

## November Block of the Month

### Jewel Box

We will be making this block with a black background. The background pieces are being provided.

We are asking members to make two portions of what will be a completed block. The directions are for one unit of the block. This will allow us to mix and balance the colors to make a truly scrappy top.

For Each Unit cut four- 2 ½" squares and one 5" square out of bright primary colors from your stash. Try to use a variety of colors. The four 2 ½" and 5" background black pieces were provided by guild.

From the 2 ½" squares make two sets of four patches.

Using the 5" squares. Draw a diagonal line on the colored fabric piece and then place black and colored squares right sides together. Stitch ¼" on both sides of the line, cut on center line. Press towards black creating two half square triangles.

Assemble as shown in diagram.

Repeat to make a second unit. Do not sew these units together. Sheryl and Kathy will assemble to top.

