

Scrap Happy

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Whether you have just a few scraps, or tubs & tubs of random scraps, I hope to inspire and encourage you to put them to good use. There are so many ways to use them! Here are just a few ideas:

2 Main types of scrap quilts:

1. Random scrappy- minimal effort in planning fabrics, best to use some sort of solid to tie them all together
2. Controlled-more effort in picking the fabrics to go into the project

Here is our scrappy trunk show

1. **25 Patch on Point:** using 2 ½" squares (great for leftover binding strips or leftovers from a project) – the link is on to a 25 patch with sashing (not on point)
<https://mondaymorningdesigns.com/2019/08/12/five-squared-quilt/>
2. **Zipper Quilt:** using 2 1/2" strips and 5" squares – this is a Missouri Star Pattern, here is a link to the tutorial
<https://quiltingtutorials.com/tutorial/the-zipper-quilt-quilting-made-easy>
3. **Bricks:** <http://www.thelinusconnection.org/2012/03/free-pattern-scrappy-bricks-quilt.html>
4. **Scrappy Heart** - [Big Linus Heart Quilt.pdf - Google Drive](#)
5. **Bijou Dawg** - [Bijou Dawg by Jeanie.pdf - Google Drive](#), [cat and dog pattern by Paula.pdf - Google Drive](#)
6. **V Strips** (Susan's Quilt) was made with 2 ½" strips, pattern provided uses 4 ½" strips- [Anne & Will \(anneandwill.com\)](#)
7. **Black & White Quilt As You Go** – here's a link to various ways to do the Quilt As You Go technique; [26 Quilt As You Go Tutorials \(patchworkposse.com\)](#)
8. **Modified Rail Fence:** This is using three 2 1/2" strips and one 1 ½" strip. Keep your 1 ½" strip on the outside and turn your blocks to form a rail fence.
9. **Pixel Maze:** This uses 5" squares and we used a solid color for our maze path.
<http://www.savoreverystitch.com/2017/09/pixel-maze.html>
10. **Modern Strip Pieced Borders:** these scrappy strips are made using a ½ pf a paper towel as the foundation.
11. **Batik Strips:** Improvised
12. **Strips using Adding Machine Tape:** Sewing scraps onto adding machine paper and using a solid to sash & border.

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