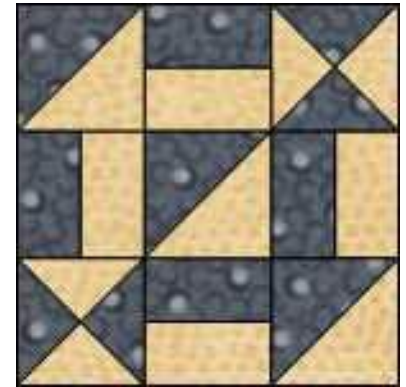
Directions: (Be sure to WATCH VIDEO!)

Create Rectangles:

Cut (2) of the 5” Light squares and (2) of the 5” Dark squares in half to obtain (2) rectangles from each square. At this point each rectangle will measure 2.5” x 5”.

THEN, trim away ½” from the length of each rectangle so the rectangles measure 2.5” x 4.5”. You should have a total of (4) Light & (4) Dark rectangles that measure 2.5” x 4.5”.

Sew (4) sets of Light/Dark rectangles together. Each rectangle set should be squared up to 4.5” x 4.5”



Create HST's as follows:

1. Using the remaining (2) 5” Light squares & the (2) 5” Dark squares, place a Light/Dark square RST.
2. Draw a diagonal line from one corner to opposite corner.
3. Sew a SCANT ¼” on BOTH sides of the drawn line.
4. Cut on drawn line.
5. Press to dark (or press open if you prefer).
6. Square up each HST to 4.5” (You will only use (3) of the completed HST units. Save the 4th one for another project! Or, if you are making a quilt of this block only, then you will use it to create additional Churn Dash Night & Day blocks!)



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Churn Dash Night & Day Block

Create (2) QST's (Quarter Square Triangles) as follows:

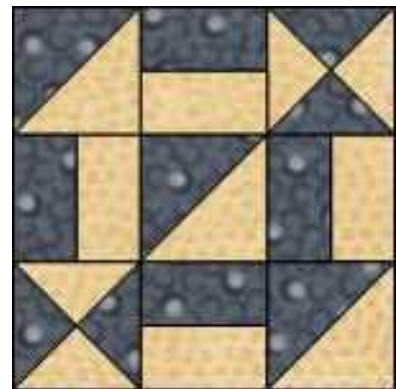
Using (1) 5.5" Darks and (1) 5.5" Lights, repeat steps 1 through 5 of HST directions. However, **DO NOT** square up each HST **at this point**. **INSTEAD**, do the following:

1. Place the Light/Dark HST units RST so opposite colors touch (the dark touches the light parts of the HST.).
2. Then, draw a diagonal line across the HST (wrong side) unit that runs perpendicular to the seam allowance. (WATCH VIDEO TO ENSURE THIS IS DONE CORRECTLY.)
3. Sew a Scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance on Both sides of the drawn line.
4. Cut on the drawn line.
5. Press seam allowances OPEN so they lay flat.
6. SQUARE UP EACH QST to 4.5"



To Create the Block as shown in diagram at right...

1. Lay out the block units as shown in diagram.
2. Be sure to match the light/dark **placement and orientation** of each of the units within the block.
3. Now sew the 3 rows of 3 blocks together following the diagram above. (This is simply a 9-patch block made up of 4.5" units.)
4. Press and square up the block to 12.5"



Enjoy! You have completed Block 9: Churn Dash Night & Day Block!

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