



Sierra Quilt Guild
Block of the Month April 2016
Shades of Gray

This block measures 10" square finished (10 ½" unfinished).

Colors: White Background, **Bright Color** (reads solid) and Medium Gray Tone for shadow.

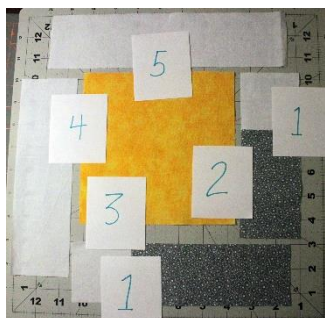
Cutting: White: cut (1) 2 ½" strip width of fabric (WOF); sub-cut into (1) 8 ½" x 2 ½" and (1) 10 ½" x 2 ½" rectangles, and (2) 2 ½" squares

Bright Color: cut (1) 6 ½" square

Medium Gray Tone: cut (1) 6 ½" x 2 ½" rectangle; cut (1) 4 ½" x 2 ½" rectangle

Construction: All seams should be scant ¼". Lay cut fabric as shown in photo on left below. You will sew in order of 1 through 5 as identified in photo.

1. Sew a 2 ½" background white square to the end of each gray strip. Press towards gray.
2. Sew the 6 ½" gray/white strip to the right side of the Color block with white at top; press towards color block.
3. Sew the 8 ½" gray/white strip to the bottom of the Color block; make sure the gray ends meet at the corner and the white ends are opposite each other. Press towards the strip. Square up to 8 ½".
4. Sew the 8 ½" white strip to the left side of the block. Press towards the Color block.
5. Sew the 10 ½" white strip to the top of the Color block; press towards color block.



Construction:

Finished Quilt:



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