

QOV Mystery 6

A five-part mystery quilt by **Sandy Berg** for
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Step 3

Cutting Instructions for Step 3

Background Fabric:

Cut 1 strip ($6\frac{1}{2}$ " x Width of Fabric (WOF));

Sub-cut into 4 ($6\frac{1}{2}$ " x $6\frac{1}{2}$ ") squares.

Cut 4 strips (3" x WOF);

Sub-cut into 4 (3" x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips.

From leftovers, cut 8 ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{1}{4}$ ") squares.

Cut 2 strips (2" x WOF);

Sub-cut into 2 (2" x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips.

Medium Blue Fabric:

Cut 2 strips ($3\frac{1}{2}$ " x WOF);

Sub-cut 16 ($3\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ ") squares.

Dark Blue Fabric:

Cut 2 strips ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x WOF);

Sub-cut into 2 ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips.

Red Fabric:

Cut 2 strips ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x WOF);

Sub-cut 2 ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips.

Piecing for Step 3

- **Mark diagonal line on wrong side of squares.**
 8 Background $2\frac{1}{4}$ " squares.



- **Make 2 Dark Blue & 2 Red Long Pointed Strips.**

Place a marked $2\frac{1}{4}$ " Background square on a Dark Blue ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strip with RST with the marked line going in opposite directions, as pictured. On each of the squares, stitch on the marked line and cut off the corners leaving a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam allowance. Press to the colored fabric.

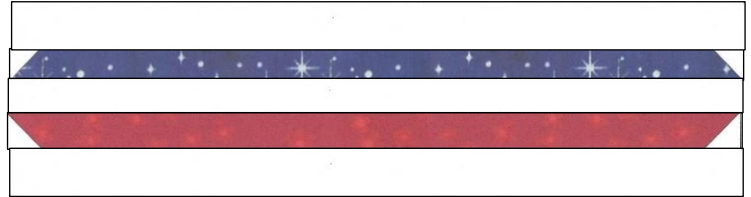


- Repeat this process using Red ($2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips.



- **Make 2 and label as Unit 3-A.**

Join the Red and Blue strips with a (2" x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strip of Background in between them with RST. Press the seams to the colored strips. On each side of these add (3" x $40\frac{1}{2}$ ") strips of Background fabric. Press seams towards the colored fabrics. This should measure ($10\frac{1}{2}$ " x $40\frac{1}{2}$ "). Label as Unit 3-A.



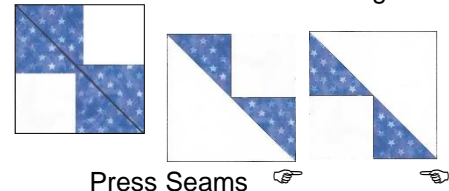
Unit 3-A (Make 2)

- **Mark diagonal line on wrong side of squares.** 16 Medium Blue $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares



- **Make 4 Flying Geese** at one time following the directions for the "No Waste Flying Geese Method":

Place 2 marked Medium Blue $3\frac{1}{2}$ " squares on opposite corners of a $6\frac{1}{2}$ " Background square with right sides together (RST). The smaller squares will overlap slightly in the center. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " on each side of the marked line and cut in half on the line. Fold the smaller triangles away from the Background triangle. Press the seam allowance towards the smaller triangles.



Press Seams

- Place 1 marked $3\frac{1}{2}$ " square of Medium Blue on the Background triangle corner with RST. Sew $\frac{1}{4}$ " on each side of the marked line and cut in half on the line. Press the seam towards the small triangle. Repeat with the other triangle unit; this creates 4 Flying Geese. Make 16 total and label them as Unit 3-B. Square these units to (3 " x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "), if necessary. Label as Unit 3-B.



(Make 16)

Unit 3-B