

## Rectangles and Squares - Overview

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- Recognizing the simplicity of basic square and rectangle blocks, I have come to the realization that what it often takes is to move simple block quilts from ordinary to striking is "movement". In this presentation I will demonstrate a number of techniques for achieving movement and see examples of them in quilts. Tips and tricks for using especially interesting fabric genres, such as stripes and ombres, will also be shared - as will the use of pre-cut squares such as Layer Cakes. The handout for this presentation provides resource information on all techniques and quilts shown.
- Each member present has a choice of one of over 120 FREE fabric packets of interesting (I think) fabrics from my stash. It is my hope that enough of you will either use some or all of fabrics in the packet AND/OR some of the ideas in the presentation to make a quilt - perhaps for a Special Exhibit at the Sunriver Quilt Show.
- I have most of the patterns and books referenced in the presentation that I will gladly loan to you. I have color photos of all the quilts shown that I can email to you, if that would help. I'll also be available after each education meet to answer questions for Sit and Sew.



