

OCQG Block of the Month  
April 2019

**Courthouse Steps Block**



For each block, cut:

From red fabric:

One 2 ½” square

From light fabric:

TWO EACH: 1 ½” x 2 ½” rectangles, 1 ½” x 4 ½” rectangles, 1 ½” x 6 ½” rectangles

From dark fabric:

TWO EACH: 1 ½” x 4 ½” rectangles, 1 ½” x 6 ½” rectangles, 1 ½” x 8 ½” rectangles

To make the block:

All seams are ¼” wide.

Sew one 1 ½” x 2 ½” light rectangle to either side of the red square. Press seams outward.

Sew one 1 ½” x 4 ½” dark rectangle to either side of the light/red/light rectangle. Press seams outward.

Sew one 1 ½” x 4 ½” light rectangle to either side of the dark/light/dark square. Press seams outward.

Sew one 1 ½” x 6 ½” dark rectangle to either side of the light/dark/light rectangle. Press seams outward.

Sew one 1 ½” x 6 ½” light rectangle to either side of the dark/light/dark square. Press seams outward.

Sew one 1 ½” x 8 ½” dark rectangle to either side of the light/dark/light rectangle. Press seams outward.

Completed block should measure 8 ½ ” square.

Put your name in the drawing once for each block turned in (maximum of five).

Questions? Contact Kristin at [kristinstonham@gmail.com](mailto:kristinstonham@gmail.com) or (714) 404-8857.

Thank you all for the wonderful four years I’ve had in OCQG and two and a half years I’ve spent running Block Party. I will miss you all.