

Merry Mayhem's Mystery Quilt Case # 148: Twist 'N Shout

Join Merry Mayhem for a romp into the unknown as you make your choice of FOUR different Sizes of a Quilt that COULD make use of some 2½" strips, and/or a LOT of scraps! The piecing method will have you shouting with joy when you see it!

PART 1:

SUPPLIES:

- Rotary Cutting Equipment, including rotary cutter, self-healing mat and ruler. A 6" square ruler is handy for this project. A small spinning mat is also very helpful, if you have one.
- Sewing Machine in good working order, extra needles, extra bobbins
- Iron, ironing board
- Neutral-color thread for piecing
- Basic sewing supplies, including pins, seam ripper, pencil, scissors, etc.

FABRICS:

Yardages are based on having at least 42" of usable width of fabric. If you can not get at least 42" of usable fabric from your yardage, you will need to purchase extra fabric!

- **Fabric A: Light Scraps:** - We're talking scrappy here, so pretty much anything goes!
- **Fabric B: Mediums** - You will need these in sets of 4 matching pieces.
- **Fabric C: Mediums/Dark Scraps** - Pretty much anything goes here.
- **Fabric D - Light for your Sashing;** nothing too busy, please. The scraps will be doing a lot of the work here.
- **Fabric E - Dark for your Setting Squares;** Again, keep it pretty simple.
- **Fabric F - Medium for your Outside Border;** not too busy, but it can be a blend of the colors in your Sashing & Setting Square fabrics.

Final Dimensions of Each Size Project:

Crib: 31" x 41"

Nap: 52" x 62"

Twin: 62" x 83" (Good size for Quilts of Valor!)

Queen: 94" x 104"

These are my Fabrics D, E & F that I used to make my test sample:

CUTTING:

Follow the chart on the next page to cut the fabrics for your Blocks.

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Crib size has no brackets, Nap size has (parentheses), Twin size has [these brackets], and Queen size has {these brackets}.

We are only giving yardages for your Sashing, Setting Squares & Outside Border here. Everything else is scrappy, but we will give you some guidance if you wish to use 2½" strips. (See Cutting Chart on Page 2.)

Fabric D, Sashing: ⅓ yard, (⅞ yd), [1⅓ yd], {2¾ yd}

Fabric E, Setting Squares: ⅛ yard, (¼ yd or Fat Quarter), [¼ yd or Fat Quarter], {½ yd}

Fabric F, Outside Border: ⅝ yard, (⅞ yard), [1 yd], {1½ yd}

Backing Fabric: 1 yd, (3⅓ yd), [4¾ yd], {8¼ yd} We will give you instructions for piecing your Backing later on.

Binding: ¼ yard, (½ yd), [⅝ yd], {⅞ yd}



SIZE OF PROJECT	FABRIC A LIGHT SCRAPS: 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"	FABRIC B MEDIUMS: 2" x 4" in SETS OF FOUR MATCHING FABRICS Keep matching sets together.	FABRIC C MEDIUMS/DARKS: TWO Sizes as indicated Below
Crib	TWENTY-FOUR (24)	SIX sets of FOUR (Total # of pieces = 24)	TWENTY-FOUR (24) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles, AND SIX 2" squares.
Nap	EIGHTY (80)	TWENTY sets of FOUR (Total # of pieces = 80)	EIGHTY (80) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" rectangles, AND TWENTY 2" squares.
Twin	ONE HUNDRED FORTY (140); IF you wish to use 2 1/2" strips here, you will need 16 of them.	THIRTY-FIVE (35) sets of FOUR (Total # of pieces = 140)	ONE HUNDRED FORTY (140) 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"; IF you wish to use 2 1/2" strips here, you will need 16 of them. AND THIRTY-FIVE (35) 2" squares.
Queen	TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT (288); IF you wish to use 2 1/2" strips here, you will need 32 of them.	SEVENTY-TWO (72) sets of FOUR (Total # of pieces = 288)	TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT (288); IF you wish to use 2 1/2" strips here, you will need 32 of them. AND SEVENTY-TWO (72) 2" squares.

Fabric D: Sashing -

- For the Crib size: Cut ONE 9" by Width of Fabric (WOF) strip, then cut it into SIXTEEN (16) 2 1/2" by 9" pieces. From your remaining fabric, cut ONE additional 2 1/2" by 9" piece. You should now have a total of SEVENTEEN (17) of these pieces.
- For the Nap size: Cut THREE (3) 9" by WOF strips, then cut them into FORTY-EIGHT (48) 2 1/2" by 9" pieces. From your remaining fabric, cut ONE additional 2 1/2" by 9" piece. You should now have a total of FORTY-NINE (49) of these pieces.
- For the Twin size: Cut FIVE (5) 9" by WOF strips, then cut them into EIGHTY (80) 2 1/2" by 9" pieces. From your remaining fabric, cut TWO additional 2 1/2" by 9" pieces. You should now have a total of EIGHTY-TWO (82) of these pieces.
- For the Queen size: Cut TEN 9" by WOF strips, then cut them into ONE HUNDRED SIXTY (160) 2 1/2" by 9" pieces. From your remaining fabric, cut ONE additional 2 1/2" by 9" piece. You should now have a total of ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE of these pieces.

Fabric E: Setting Squares -

- For the Crib size, cut ONE 2 1/2" by WOF strip, then cut it into TWELVE (12) 2 1/2" squares.
- For the Nap size, cut TWO 2 1/2" by WOF strips, then cut them into THIRTY (30) 2 1/2" squares.
- For the Twin size, cut THREE 2 1/2" by WOF strips, then cut them into FORTY-EIGHT (48) 2 1/2" squares.
- For the Queen size, cut SIX 2 1/2" by WOF strips, then cut them into NINETY (90) 2 1/2" squares.

Fabric F: Outside Border -

- For the Crib size, cut FOUR 4 1/2" by WOF strips.
- For the Nap size, cut SIX 4 1/2" by WOF strips.
- For the Twin size, cut SEVEN 4 1/2" by WOF strips.
- For the Queen size, cut TEN 4 1/2" by WOF strips.

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for New Year's Day!
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