

## MYSTERY IN MIDDLEBURGH

### September Clues

#### KEY

(All seam allowances are ¼ inch)

35 blocks    24 blocks

Symbols: ✂ rotary cuts    ⚡ scrap options    ♥ rainbow options

\*Instruction will cover 2 areas: 35 or 24 total blocks for top; scrappy or rainbow

**TOOLS :** rotary cutter, mat, 18-24" ruler, 6½" x 24½" ruler is helpful, but not necessary, sewing machine

**Block size 10" / count and finished sizes (with 3 inch border):**

**35 blocks** twin 56" x 76"

**24 blocks:** lap 46" x 66"

#### **FABRIC REQUIREMENTS FOR TOP INCLUDING BODERS & BINDING LENGTH:**

ALL fabrics based on 40" width after salvage trimmed, except, of course, scraps.

\*Binding requirements based on 2" width cut folded in half on the straight of the grain binding

Values must be consistent throughout the quilt top. All other colors may vary as you choose.

#### **Total yardage per fabric:**

##### **35 BLOCKS**

**"A" 1 ½ yards** light in color value, it should be the lightest value, (example: pastel)

**"B" 1 ¼ yards** dark in color value & should be the deepest value (example: rich jewel color)

**"C" 1 ¼ yards** medium color value, not too light or too dark, to compliment "A" & "B"

**"D" 1 ¼ yards** dark color value, this should compliment fabric "E"

**"E" 1 ½ yards** light color value, this should compliment fabric "D"

**Border 1 yard**

**\*Binding: ¾ yard**

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**"C" ¾ yard** medium color value, not too light or too dark, to compliment "A" & "B"

**"D" ¾ yard** dark color value, this should compliment fabric "E"

**"E" 1 yard** light color value, this should compliment fabric "D"

**Border ¾ yard**

**\*Binding ½ yard**

⚡ **RAID YOUR SCRAPS:** You can use a mix of light value scraps for the Fabric A yardage, a mix of dark value scraps for the Fabric B yardage, and a mix of medium value scraps for the Fabric C yardage or just mix it up.

**Suggested fabrics:** small prints, calicos, reproductions, hand-dyed, batiks solids, and organized scraps (Not suited for large or directional prints however some of these may work for a scrappy)

😊 If you won a fat quarter drawing this is a great place to use them, vary the values light to dark.

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# Organized scrappy quilt:

# ✂ Scrappy ROTARY CUTS: WE WILL USE FABRICS A & B THIS MONTH

35 blocks

24 blocks

\*A fabric (light values)      28 Strips: 2½" x 13"      24-Strips: 2½" x 11"

\*B fabric (dark values)      35 Strips: 2½" x 13"      30- Strips: 2½" x 11"

☺ OR cut the length of the strips in half & double the amount to use smaller scraps:

\*A fabric (light values)      56 strips 2½" x 7"      48 strips 2 ½ x 5 ½"

\*B fabric (dark values)      70 strips 2½" x 7"      60 strips 2 ½ x 5 ½"

**Purchased fabrics** all patches will be cut from fabrics A & B.

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# "X" Instructions TAKE NOTE of number to make

# Make 14 for 35 blocks 12 for 24 blocks

1. Sew one fabric **B** strip to each side of one fabric **A** strip along the patch length for each set.
2. Press seams toward the darker fabric.
3. Square the ends to a straight edge.



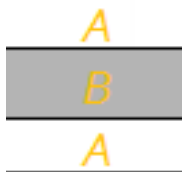
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# "Y" Instructions TAKE NOTE of number to make

# Make 7 for 35 blocks (6 for 24 blocks)

1. Sew one fabric **A** strip to each side of one fabric **B** strip along the patch length for each set.
2. Press seams toward the darker fabric.
3. Square the ends to a straight edge.



drawing 2

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♥ **Rainbow:** The following lists note fabric requirements for A, B & enough for C.  
**DO NOT** purchase fabric **C** if doing rainbow style.

