Butterfly Kisses

Quilt designed by Sue Harvey & Sandy Boobar of Pine Tree Country Quilts Finished size is approximately 44" x 50"





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Yardages and Cutting

Note: WOF means width of fabric from selvage edge to selvage edge. Remove as little fabric as possible when trimming off selvage edges.

1 yard Flutter panel, SB20265-620

- Cut out large center rectangle 1/4" out from inside edge of black outline all around. *Note:* An exact size is not important. Panel will be framed and trimmed in piecing steps.
- 4 squares 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" from small rectangles.

1/2 yard butterflies, SB20266-620

• 1 strip 12 7/8" x WOF; cut into (2) 12 7/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally to make 4 triangles.

1/3 yard green check, SB20268-820

- 1 strip 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (8) 3 1/2" squares.
- 1 strip 2 1/4" x WOF; cut into (1) 2 1/4" x 21" strip
- 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.

1/4 yard pink check, SB20268-520

• 1 strip 3 1/2" x WOF; cut into (4) 3 1/2" squares and (1) 2 1/4" x 21" strip.

• 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.

1/3 yard lilac check, SB20268-620

- 1 strip 3 1/2" x WOF.
- 1 strip 2 1/4" x WOF.
- 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.

1/2 yard green dots, SB20171-830

- 1 strip 1 5/8" x WOF.
- 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.
- 2 strips 1 1/8" x WOF; cut into (8) 1 1/8" x 6 1/2" strips.
- 5 strips 1 1/2" x WOF for border.

1/4 yard pink dots, SB20171-520

- 1 strip 1 5/8" x WOF.
- 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.
- 2 strips 1 1/8" x WOF; cut into (8) 1 1/8" x 6 1/2" strips.

3/4 yard lilac dots, SB20171-620

- 1 strip 1 5/8" x WOF.
- 1 strip 1 1/8" x WOF.
- 2 strips 1 1/8" x WOF; cut into (2) 1 1/8" x 23" strips and (2) 1 1/8" x 17" strips.
- 6 strips 2 1/4" x WOF for binding.

1 1/2 yards white scrolls, SB20053-101

- 3 strips 2 1/2" x WOF; cut into (2) 2 1/2" x 23" strips and (2) 2 1/2" x 20" strips.
- 1 strip 6 7/8" x WOF; cut into (2) 6 7/8" squares and (8) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. Cut the 6 7/8" squares in half diagonally to make 4 triangles.
- 3 strips 3 7/8" x WOF; cut into (26) 3 7/8" squares and (2) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. Cut the 3 7/8" squares in half diagonally to make 52 triangles.
- 1 strip 4 1/4" x WOF; cut into (4) 4 1/4" squares and (2) 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangles. Cut the 4 1/4" squares twice diagonally to make 16 triangles.
- 1 strip 3 1/2" x WOF.
- 1 strip 2 3/8" x WOF; cut into (14) 2 3/8" squares, then cut in half diagonally to make 28 triangles.
- 8 strips 7/8" x WOF; cut (1) strip into (2) 7/8" x 21" strips.

3 1/3 yards butterflies for backing, SB20266-620

• 2 pieces 58" long for backing

Piecing the Units & Blocks

Note: Use a 1/4" seam allowance for all stitching. Press seams as directed.

Panel Units

1. Fold the 1 1/8" x 6 1/2" pink and green dots strips in half lengthwise with wrong sides together to make folded strips. Press. Repeat with the 1 1/8" x 23" and 1 1/8" x 17" lilac dots strips.

