

Simply Colorful

2019 Spring Mystery Quilt Challenge

Theme: Freedom

OVERVIEW

It's time for another mystery quilt from Lynn Marquedant of [Simply Colorful](http://SimplyColorful.com)!

Our theme is "[Freedom](#)." What does it mean to you? For your family, community, country?

Living in America, as I look toward Memorial Day and the 4th of July, I think of my country. I think of the people who sacrificed in order that we may pursue fulfilling, interesting, and creative lives. I think of the American flag, in red, white, and blue.

This 9-week challenge will run from May 3rd to June 28th, 2019.



A written clue will be published every Friday morning, followed by live [YouTube](#) and [Facebook](#) video "FiberCasts" on Friday nights from 8-9PM EST. During the broadcast Lynn will show how to assemble the week's clue and answer questions.

By the end of June you will have an 84" x 96" quilt top.

FABRIC REQUIREMENTS – ALL YOU NEED ARE SCRAPS!

This mystery quilt is not difficult, but **it contains many small pieces of fabric** – perfect for using up your scraps.

To get started, assemble 3 piles of scraps. Choose 2 colors and a unifying neutral or dark.

I will use red and blue colors with light tan/white neutrals, but you can use any colors you want.

SCHEDULE OF CLUES

Here's the schedule of clues. Each clue will be posted by 7AM every Friday on the [Simply Colorful Mystery Quilt Along Group of Facebook](#) AND [here](#) on the Simply Colorful website.

Clue 1 – May 3, 2019 [video](#)

Clue 2 – May 10, 2019

Clue 3 – May 17, 2019

Clue 4 – May 24, 2019

Clue 5 – May 31, 2019



Clue 6 – June 7, 2019

Clue 7 – June 14, 2019

Clue 8 – June 21, 2019

Clue 9 – June 28, 2019 (The reveal)

CLUE #1 -- To kick things off, please complete two tasks this week.

1. make 3 piles of scraps, and	
2. make 168 3.5" x 3.5" neutral scrap blocks. [finished size will be 3" x 3"] <i>Note: In order to use up my small, odd-shaped neutral scraps, I sew them together to make my 3.5" x 3.5" blocks. Feel free to do the same. The more variety, the better.</i>	3 examples 

May 3rd FiberCast - click here: <https://youtu.be/T4v41c-MtpM>

Tune in at 8:00PM EST. Send questions and pictures to Lynn@simplycolorful.com. That's all there is to Clue #1! Please post questions and photos on the [Simply Colorful Mystery Quilt Along Group of Facebook](#).

Clue #2 will be published on May 10th, 2019 by 7AM EST on www.simplycolorful.com.