*Light red is pink can be pink; try a deep coral for the light red.*

**35 blocks**

- 3/8 yard **dark red**
- 3/8 yard **light red**
- 3/8 yard **dark purple**
- 3/8 yard **light purple**
- 1/4 yard **dark blue**
- 1/4 yard **light blue**
- 1/4 yard **dark green**
- 1/4 yard **light green**
- 1/4 yard **dark yellow**
- 1/4 yard **light yellow**
- 3/8 yard **dark orange**
- 3/8 yard **light orange**
- 3/8 yard **dark pink**
- 3/8 yard **light pink**

“D” 1 3/4 yards includes border

1 yard each if border (different)

“E” 1 1/4 yard

\*Binding: 1 yard

**24 blocks**

- 1/4 yard **dark red**
- 1/4 yard **light red**
- 1/4 yard **dark purple**
- 1/4 yard **light purple**
- 1/4 yard **dark blue**
- 1/4 yard **light blue**
- 1/4 yard **dark green**
- 1/4 yard **light green**
- 1/4 yard **dark yellow**
- 1/4 yard **light yellow**
- 1/4 yard **dark orange**
- 1/4 yard **light orange**
- 1/4 yard **dark pink**
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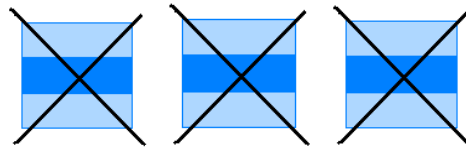
“D” 1 5/8 yards includes border

1 yard border & 3/4 “D” fabric (if different)

“E” 3/4 yard

\*Binding: 3/4 yard

⊕ **RAID YOUR STASH:** Use lights and darks of different fabrics for each color. It will add interest to the top.



DO this.....NOT this

♥ ✂ **Rainbow ROTARY CUTS:**

**Cut ONE BLOCK SET for each color set:**

**24 blocks cuts**

4 strips: 2 1/2" x 8" light red, violet, orange and pink

5 strips: 2 1/2" x 8" dark red, violet, orange and pink

4 strips: 2 1/2" x 10 1/2" light blue, green and yellow

5 strips: 2 1/2" x 10 1/2" dark blue, green and yellow

**36 blocks cuts**

4 strips: 2 1/2" x 10 1/2" light violet and orange

5 strips: 2 ½"x 10 ½" dark violet and orange

4 strips: 2 ½"x15 ½" light blue, green and yellow

5 strips: 2 ½" x 15½" dark blue, green and yellow

4 strips: 2 ½"x18 ½" light red and pink

5 strips: 2 ½" x 18½" dark red and pink

♥ **"X" Instructions** Make one of each color set

Make 2 of each different color set

1. Sew one fabric **B** strip to each side of one fabric **A** strip along the patch length for each set.
2. Press seams toward the darker fabric.
3. Square the ends to a straight edge.



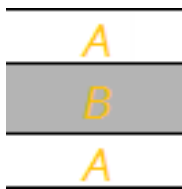
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♯♥ **"Y" Instructions**

Make 1 of each color set

1. Sew one fabric **A** strip to each side of one fabric **B** strip along the patch length for each set.
2. Press seams toward the darker fabric.
3. Square the ends to a straight edge.



drawing 2

**Treat: Applebake with Granola and Vanilla Yogurt**

8 medium apples, peeled, cored and cut into ½ inch chunks.

1/3 cup water

1/3 cup sugar 1 teaspoon cinnamon

½ teaspoon nutmeg

1 cup granola

1 cup vanilla yogurt

1. In a 2 quart microwavable casserole dish add apples and water; cover and microwave on high for 12-14 minutes; stirring 2-3 times during the cooking.
2. Stir in sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg, cover and cook on high 2-4 minutes. Stir well.
3. Spoon into dishes and top with granola and yogurt. (Recipe source unknown)