"Four Patch Square Dance" Scrappy Block
12.5" x 12.5"

Scrappy Block Patterns use my "*Speedy Solutions Scrap Techniques*" by Lori Dickman; Watch the *Speedy Solutions Techniques* Video Link HERE

Fabric scraps to pull from your stash:

Lights: (8) 2.5" squares; (4) 3" squares (HST's)
Mediums: (10) 2.5" squares; (2) 3" squares (HST's)
Darks: (10) 2.5" squares; (2) 3" squares (HST's)

Create the Block:

1. First, create the HST's using the (4) Light 3" squares paired up with the (2) Dark & (2) Medium 3" squares. Pair them up RST. Draw a diagonal line, sew a Scant ¼" SA on EACH side of the drawn line. Cut on drawn line. Press open or to the dark side. SQUARE up EACH HST unit to 2.5" You should have a total of (8) HST's…(4) Dk/Lt and (4) Med/Lt.

2. Lay out your 2.5" squares & 2.5" HST units as shown in the diagram above. It helped me to locate the placement of each HST unit first, then I placed the Medium and the Dark squares as shown in photo (above). NOTE: On my scrappy block, I have lined up the darker units in diagonal lines (top right & bottom left) which create a beautiful design in the scrappy quilt (see next page).

3. I like to 'web' the rows of my blocks together (see my YouTube videos). You can certainly just create a total of (9) 4-patch units & then web those 4-patch units together. However, please note that there are (**8**) 4-patch units that **include** a HST, and (**1**) 4-patch unit for the center that is **simply 4-squares**! Sew the block together using a method that works best for you!

4. One you have sewn the (6) rows of (6) squares together, press & square up the block to 12.5".

Your "***Four Patch Square Dance***" Block is ready to use!
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Below is an idea on a quilt layout for the "Four Patch Square Dance" quilt!

Have fun using up your scraps to create beautiful quilts!

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