

~Carolina Crossroads~ Part 4



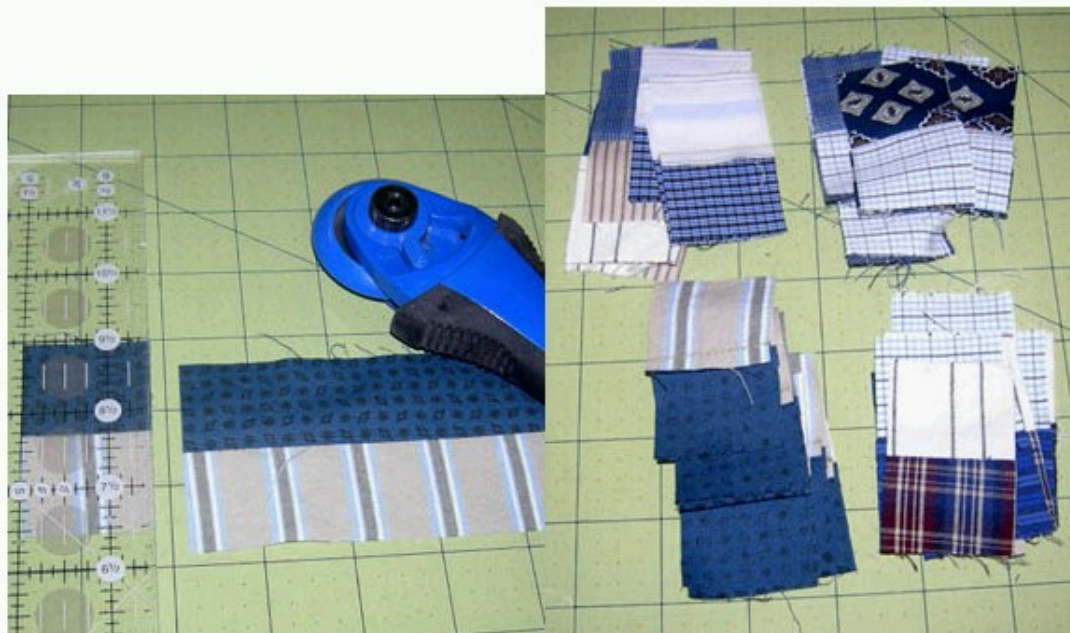
Little Pieced Triangles! :cP



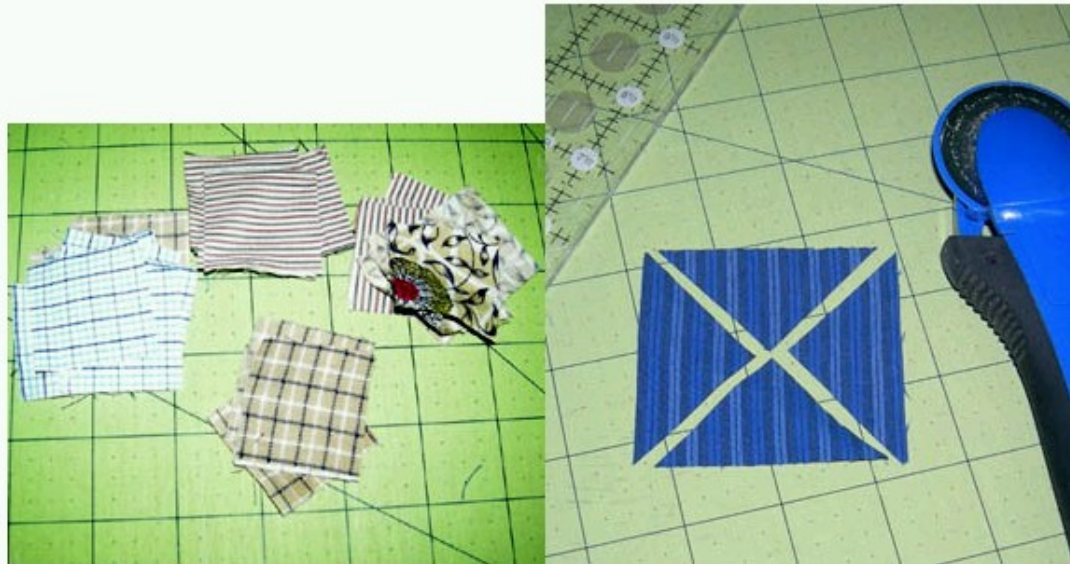
I know you are tired of 9 patches, so hey..at least this is not a square unit!

And, you only need 40 of these, so this is an easy step for sure!

Step 1:



Sew light 1.5" strips to blue 1.5" (or whatever you are using in place of my blue) strips. Press the seam towards the dark. You will need enough to get 40 1.5" subcuts from your strip sets.



In addition to the 40 little "two squares" You cut above you will need (40) 1.5" light squares. Then cut (30) 2 5/8" blue squares. (Or whatever you are using in place of blue) Cut these squares from corner to corner on the diagonal in both directions yielding 4 triangles per square with the straight of grain on the long side of the triangle. This will give you the 120 triangles you need. You need to cut these this way so that the bias doesn't end up on the long side of our pieced triangles. If you look at the pictures below, you will see that I have nubbed off some of the dog ears before sewing, they are still the same triangles!



Line up stacks of pieces as shown. Make sure the lights and darks are pointing in the right direction and that the triangles angle the correct way! Stitch a blue triangle to the light side of each "two square" pair forming a "3 piece unit", and to each single light square making it a "two piece unit". Join the three piece unit to a two piece unit and add the remaining single triangles to the top to form each pieced triangle. Press the seams towards the darks.



When they are done, you can put them in a zip log baggie for safe keeping and wait for the next step!!

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