

AVERAGE TIME

CHALLENGE LEVEL

2
HOURS



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

SO "MUSH" LOVE HEART PLATE



MATERIALS

C06480 8"x9" Heart Plate
Liner Brush
Small Brush
Detail Brush
Fan Brush
NCR Pattern
Ball Point Pen

COLORS

CMM 88 - Vanilla Bean
CMM 42 - Cranberry Sauce
CMM 16 - Chiffon
CMM 90 - Red Hot
CMM 105 - Storm
CMM 31 - Licorice

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INSTRUCTIONS

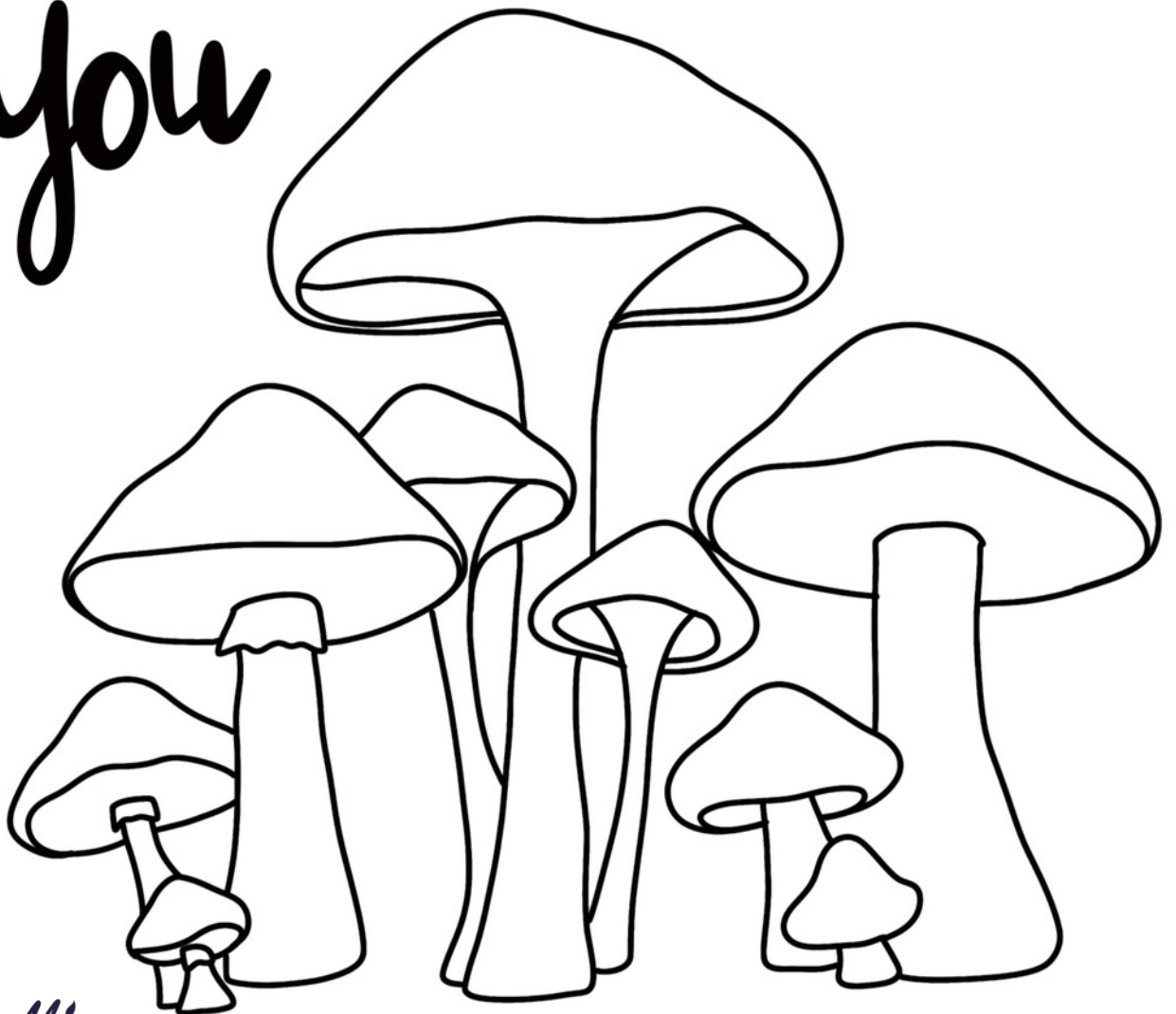
1. Use a fan brush to apply 2 coats of Vanilla Bean to the top of the plate. Allow the plate to dry.
2. When the plate is dry, use a pen to trace on the NCR pattern to the plate by pressing firmly as you trace over the lines.
3. Thin down both Cranberry Sauce and Red Hot with 50% water to 50% paint.
4. Load up a brush with a generous amount of the watered down Cranberry Sauce paint and drop a ball of paint to the cap of the center mushroom. Use the tip of the brush to gently spread out the paint. Reapply paint as needed until you fill in the cap with a heavy layer of the watered down paint.
5. Repeat step 4 for the two smaller mushrooms on either side of the center mushroom.
6. Load up a brush with a generous amount of the watered down Red Hot paint and drop a ball of paint to the cap of the right hand mushroom. Use the tip of the brush to gently spread out the paint. Reapply paint as needed until you fill in the cap with a heavy layer of the watered down paint.
7. Repeat step 6 for the remaining mushrooms.
8. Fill in the stems of the center mushrooms (the ones with the Cranberry Sauce caps) with 3 coats of Storm. Then, paint one coat of lines on the underside of the caps with the same color using a liner brush.
9. Next, fill in the stems of the remaining mushrooms (the ones with the Red Hot caps) with 3 coats of Chiffon. Then, paint one coat of lines on the underside of the caps with the same color using a liner brush.
10. Thin down some Cranberry Sauce with a little bit of water. Then, use a liner brush to apply one coat to the words "Mush", "Love", and "you".
11. Thin down some Licorice with 50% water to 50% paint. Use a liner brush to create a messy, broken outline around the mushrooms.
12. Use a detail brush to apply 1-2 coats of Licorice (not watered down) to the remaining words.
13. Finally, use a detail brush to apply hearts to the mushroom caps with one generous coat of Chiffon.

TIPS

- Fill in the caps with a heavy layer of the watered down paint. This will allow it to fill in without having to brush on 3 layers.
- When applying the outlines, the line should be broken and messy.
- The harder you push down on the brush, the heavier the lines will be.

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