XOXO

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LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE | SIZE: 48 1/2" W X 48 1/2" H | QUILT DESIGNED BY ELLEN MAXWELL
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## Materials

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<td>CX6547 Lilac Mini Elephants</td>
<td>¼ yard</td>
<td>Cut a 6 ½” strip (W.O.F.)&lt;br&gt;Cut (8) rectangles 3 ½” x 6 ½”</td>
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<td>CX6550 Pink Mini Giraffes</td>
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<td>CX6322 Snow Dim Dots</td>
<td>1 ¾ yards</td>
<td>Cut (1) square 12 1/2” x 12 1/2” (center)&lt;br&gt;Cut (16) squares 3 1/2” x 3 1/2” (large hearts)&lt;br&gt;Cut (32) squares 4” x 4” (large hearts)&lt;br&gt;Cut (12) squares 2 1/2” x 2 1/2” (O’s)&lt;br&gt;Cut (24) squares 3” x 3” (O’s)&lt;br&gt;Cut (48) rectangles 1 1/2” x 2 1/2” (X’s)&lt;br&gt;Cut (5) strips 2 1/4” x W.O.F. - binding</td>
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<td>SC5333 Bubblegum Cotton Couture</td>
<td>5/8 yard</td>
<td>Cut (60) squares 2 1/2” x 2 1/2”&lt;br&gt;Cut (48) squares 1 1/2” x 1 1/2”&lt;br&gt;Cut (48) squares 1 1/2” x 2 1/2”</td>
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<td>Backing Fabric</td>
<td>3 1/3 yards</td>
<td>Cut in half and sew sections together.</td>
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Directions:

Making the ‘O’s

1. Make 8 half square triangles. On the wrong side of the white 3” x 3” squares – draw one diagonal pencil line – corner to corner. Layer each white square with an aqua square – right sides together. Machine stitch 1/4” on each side of the pencil line. Then cut on the pencil line. Press open. Square – up to 2 1/2” x 2 1/2”.

2. Repeat 11 times to total 12 ‘O’ blocks.
1. Make 4 Flying Geese blocks: Draw one diagonal pencil line on the wrong side of each 1 1/2” x 1 1/2” pink square. Next – right sides together, place one pink square on the corner of a white rectangle – 1 1/2” x 2 1/2”.

Stitch on the pencil line. Press the pink square back. Cut away the bottom 2 layers.

Repeat on the left side. Make 3 more. Stitch Flying Geese blocks to pink 1 1/2” x 2 1/2” rectangle.

Make 4. Will measure 2 1/2” x 2 1/2”

Block layout – (9) 2 1/2” x 2 1/2” squares

Sew (1/4” seam)

3 rows across and 3 rows together

Square up to 6 1/2” x 6 1/2”

2. Repeat 11 times to total 12 ‘X’ blocks.
MAKING THE SMALL HEARTS

3 1/2” x 6 1/2” Purple Dots

1 1/2” x 1 1/2” White

3 1/2” x 3 1/2” White

Draw a pencil line diagonally on the wrong side of all white squares

Layout

Stitch on diagonal lines

Press to corners

Cut away two bottom layers

Sew the (2) 3 1/2” x 6 1/2” sections together.

Make 3 additional hearts from purple dots for a total of 4.

Repeat above sequence for:

4 heart blocks – with mini elephants as the hearts and purple dim dots at the corners

4 heart blocks – with mini elephants as the hearts and pink play dots at the corners
MAKING THE LARGE HEARTS

1. Construct 4 large hearts with a mini giraffe's heart in the center – contrast color is purple dim dots.
2. Draw a pencil line diagonally on the wrong side of the 4” x 4” squares. Match with 4” x 4” purple squares – right sides together. Stitch 1/4” on each side of the pencil line. Cut on the pencil line to make (2) half square triangle blocks. Square up to 3 1/2” x 3 1/2”. Repeat to make a total of 8 half square triangle blocks.

![Diagram of heart block assembly]

Sew top together

<-Sew center sections first

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Sew row together

Then sew all sections together to make 12 1/2” x 12 1/2” block.

3. Construct (4) additional large heart blocks with mini elephants in the center, hearts and pink playdots surrounding it.

CENTER SQUARE

Applique word or name in 12 1/2” x 12 1/2” white square. Enlarge letters as needed.
Quilt Layout.

Sew in vertical sections.

Quilt as desired.

Bind with 2 1/2” strips of white.

Sew end to end and sew to quilt as French Fold Binding.