QOV Mystery 2

A five part mystery quilt by **Sandy Berg** for Raspberry Bramble Designs

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Step 5

Cutting Instructions for Step 5

Background Fabric:

Cut 1 strip 3" by WOF; Sub-cut into 4 (3"x3") squares.

Blue #1

Cut 1 strip 13" by WOF; Sub-cut into 3 (13"x13") squares. From the remaining fabric cut 1 (13" x 13") square.

Blue #2

Cut 7 strips 5" by WOF.

Red

Cut 7 strips 11/4" by WOF.

Piecing

On the wrong side of 4
 Background 3" squares, mark a diagonal line.



Place a 3" Background square on one corner of a 13" Blue #1 square with right sides together. Stitch on the marked line. Trim off the corner pieces to a 1/4" seam allowance. Press the seam towards the Background fabric. Make 4 of these Unit 5-A.



(Make 4)

Unit 5-A

On the bottom edge of Unit 4-F, add a Unit 4-G.
 Press the seam towards Unit 4-F. Make 8 of these
 Unit 5-B. Square this to a 13" square.



(Make 8)

Unit 5-B

 You have now completed all the blocks necessary to construct the center of the quilt. Using the Mystery Quilt Layout Diagram (see pg. 2), place the blocks in rows and stitch the rows together. Press the seams in the rows in opposite directions – odd number rows going in one direction, and even number rows going in the opposite direction to allow the seams of the rows to nest together.

You are now ready to add the borders.

- Measure the quilt length through the center of the quilt. Sew together Red strips and cut two strips equal to the length measurement. Add one of the strips to each side of the quilt.
- Measure the quilt width through the center of the quilt. Sew together Red strips and cut two strips equal to the width measurement. Add them to the top and bottom of the quilt.
- Again, measure the quilt through the center to determine the length needed for the outer border.
 Create the outer border pieces from Blue #2 fabric and cut to the necessary measurement. Add them first to the left and right sides and Press the seam toward the outside. Repeat this process for the top and bottom borders.

Congratulations! You have now solved the QOV 2 Mystery.

If you prefer to keep your completed quilt within your area, you can donate it through your local Group Leader or State Coordinator. Also, you may have a recipient in mind to receive your quilt. That is perfectly acceptable, just remember to go to the QOV website (www.qovf.org) and register your donation after the quilt has been awarded.

If you need help getting your quilt backed and quilted, your Group Leader, State Coordinator, or the QOV website can help you find someone to do that work. However, if you are able to finish the quilt yourself, please do so before donating.

Don't forget to label your quilt. See the website for information about what your label should contain.

Thanks for joining the **2016 QOV Mystery Quilt Event**. I hope you all had a great time and will consider joining this event again in future years.

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Mystery Quilt Layout Diagram

