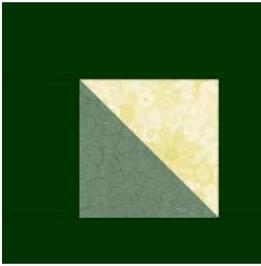


Santa Rosa Quilt Guild  
Block of the Month  
September



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Due Thursday, October 6th, 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 three fabrics, one light, one medium and one dark. Use solids or prints or a combination.

**Cutting:** From dark cut one 3" x 15" strip, sub cut this strip into one 3" x 9" and one 3" x 5"  
cut one 2" x 15" strip, sub cut this strip into one 2" x 9" and one 2" x 5"  
From light cut one 5 1/2" square  
From medium cut one 5 1/2" square

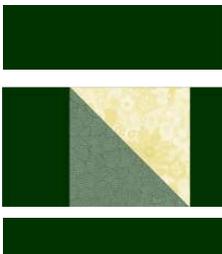
**Assemble:** Use a 1/4" seam allowance throughout.



With right sides of light and medium together draw a diagonal line from corner to corner. Sew 1/4" from the diagonal line on each side. Cut apart. Trim to a 5" square. You will have one extra for a second block.



Sew one 3" x 5" dark strip to left and one 2" x 5" dark strip to right of your half square triangle.



Keep the wider strip to the left and sew the 3" x 9" dark strip to the top and the 2" x 9" dark strip to the bottom.

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 1/2" x 8 1/2" finished.

All blocks for the 2016 BOM modern sampler will measure 8 1/2" x 8 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