

Heart Column

1. Attach a length of 4' conduit to the base plate. Pull an uninflated 11" white latex over the top of the conduit.
2. Air inflate four 11" white latex to 8" and wrap them onto the bottom of the conduit.
3. Air inflate four 5" wild berry latex to 4" and wrap them onto the conduit above the previous cluster, rotating the balloons so they nest.
4. Repeat Steps 2-3 to add three more layers of 8" white and three more layers of 4" wild berry, alternating the colors as shown.
5. Helium inflate two white Quick Links™ to 11" and tie into a duplet. Repeat to make five more duplets, tying the duplets together end-to-end to make a chain of 12. Tie the first and the last Quick Links™ together to make a circle.
6. Air inflate two 5" wild berry latex to 4" and tie them into a duplet. To connect the Quick Link™ circle to the column, pull the 4" duplet up through the top cluster on the column and wrap the duplet around one of the Quick Link™ knots. Make sure to twist the balloons around each other to lock them in place.
7. Air inflate four 5" wild berry latex to 3.5" and make a four-balloon cluster. Repeat to create five more clusters. Starting at the bottom of the Quick Link™ circle, wrap three clusters onto each side between the Quick Links™.
8. Air inflate three 5" wild berry latex sized to 3.5" and make a three-balloon cluster. Repeat to create four more clusters. Wrap these clusters onto the remaining knots of the Quick Links™.
9. To make the center point of the heart, position the three-balloon cluster beneath the two Quick Links™ as shown. Position the remaining 3-balloon clusters above the Quick Links™ as shown to form the lobes.
10. If needed, tie a length of monofilament from the center point of the heart into the column to help create a more defined shape.



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MATERIALS

QTY	ITEM	SIZE	DESCRIPTION
1	12801	12"	White Quick Link™ Balloons
1	11128	11"	White Latex
1	5259	5"	Wild Berry Latex
1	3708		Monofilament Line
1		3'	½" Diameter Conduit
1	1574		SDS™ Steel Base Plate