2. Referring to the diagrams on the next page, place a green folded strip on opposite sides of (2) 6 1/2" panel squares with raw edges of the strips aligned with the outside edges of the squares and the folds toward the center of

the squares. Pin in place. Repeat with green folded strips on the top and bottom of the squares. Machine-baste 1/8" from the outside edges of the squares and remove pins to complete 2 green panel units. *Note: The folded strips will form dimensional flanges around the panel squares and the panel rectangle when sewn into the quilt top.*

3. Repeat with the pink folded strips on the 2 remaining 6 1/2" panel squares to complete 2 pink panel units.





Pink Panel Unit — Make 2

4. Referring to the exploded quilt diagram, repeat with the $1 \frac{1}{8} \times 23$ " lilac folded strips on the long sides of the center panel. Trim strip ends even with the top and bottom edges of the panel. Add the $1 \frac{1}{8} \times 17$ " lilac folded strips to the top ands bottom. Trim strip ends even with the sides of the panel. Machine-baste 1/8" from the edges.

5. Sew the 2 1/2" x 23" white strips to the long sides of the panel. Trim strip ends even at the top and bottom. Press seams toward the white strips, leaving the lilac folded strips flat on top of the panel. Stitch the 2 1/2" x 20" white strips to the top and bottom of the panel. Trim strip ends even at the sides. Press seams toward the white strips, leaving the folded strips flat on top of the panel.

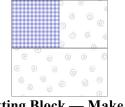
6. Trim the framed panel to $18 \frac{1}{2}$ x $24 \frac{1}{2}$ to complete the center panel unit, keeping the panel centered in the white frame.

Setting Blocks

1. Sew a 3 1/2" x WOF lilac check strip lengthwise together with a 3 1/2" white strip to make a strip set. Press seam toward the lilac strip. Crosscut the strip set into (8) 3 1/2" segments.

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2. Stitch a 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" white rectangle to each segment to make (8) 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" Setting blocks. Press seams toward the white rectangles.

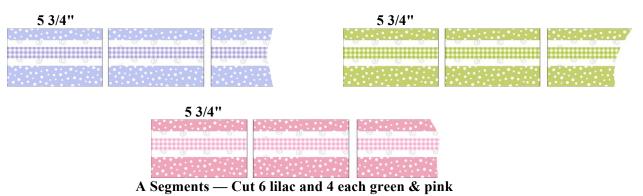


Setting Block — Make 8

Heart Blocks

1. Referring to the diagrams, sew a 1 1/8" x WOF lilac check strip lengthwise between (2) 7/8" x WOF white strips. Press seams toward the lilac strips. Add a 1 1/8" x WOF lilac dots strip to 1 long side and a 1 5/8" x WOF lilac dots strip to the opposite long side to make a strip set. Press seams toward the lilac strips. Crosscut the strip set into (6) 5 3/4" lilac A segments.

2. Repeat with green strips and pink strips to make a green strip set and pink strip set. Crosscut into (4) 5 3/4" green A segments and (4) 5 3/4" pink A segments.



3. Stitch the 2 1/4" x WOF lilac check strip lengthwise together with remaining 7/8" x WOF white strip to make a strip set. Press seam toward the lilac strip. Crosscut the strip set into (6) 3 5/8" lilac B segments.

4. Repeat with 21" green and white strips and pink and white strips to make a green half-strip set and pink halfstrip set. Crosscut the half-strip sets into (4) 3 5/8" green B segments and (4) 3 5/8" pink B segments.



B Segments — Cut 6 lilac and 4 each green & pink

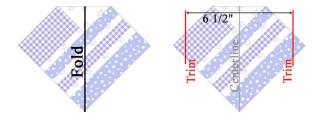
5. Sew a 4 1/4" white triangle to 1 end of a lilac B segment. Press seam toward the triangle. Stitch the pieced strip to a same-color A segment to make a lilac heart unit.





6. Fold the heart unit in half vertically, matching the top corners of the A and B segments and intersecting the bottom point with the fold. Finger-press to crease the centerline. Trim to 6 1/2" wide, keeping the fold line centered.

