

# Santa Rosa Quilt Guild <br> Block of the Month 

December
End

Due Thursday, January 5, 2017

Modern fabrics are bold in color and print with high contrast. Modern blocks are updated classic quilt patterns. The designs are minimalist with large areas of negative space.

Supplies:
Cutting: $\quad$ From Color 1 (center) - cut one $5^{\prime \prime} \times 6$ " rectangle

## Assemble:



From Color 2 (light) - cut one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 13 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle cut one $6^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle cut one $5^{\prime \prime} \times 2^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle cut one $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 1 \frac{11 / " \text { rectangle }}{}$
From Color 3 (dark) - repeat above cutting instructions for Color 3
Choose three shades of green fabrics:

Use a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance throughout.

To make center unit:
Sew one Color 2 (light) 2" x 5 " to right side of center rectangle; sew one Color 3 (dark) $2^{\prime \prime} \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ to left side of center rectangle.

To make top unit:
Sew one Color 2 (light) $3^{11 / 2 \prime \prime} \times 13 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ to one Color 3 (dark) $3^{1 / 2^{\prime \prime}} \times 1 \frac{11 /]^{\prime \prime}}{}$
Sew one Color 2 (light) $6^{\prime \prime} \times 21 / 2 \prime$ to the right of the completed piece above.

To make bottom unit:
Sew one Color 3 (dark) $31 / 2 \times 13 / /^{\prime \prime}$ to one Color 2 (light) $31 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 11 / 4^{\prime \prime}$
Sew one Color 3 (dark) to the left side of the completed piece above

Assemble top, center, and bottom as shown

Write your name on the seam allowance or pin your name to your block. Block is complete and will measure $9 " \times 9$ " unfinished and $81 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ finished.

All blocks for the 2016 BOM modern sampler will measure $81 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 81 / 2^{\prime \prime}$. Make one for Block of the Month and one for yourself if you would like to have a modern sampler at the end of the year.

Diana Roberts - Chairperson for Block of the Month

