

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild

Block of the Month

April 2026

"Dahlia"

Fabric: colors of your choosing

Background(BG)

- 4– 8½" x 2½" sashings
- 4– 4½" x 1½" inner border
- 4 – 3½" x 1½" inner border

Cornerstones (CS)

- Any color combination
- 4 – 2½ squares

Center square and star points

- 1 – 2½" square
- 8 – 1½" squares

(A) Petals

- 4 - 2½" squares
- 8 – 1½" squares

Leaves

- 8 – 1¼" squares

(B) Petals

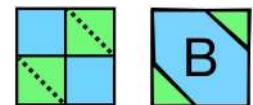
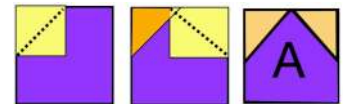
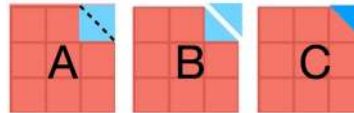
- 4 – 2½" squares

Sewing Directions:

*** Most corners are sewn in the snowball technique.***

- A. Right sides together, sew diagonally.
- B. Trim.
- C. Flip open and iron

1. Sew star points to top left corner of the 4 (A) petals. Flip open and trim
2. Sew star points to top right corner of the 4 (A) petals, they will over lap.
3. Sew leaves onto top right and bottom left corners of (B) petals.
4. To make inner border sew 1 (A) 1½ square to end of 3½" x 1½"(BG) as shown in diagram.
Make 2. Do the same to the other 3½ x 1½ (BG), but reverse the diagonal seam as shown.
Sew the 2 pieces together making a V shape with the (A) fabric.



- 4a. same process with the longer inner border, make 2
5. Assembly: Sew 2 (A) petals to center square.
Sew (B) petals to each side of (A) petal as shown in diagram
Sew the 3 strips together.
Add inner borders as shown. Square to 8½"
6. Sew 2½" square (CS) to either side of 2 of the (BG) sashings.
7. Add to 8½ inner block. Square to 12½"
8. Write your name on Dahlia.
9. Drawing will be in June.