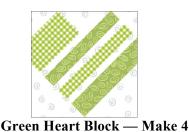
7. Center and stitch a 2 3/8" white triangle to the 2 top corners of the trimmed unit. Press seams toward the triangles. Repeat with 3 7/8" white triangles on the bottom corners to make a 6 1/2" x 6 1/2" Lilac Heart block.





Lilac Heart Block — Make 6

8. Repeat steps 5–7 to make 6 Lilac Heart blocks and 4 each Green and Pink Heart blocks.





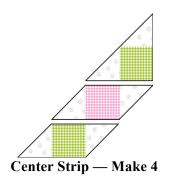
Pink Heart Block — Make 4

Corner Blocks

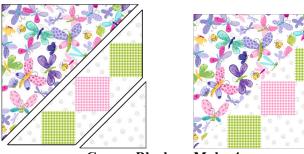
1. Sew a 3 7/8" white triangle to 2 adjacent sides of a 3 1/2" green check square to make a row. Press seams toward the triangles.

2. Stitch a 3 7/8" white triangle to opposite sides of a 3 1/2" pink check square and a 3 1/2" green check square to make 2 rows. Press seams toward the triangles.

3. Join the rows to complete 1 center strips. Press seams to 1 side. Repeat to make 4 center strips.



4. Center and sew a 12 7/8" butterflies triangle to the long side of each center strip and a 6 7/8" white triangle to the short side to complete (4) 12 1/2" x 12 1/2" Corner blocks. Press seams toward the triangles.



Corner Block — Make 4

Completing the Quilt

Refer to the Exploded Quilt Diagram on the last page throughout the following steps.

1. To make the left section, join 2 Lilac Heart blocks top to bottom. Press seam open. Sew a Setting block to the top and bottom to complete the $6 \frac{1}{2}$ x 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ outer strip. Press seams toward the Setting blocks.

2. Stitch a 3 1/2" x 6 1/2" white rectangle to the top and bottom of a pink panel unit. Press seams toward the white rectangles, leaving the pink folded strips flat on top of the panel unit. Sew a Pink Heart block to the top and bottom to complete the 6 1/2" x 24 1/2" inner strip. Press seams away from the Pink Heart blocks.

3. Sew the outer strip to the inner strip to complete the $12 \ 1/2" \ x \ 24 \ 1/2"$ left section. Press seam toward the outer strip. Stitch the left section to the left edge of the center panel unit. Press seam toward the center panel unit.

4. Repeat steps 1-3 to make the right section and sew to the right edge of the center panel unit to complete the 24 1/2" x 42 1/2" center section. Press seam toward the center panel unit.

5. To make the top section, sew a Setting block to the sides of a Lilac Heart block to make a 12 1/2" x 18 1/2" strip. Press seams toward the Lilac Heart block.

6. Stitch a Green Heart block to the sides of a green panel unit to make a 12 1/2" x 18 1/2" strip. Press seams toward the Green Heart blocks.

7. Join the strips. Press seam toward the top strip. Add a Corner block to each

end to make the $12 \frac{1}{2}$ x $42 \frac{1}{2}$ top section. Press seams toward the Corner blocks. Sew the top section to the top of the center section. Press seam toward the center section.

8. Repeat steps 5–7 to make the bottom section and sew to the bottom of the center section to complete the $42 \frac{1}{2}$ " x $48 \frac{1}{2}$ " quilt center. Press seam toward the center section.

9. Sew the 1 1/2" x WOF green dots strips short ends together to make a long strip. Press seams to 1 side. Cut into (2) 48 1/2" strips and (2) 44 1/2" strips. Stitch the longer strips to the long sides of the quilt center and the shorter strips to the top and bottom to complete the top. Press seams toward the strips.

10. Remove the selvage edges from the 58" backing pieces. Join the pieces on the long edges with a 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam open. Trim the side edges to make a 52" x 58" backing piece.

11. Layer the quilt top and backing with a 52" x 58" batting piece. Quilt as desired and bind using your favorite methods and the lilac spots binding strips to complete the quilt.

