# Santa Rosa Quilt Guild 



Block of the Month
February

## Ladder

Due Thursday, March 3, 2016

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: Choose two modern fabrics that contrast.


Assemble:


Use a $1 / 4$ " seam allowance throughout. Layout according to sample picture.
Press
1 Sew the left side of the block.

Press all the seams down.


Sew the right side of the block. Press all seams up.

Sew center seam, the center seam of the block will nest.

Hint: If you put the right side of the block on top of the left and sew it, it forces the fabric to meet and you will have a perfect intersection at the center.

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

All blocks for the 2016 BOM modern sampler will measure $81 / 2^{\prime \prime} \times 81 / 2 \prime$. 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.

