

Lopsided Hearts: NO SEAM RIPPERS ALLOWED!!!

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Welcome to a class where no seam rippers are necessary! You'll have fun creating these simple lopsided blocks. This is a great class to use up those extra strips you've been throwing in a box!

Please bring to class:

- A GROCERY BAG FULL* OF PRECUT STRIPS:
 - 1½” to 3” wide (any length)
 - Twice as many thin ones (1½”-2¼”) as wider ones (2½”-3”)
 - Medium to dark values.
 - Any colors you want, many colors are best.
 - Brights (bright blue, for example) are OK, but not light & bright (yellow)
 - Vary the widths :1½”, 1¾”, 2½”, etc.
 - All the strips don't need to be 40+”. They can be shorter.

*What does this mean? The greater variety of fabrics you have, the more you'll like your finished blocks. But you only need a few strips of each fabric, maybe less. At a minimum, bring at least 36-48 different fabrics. Include those leftover strips from past projects-the ones you cut incorrectly or cut too many of, as well as extras from bindings.

- FABRIC FOR YOUR CENTERS:
 - 20 rectangles, cut 5” x 6 ½”, from different medium and dark value fabrics for your hearts.
 - 20 rectangles, cut 5” x 6 ½”, from different off white/ecru/tan fabrics for your backgrounds.
 - ½ yard of your favorite lightweight double-sided, paper backed fusible
 - OR your centers may be a fabric with different pictures or motifs in them. “Fussy cut” 20 motifs or bring your fabric and cut them in class. These centers can be different sizes.
- Your sewing machine

- Sewing supplies that you regularly use, such straight pins, and fabric scissors.
- Your rotary cutter, mat (18" x 24" or larger), and ruler (24" long). **NOTE SIZES FOR MAT AND RULER. THIS IS IMPORTANT.**
- Pellon fleece or a Quilt Wall for a design wall, at least 45" x 60"

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