

## Jennie Rayment Tumbling Block Patchwork

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A veritable legend of the crafting world, **Jennie Rayment** loves the fabulous geometric patterns that can be created with simple shapes. See how three different colours can produce a dramatic 3D effect in a traditional **Tumbling Block** pattern. With this skill you can apply it to make a 12" quilt block or cushion.

Learn how to conquer that dreaded 'Y' seam, understand the importance of grain and get to grips with piecing techniques - you can be accurate if you know how! Understand the tricks of the trade so other similar patchwork designs will be so much easier to piece. This fun and informative class is in Jennie's usual inimitable style - it's 'Y' you simply must join Jennie!

**Techniques** covered in this *Online Interactive Workshop* are as follows:-

- Rotary Cutting accurate 60° diamonds
- Piecing 'Y' seams
- Understanding how fabric grain affects piecing accuracy
- Machine or hand appliqué techniques
- Cheat's method for turning raw edges to finish block
- Discussion of different border techniques and machine quilting of completed block

**Materials/Equipment** needed for this *Online Interactive Workshop* is as follows:-

- Sewing Machine (regular foot, quarter inch foot & open toe embroidery if available)
- One light-coloured 2¼ x 44" Strip or Two 2¼ x 21" (Blue)
- One medium-coloured 2¼ x 44" Strip or Two 2¼ x 21" (Green)
- One dark-coloured 2¼ x 44" Strip or Two 2¼ x 21" (Yellow)
- One 12½" square Background fabric (select a contrast to coloured strips - eg, Cream)
- One 10" sq approx light weight *SEW-IN* interfacing or any other really thin fabric
- Additional fabric for borders - optional
- Thread to match fabrics
- Rotary-Cutting Ruler with 60° marked line
- Cutting Mat and Rotary-Cutter
- Iron and Ironing Pad

