

Back to basics mystery

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With this mystery we are going to use 4 of the most basic colours of the colour wheel the 3 primary colours and green in 3 shades of each. It's going to be a fun little quilt with lots of **zing!**

Finished quilt size is 40 inches square.

If you wish you can go totally scrappy and just cut the needed amounts of each colour from scraps and/or FE's

Fabric requirements:

- ❖ You will need 12 FQ's in 4 colour groups.
 - Yellow
 - One dark FQ
 - One medium FQ
 - One light FQ
 - Green
 - One dark FQ
 - One medium FQ
 - One light FQ
 - Blue
 - One dark FQ
 - One medium FQ
 - One light FQ
 - Red
 - One dark FQ
 - One medium FQ
 - One light FQ
- ❖ For the accent colour the make the rest show off better choose either white, cream or black depending on your personal preference. You will need:
 - 1 yard (this includes binding!)
- ❖ backing 44 inches. If your fabric is more than 40 inches wide (most are 42 or 44)

Cutting:

- ❖ From each **light** FQ cut:
 - 7 squares of 3 inches cut twice on the diagonal
 - 4 rectangles of $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$
- ❖ From blue and green **medium** FQ cut:
 - 3 strips of $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches
 - sub-cut to 25 strips of $1\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$
 - cut one more strip of $1\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ to make a total of 25
 - 4 rectangles of $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$
- ❖ From the red and yellow **medium** FQ's cut:
 - 2 strips of $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches
 - sub-cut to 25 strips of $4\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$
 - 4 rectangles of $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$

- ❖ From the blue and green **dark** FQ's cut:
 - 2 strips of $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches
 - sub-cut to 25 strips of $4\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$
 - 4 rectangles of $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$
- ❖ From the red and yellow **dark** FQ's cut:
 - 8 strips of $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches
 - sub-cut to 25 strips of $1\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$
 - cut one more strip of $1\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{2}$ to make a total of 25
 - 4 rectangles of $2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$