

## “Join Our Community”

January

### 2026 CVQG Mystery Block of the month

#### Requirements

- Yardage:
  - Background: **2 yards.** This will be used for all blocks including fillers. For best results, we recommend a non-white background. Think sky or neutral. This can be scrappy but, keep it in the same hue family.
  - Scraps from your stash. Fat Quarters will work. Think architecture and nature.
- Source:
  - All blocks are sourced from Electric Quilt 8. They can be found in the Foundation Pieced and Contemporary Pieced Libraries of EQ. We will provide the block name associated with the program each month. Those that have EQ may then print their desired method of construction. (Foundation paper pieced or using templates) A PDF file of each section along with foundation pieces and templates will be available on the CVQG website. (CVQG.com) Events tab.
- Tools you may need:
  - Small Add-a-quarter ruler (6" size)
  - A piece of heavy card stock to use as a guide/stop when using the Add-a-Quarter ruler.
  - Light weight paper to make copies of Paper Piecing patterns. (Some copies of the month's pattern will be provided at the guild meeting each month.)
  - There are also excellent videos on YouTube demonstrating different foundation paper piecing methods.
  - If you are printing templates you may want to print on freezer paper and then fuse two pieces together to make them stronger and easier to work with.
- Remember:
  - Remember when paper piecing you need to shorten your stitch length to make it easier to remove the paper.
  - It will also help to cut out all the foundation sections and put them in order to better visualize the finished piece.
  - All files uploaded to the web-site are in PDF form. When printing, remember to set the printer to actual size in order to have an accurate pattern.