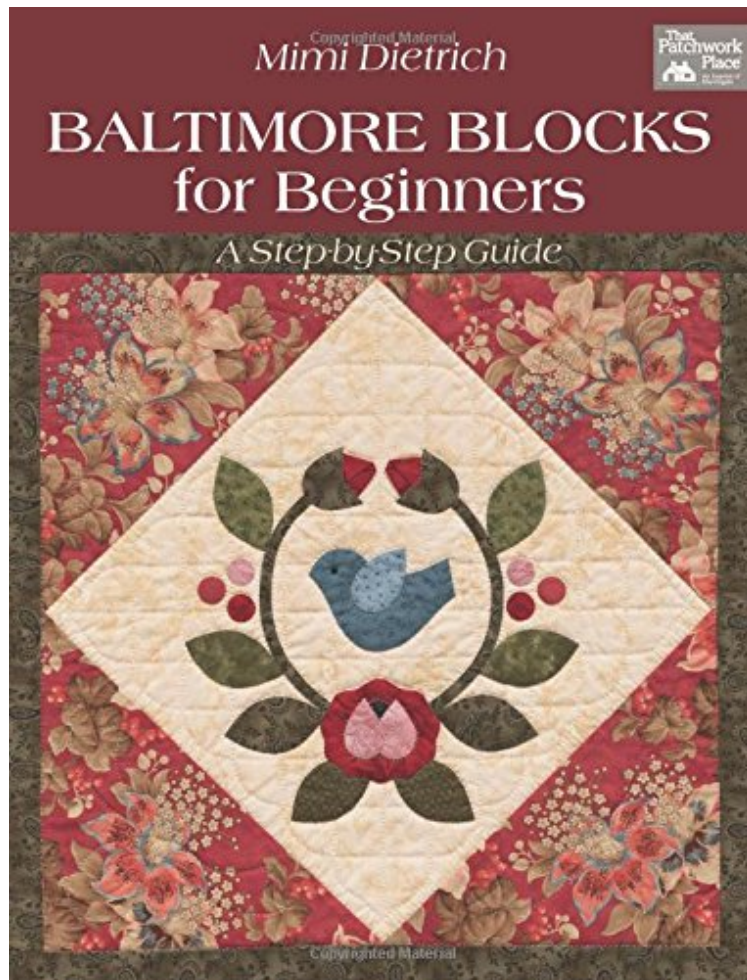


## Baltimore Blocks for Beginners: A Step-by-Step Guide

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**Mimi Dietrich : Baltimore Blocks for Beginners: A Step-by-Step Guide** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Baltimore Blocks for Beginners: A Step-by-Step Guide:

15 of 15 people found the following review helpful. title is misleadingBy Cecilia RobertsThis is an attractive, informative book, but I find the title "Baltimore BLOCKS For Beginners" a bit misleading. There is one block -- that is it. Yes, there are variations -- this type of fabric instead of that type of fabric and in one case, at least, she replaces the buds at the top of the block with berries -- but, I expected six, eight, maybe even more -- different blocks -- easy ones, that a beginner could tackle without fear. The block is an easy one and -- again the book is attractive and has good directions, etc., but I think the title should have been "A Baltimore Block For Beginners", since there are instructions and patterns for only one block.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The instructions are awesome.By Anne TroyI have yet to meet the author, but definitely plan to one day! We have mutual friends. I have finally bought the fabrics to make my very first Baltimore block. I'm chicken. But I will do it soon! The instructions

are awesome. 4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. One Star By Lily Kildosher complete disappointment, only one pattern and nothing to build your skills.

Join Mimi Dietrich on a creative journey into Baltimore album quilting! Rely on the teaching expertise of this best-selling author and acclaimed applique artist as you create your first beautiful Baltimore block. Learn techniques such as choosing fabrics, preparing applique pieces, basting, and hand-applique stitch methods. Showcase finished album blocks in a small wall hanging. Find additional fabric, color, and design ideas in the inspiring gallery.

Baltimore Blocks for Beginners: A Step-by-Step Guide, by Mimi Dietrich, published by Martingale/That Patchwork Place is an excellent book for anyone interested in learning to applique, create Baltimore style blocks, as well as improve their applique skills. --SewCalGal Mimi Dietrich of Baltimore, Maryland, is a nationally known teacher and author of many best-selling books and, if like me, you stand gazing in awe at the latest Baltimore quilt to be displayed at the Governor Shows, then perhaps it is time to read the book! The book offers you the chance to learn techniques such as choosing fabrics, preparing applique pieces, basting and hand applique methods. Combine this with ideas presented on additional fabric choices, color and design ideas in the inspirational gallery and maybe, well just maybe, we can try our hand at a small Baltimore piece? --Fabrications Quilting For You, December 2012/January 2013 From the Inside Flap Best-selling author Mimi Dietrich teaches the basics about Baltimore album quilting. Even beginners can now create a stunning assortment of Baltimore album quilt blocks. About the Author Mimi Dietrich is a nationally known teacher and the author of many best-selling books, including Martingale's all-time best seller, Happy Endings. Her books have sold over a half million copies to date. She has lived in Baltimore all her life and is inspired by the beautiful Baltimore Album applique quilts made in her hometown more than 150 years ago.