

## JANUARY RAFFLE BLOCK QUICK CURVED DIAMOND

There will be no December Drawing -- This block is due for drawing at the January, 2014 Meeting

This is an easy and fun block to make, enjoy...

**Fabric** -- For each block choose a light and dark fabric in the same color family (we used green here).

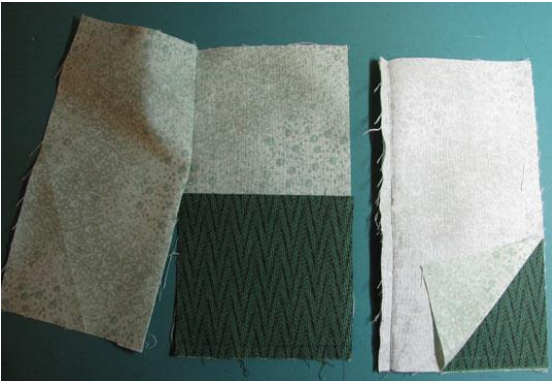
**Cutting** – 3 ½ x 6 ½" oblongs  
Qty 2 of dark fabric  
Qty 4 of light fabric



**Layout** – Fold Dark fabric in half lengthwise right sides out  
No need to press.

Sandwich dark fabric between 2 light oblongs with folded edge toward the middle of lights (up in pic)  
All raw edges should line up with one another

**Sewing** – Sew 2 lights together on long edge (1/4" seam) with the folded dark fabric between them  
Press away from the dark fabric.



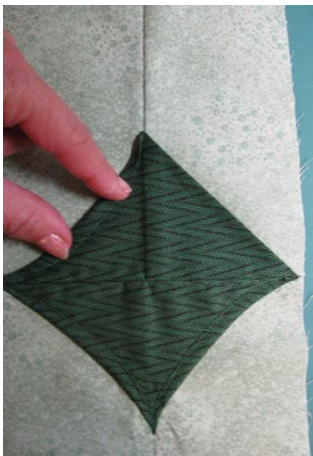
**Next** is the cool part.

Open the fold of the dark fabric, creating a triangle. Make as even as possible and press flat. Repeat all above for 2<sup>nd</sup> set.

**Sew** your 2 sections together along edge with dark triangles. Press this seam OPEN to reduce bulk.

Turn down each folded edge creating a slight curve and topstitch with matching thread.

**Add** a button if you would like.



Final Block should measure  
4 ½" x 11 ½" Unfinished



As usual, the more you make the more chances you have to win the entire batch.  
Have fun, good luck at the drawing.