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Episode Four

“Sunlit Courtyard” Block



For TIPS on how to organize your scrap stash first...which is key to making these speedy solutions work perfectly when sewing your blocks...this **video** (link below) offers great ideas for cutting and sorting!

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**Speedy
Solutions
Stash
Techniques!**

**Cut, Sort,
Organize & USE
your Stash!**

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**How to
Determine Value
When Sorting
Scrap Fabrics**

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“Sunlit Courtyard” Instructions for the block: (Partial Seaming is used in this block)



Block measures: 10.5” UNFINISHED

For EACH Flying Squares Block, pull from your stash, or cut the following:

Dark: (4) 2.5” squares and (1) 6.5” square

Light [White] (4) 3” Squares

Medium [Yellow]: (4) 3” Squares

Medium: (4) 2.5” squares

1. Create the HST units using the 3” White & Yellow squares. Place a white & yellow square RST; draw a diagonal line. Sew scant 1/4” on BOTH sides of diagonal line. Cut on line. Press open. Square up EACH HST unit to 2.5” square. Create a total of (8) HST white/yellow units.
2. Sew top and bottom rows together **following diagram** and using (4) Medium 2.5” squares, (4) Dark 2.5” squares, and (4) of the HST units.
3. Sew a Dark 2.5” square between (2) HST units. Repeat this step for each side of block.
4. Then sew those units to the center 6.5” Dark square.
5. Sew the top and bottom rows to the center row to finish the block.
6. Press seams open (or toward dark seams). Square up to 10.5”.

What a beautiful Scrappy Block & Quilt this will make! Although, in the sample diagram (right) each block is the same, varying the center 6.5” square would make this a very scrappy quilt! If you prefer a more controlled scrappy look, then use the same print for the 6.5” squares, as well as the same fabrics for the Yellow/White HST’s! Choose your favorite hues or select fabrics from your stash that would accommodate the controlled scrappy appearance!
HAVE FUN!



Happy Quilting! Lori Dickman

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