

## July 2016 Rail Fence BOM

The Rail Fence is a standard all-time-favorite block. Simple and a good way to use up stash. The block does not have to be square, it can be rectangular as in this month's block. Here is how to create this block:

Take 5 strips, each 6 1/2 by 2 1/2 inches. Pick the 3 that you want to sew together on the long sides as the logs and then place and sew 1 strip at the top and one strip under, at the bottom, making the "Rail Fence".

This month we would appreciate if all the blocks were made with batik fabric strips, or batik-like cousins. This will make a really neat quilt for some lucky person! Batiks have a way of blending and melting into each other as you will see if you make more than 1 for the Guild's drawing.

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