## SBSQC COMMUNITY QUILTS HUGS AND KISSES PATTERN

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Quilt Size: approximately 36" x 45"

Fabric Requirements:

For X's and O's (6 of each) you will need
½ yd each of 2 fabrics (cut 24 2 ½" squares from each fabric) OR
12 assorted prints (9" x 9" squares) cut into 4 ½" squares
For background
½ yd of white (light print or solid)

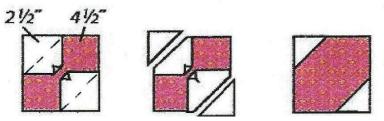
1/2 yd of white/light print or solid

1<sup>st</sup> border 1/4 yd 2<sup>nd</sup>border 1/2 yd Backing 1 ½ yds Binding ½ yd

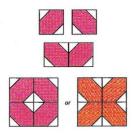
**Cutting Instructions** 

Print fabric – cut from each: 4 squares 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " White/light print or solid - 96 squares 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ " 1<sup>st</sup> border cut 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips 2<sup>nd</sup> border cut 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips

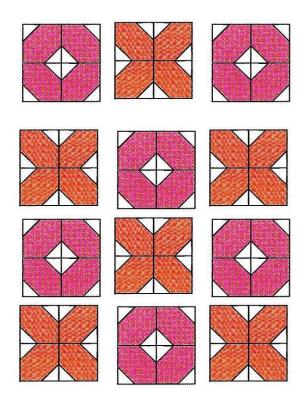
Draw a diagonal line on wrong side of the white fabric 2 ½" squares. Place the marked squares on opposite corners of the print 4 ½" square, right sides together, align raw edges (see below). Sew on maked lines; trim excess corner fabric ¼" from stitching. Press one seam toward center and the other seam from center.



Sew together the 4 matching pieced squares in either the "O" or "X" arrangement. You'll need a total of 6 "O"s and 6 "X"s.



Sew 4 rows of 3 blocks. Sew rows together.



Add borders. The sample quilt below has an inner accent border cut  $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " and an outer border cut  $4 \frac{1}{2}$ " wide. Quilt as desired. Bind.



Thanks to Eleanor Geiger for making the adorable sample top!!