

## MONTH FOUR – BORDER 4, PIECED 6” BLOCKS – 1-4 – August

### BLOCK 4

This block is called *Rocky Road to California* and will be 6” square finished. Make two of this block. I made both blocks at once, both green, but with different green fabrics.

### Fabric requirements for Block 4

This block requires three fabrics, I chose the background and two green fabrics

- A and D are green check
- B and E are green stripe
- C is background

### Cutting

- A – green check – cut 6 x 1½” squares
- B – green stripe – cut 6 x 1½” squares
- C – background - cut 2 x 3¼” squares, for half square triangles
- D – green check – cut 2 x 3¼” squares, for half square triangles
- E – green stripe – cut 2 x 2½” squares, for corners

### Construction

- Using one C background and one D green check square, create half square triangles, trim back to 2½” square. Repeat with the remaining C and D square = four half square triangle units
- Lay the elements out as shown below, left
- Create 3 four patch elements with the A and B squares as shown below, right
- Join the elements to form rows and the rows to form the block



The two blocks are now complete and will measure 6½” square which will be 6” square finished, when sewn into the quilt.

Put aside until month 8, December.