

## 6061C Charm Pack FUN!

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\* If you have any questions about this class or materials list, please email or call me! I'll be happy to help you as I want you to succeed!

Michele Crawford has been a published quilt and needlework designer since 1989; and has had over 4500 designs published in 40 publications. She enjoys all forms of needlework, combines cross stitch, EPP and/or embroidery with quilting. As a teacher, she enjoys sharing her quilting tips and techniques while encouraging her students to have fun, try something new and work at their own pace. She has also worked with over 35 batting, thread and fabric companies. Michele is also an author, marketing consultant; and owner of Flower Box Quilts, a quilt pattern and internet store plus vends at quilt shows.

**Road to California**  
**Saturday, January 25, 2020**  
**6 – 9 p.m.**  
**Ontario Convention Center**  
**Room 105**



**Four Patch Diamonds**



**Scrappy Squares**

**Skill level:** Beginner – Intermediate

(Everyone in class **MUST** know how to use their sewing machine; use a rotary cutter; and sew pieces together using an accurate 1/4" seam).

Ok, you bought a charm pack so NOW what do you with it? Choose between these 2 designs that use 1 charm pack (forty-two coordinated 5" squares) plus a small amount of a contrasting fabric. Since a charm pack is an "appetizer" of a complete fabric collection, both of these projects are scrappy looking! Michele will discuss the use of Color Value in determining and/or working with light, medium and dark fabric.

Two designs – you choose which one YOU want to make!

>Four Patch Diamonds has thirty-six 4 ½” square blocks, and the finished quilt is a 27” square.  
OR > Scrappy Squares has 144 (72 of Block A, 72 of Block B) 2” finished squares, and the finished quilt is a 24” square.

Both quilts are quick and easy to cut and sew! Michele will share her accurate cutting, piecing, and pressing tips and techniques to help you achieve the finished look you desire.

\* Please note that this is a FUN, stress free technique class; and the project will not be finished in class.

**Kit fee: \$0**

**Kit includes: A FREE pattern for both quilts is included in this class.**

**Each student will need to bring:**

> **Your sewing machine** (in good working order) – bring foot pedal, power cord AND a new sewing machine needle.

**Note:** *Please know how to use your sewing machine.*

**Please be able to sew an accurate 1/4" seam allowance on your sewing machine.**

> One charm pack (forty-two coordinated 5” squares)

\* I will have some charm packs to purchase in class.

> 100% cotton thread (to match or coordinate with your fabric)

> Coordinating fabric

\* **Four Patch Diamonds** needs one 1/2 yard of a coordinating/contrasting fabric for quilt top and binding.

**Note:** This is the lightest fabric in the quilt that is used for the “sashing” in the blocks.

Please choose whatever color and fabric you desire that will coordinate with *your* charm pack.

OR \* **Scrappy Squares** needs one 1/4 yard of a coordinating/contrasting fabric for quilt top)

**Note:** This is the lightest fabric in the quilt that is in the corners of the blocks.

Please choose whatever color and fabric you desire that will coordinate with *your* charm pack.

> Rotary cutter (with a new blade) and small cutting mat (12” x 18”)

> Clear acrylic ruler(s) – I suggest a 1” x 6” ruler; a 6” square and/or a 4” x 14” (please nothing larger as we don’t have the room)

> Basic sewing supplies

**According to the Road to California Class Information ([road2ca.com/class-info.html](http://road2ca.com/class-info.html)), personal irons are prohibited.**

\* Batting, backing fabric, and binding fabric for the Scrappy Squares are not needed for this class.