

## Mini Mystery Quilt Part 3 of 4 November 2016

Half way done... hope the directions are clear. Have you guessed what we are making yet? There is nothing new this month, just two more flaps, a few half square triangles, and more squares!

### Cutting Instructions:

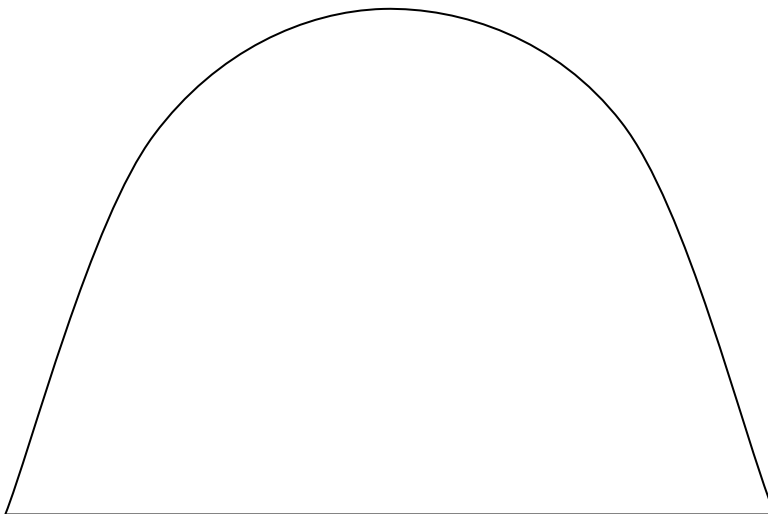
- Cut fifteen 4 1/2 inch squares from eight different scraps
- Cut fourteen 4 1/2 inch squares from your background fabric (You can make 18 squares with 2 strips from 42" wide fabric, we will use the extra ones next month)
- You should have 2 half square triangles left from last month

### Sewing Instructions

#### Flaps

Place two different 4 1/2 inch scraps right sides together. Trace the flap template on the wrong side of your scrap. Sew on the line of the curved side only of the flap. Leave the straight side open. Trim leaving 1/4 inch seam allowance around the flap shape. Snip seam allowance around curves being careful not to snip stitching. Turn flap inside right. Press flat (make 2)

Place one 4 1/2 inch square of background fabric and one 4 1/2 inch square scrap right sides together. Put flap between squares lining up straight edge of the flap with an edge of the squares. The straight edge of the flap is about 1/2 inch shorter than the square sides-- center the flap so there is 1/4 inch on each side. Sew along the edge where the flap straight edge is lined up using 1/4 inch seam allowance. You will be sewing through the background fabric, the scrap fabric, and the flap, sandwiching the flap into the seam between the 2 squares. Press the seam toward the scrap square so the flap is over the background square.



Flap Template

### Layout for November section

B	B	B	<p>All squares are cut to 4 1/2 and will finish at 4 inches            B = 4 1/2 inch square of Background fabric            S = 4 1/2 inch square of assorted scraps            B/S = half square triangles, watch lines for proper positioning (use two left from last month)</p> <p>Assemble each column (9 squares top to bottom), then sew columns together.</p> <p>Press seams as indicated in bottom row of chart to insure seams will be opposite directions when we are ready for the final assembly. In order to help flaps lay flat, you will need to press seams toward the scrap fabric. You will need to adjust the seam around these accordingly.</p>
B Flap	B	B	
S	B	B/S	
S	S	S	
S	S	S	
S	S	S	
S	B	B/S	
Flap B	B	B	
B	B	B	
1 ↓	2 ↑	3 ↓	Press row one and three seams down, row 2 seams up