Trucks in the Daisy Patch

Original Design by Connie Keller
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Please read instructions before beginning.
Finished block size 8 1/2"

Cutting the following:
- Background Fabric
  - blocks
  - 2nd border
  - 4th border
- Sashing Fabric
  - sashing
  - 1st border
  - 3rd border
- Assorted fabrics
  - Cornerstones

Making the Blocks
Using your favorite method, appliqué the design you have chosen onto each block. Trim all the blocks to 8 1/2" x 8 1/2".

Sashing the Blocks
Arrange the blocks in a pleasing manner. Using the 1 1/2" corner stones, sash the blocks as shown in the diagram. This will complete the center of the quilt.

Borders
Always measure your quilt before cutting the borders. The size of your quilt will vary from anyone else's because we all sew a little different.

First border
Measure the width of your centerpiece, cut two strips this length and sew to the upper and lower edge of the centerpiece. Repeat with each side of the centerpiece. PRESS seams away from center.
**Second border**
Measure the width of your centerpiece, cut two strips this length and sew to the upper and lower edge of the centerpiece. Repeat with each side of the centerpiece. PRESS seams away from center.

**Third border**
Measure the width of your centerpiece, cut two strips this length and sew to the upper and lower edge of the centerpiece. Repeat with each side of the centerpiece. PRESS seams away from center.

**Optional third pieced border**
Using the fabrics remaining from the appliqués, cut 2" strips. Sew strips together and sub cut into 2" strips. You will need approximately 4 ½ yards of these scrappy strips. Follow directions above for sewing onto the quilt.

**Fourth Border**
Sew strips together end to end. Measure the width of your centerpiece, cut two strips this length and sew to the centerpiece and the bottom. Repeat with each side of the centerpiece. PRESS seams away from center.

**Optional Curvy Border**
After your quilt is quilted, you may leave the borders straight or continue with the curvy border below. Fold the quilt into fourths. Tear off a piece of freezer paper the length of the longest side of folded quilt. Cut in half, length wise and iron to the folded sides of quilt, overlapping at the corner. Using a dinner plate, center and trace around the curve of the plate to achieve a nice rounded corner. Begin at the outside edge of the corner curve and using a marker, draw a gentle curve along the outside edge of the quilt. If you like the first drawing, GREAT! If not, take another color marker and, using the first line you drew adjust as you re-draw a new curvy line. These do not have to be even curves or an even number of curves along the side. Continue changing marker colors until you achieve the look you want. Use the template you just made to cut through all of the layers of that side of the quilt. Repeat with remaining side of quilt. You may want to use bias binding for the curvy border.

Quilt as desired. Bind and enjoy!!

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47" x 47"
QC135

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Choose bright happy fabrics and make one of these great quilts for your favorite munchkin!

Supplies:

- flowers or trucks
- hearts or stars
- background
  (includes blocks, border #2 & #4)
- borders #1, #3 sashing
- binding
- 3 yards backing
- 1 yard of stabilizing material
- 1 yard of fusible webbing
- threads to match appliques
- freezer paper (for opt. curvy border)

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