Calvert County Quilt Guild
Block of the Month
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All seams are ¼" allowance.

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Influence from "The Internet"



Greek Key

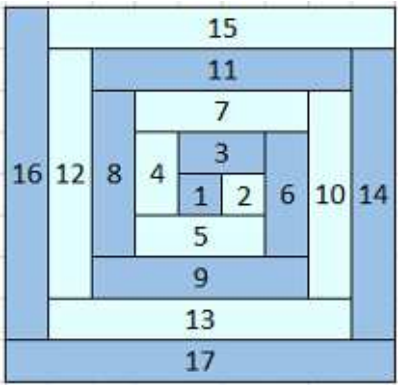
Each block makes a 14" unfinished block.

	**Light (solid, small print, light blender fabric)** - Cut **two** - 2" x WOF strip (need 58" total) then subcut at each of the following lengths: 2", 3.5", 5", 6.5", 8", 9.5", 11", and 12.5"
	**Focus (same color value, blues, greens, etc.)** - Use scraps/leftovers (jelly roll??) in the same value to make 2' wide strips in the following lengths: 2", 3.5", 5", 6.5", 8", 9.5", 11", 12.5" and 14"

With all of the sewing by everyone of late there must be scraps – unless you are one of those brave individuals who actually throws away their leftover bits of fabric. This block is perfect for using up leftover bits of fabric! Keep in mind the pattern sequence or seam ripping time will be double sewing time.

1) Sew the light and the dark 2' blocks together. Press to the dark. Add a dark 3 ½" block to the top of the block set with the 2" dark block on the left (see step 3). Press to the dark. Add a light 3 ½" block to the right of that block set (see step 4). Press to the light. Continue adding the block pieces according to the graphic in number order sequence. When adding a dark block, press to the dark. When adding a light block, press to the light.

2) Check/trim block sizes after adding each piece – the correct size will be based on the last piece attached.



3) Trim blocks to finish at 14" as needed

Examples of pieces Greek Key quilts from Google Images



This block can be easily converted to different sizes depending on need. For example, to make a smaller block (9 ½") the width and lengths are different but the pattern construction order will remain the same.

Example – to make a 9 ½" block, cut light strips at 1 ½" wide x 1.5", 2.5", 3.5", 4.5", 5.5", 6.5", 7.5", and 8.5" and dark strips at 1 ½" wide x 1.5", 2.5", 3.5", 4.5", 5.5", 6.5", 7.5", 8.5", and 9.5".