

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.

Cutting: #1 Cut four rectangles at 3" x 4 ¾"

#2 Cut four rectangles at 2 ¼" x 4 ¾"



Assemble:



Press

Use a ¼ " seam allowance throughout. Layout according to sample picture.



Sew the **left** side of the block.

Press all the seams down.



Press

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"x 9" unfinished and $8 \frac{1}{2}" x 8 \frac{1}{2}"$ finished.

All blocks for the 2016 BOM modern sampler will measure 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". 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