

Block of the Month for March

Album Block

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Congratulation, this is the final block! This is a simple block made up of squares, rectangles and triangles. It is call the Album block because it can be used as a signature block or a frame for a photo in the center.

The block is made up of three fabrics, one for each shape. Use the diagrams on the right side to guide you when cutting out the pieces. If you have questions please call me at 408-264-7121. Email cbooton2@comcast.net. If you need help in a hurry, call. I am not very good about checking email. Have fun. If you are interested in all the other patterns for this quilt check out our website at SCVQA.org under Block of the month, you will find them all there. I am really excited to add this final block to my own quilt Now I need to get busy and design another quilt! **(Note the colors used in the block above are the ones that I am using for my block of the month Quilt).**

Cutting:

1. Cut four $2\frac{7}{8}$ " by $2\frac{7}{8}$ " squares out of background fabric (**A**).
2. Cut Four $7\frac{11}{16}$ " by $2\frac{7}{8}$ " rectangles out of fabric (**B**).
3. Cut two $4\frac{7}{16}$ " by $4\frac{7}{16}$ " squares out of fabric (**C**) and cut once diagonally. Four triangles.
4. Cut one $5\frac{9}{16}$ " by $5\frac{9}{16}$ " using the same fabric for rectangles in step 2. This is the center block (**D**).

Assembly:

1. Follow the diagram below. Assemble the center section first and then complete the borders and sew to center block.

