

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild

Block-of-the-Month

October 2022

"Road to California"

Picture 1

CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS:

White or off-white background:

1 ea. 7-1/2" square

1 ea. 2-¹/₂" X 26" strip (may be longer)

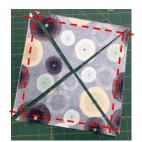
Color fabrics: Color A (Half-square Triangles) 1 ea. 7-1/2" square Color B (Four-Patch) 1 ea, 2-1/2" X 26" strip (may be longer)

SEWING INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. For the **Four-Patch** blocks, sew background and Color B strip along edge. Press to darker color.
- 2. Cut joined strip into 10 ea. 2-1/2" pieces. Press seams to color side..
- 3. With right sides together, align pieces with color opposite background. Stitch and press. You should have 5 ea. 4-1/2" squares. (Picture 2)
- 4. For **Half-square Triangles**, align the 7-1/2" squares right sides together and sew 1/4" around the perimeter of the square
- 5. Cut through the center of the square corner to corner in both directions. Square to 4-1/2" Press to darker side. (Picture 3)
- 6. Arrange pieces into pattern and sew together. (Picture 4)



Picture 2



Picture 3



Picture 4

Note. Please write your name on a back seam of each block you submit in order to be entered into the drawing to be held at our guild meeting in December. Bring your blocks to Rena or Kay at our meetings, or to Village Sewing Center. You can also mail them to us or contact us to arrange for pickup. Since all of our BOMs this year feature half-square triangles, we think you'll find this block very easy!!

Rena Ferrero and Kay Hartman