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Love to Shop Hop Trail: Thanks to all who hopped with us. We do have a few of the fabric bundles left for purchase if you missed the hop. If you received a coupon during the hop, now is the time to spend it.



Happy Thanksgiving: We hope you have a wonderful day with family and friends to celebrate what you are most thankful for. We are thankful for all who have been patrons this past year. We appreciate your business.

Holiday hours: Just a heads up for hours in November and December – we will close at 3:00 on Wednesday November 23rd and December 24th and closed on Thanksgiving Thursday. Remember we have gift certificates in any amount should you need something for your favorite stitcher/quilter.



December 1-31 sale: All quilting fabric bolts will be on sale for 20% off the regular price during the month.

Help us make counting for inventory easier.

January 17-21 sale:

Prefinished pillow forms for cross stitch and selected Perwinkle Promise kits will be 20% off.



Happy Holidays: We would like to wish everyone a blessed Christmas, Hanukkah or whatever special happening you celebrate this time of year.

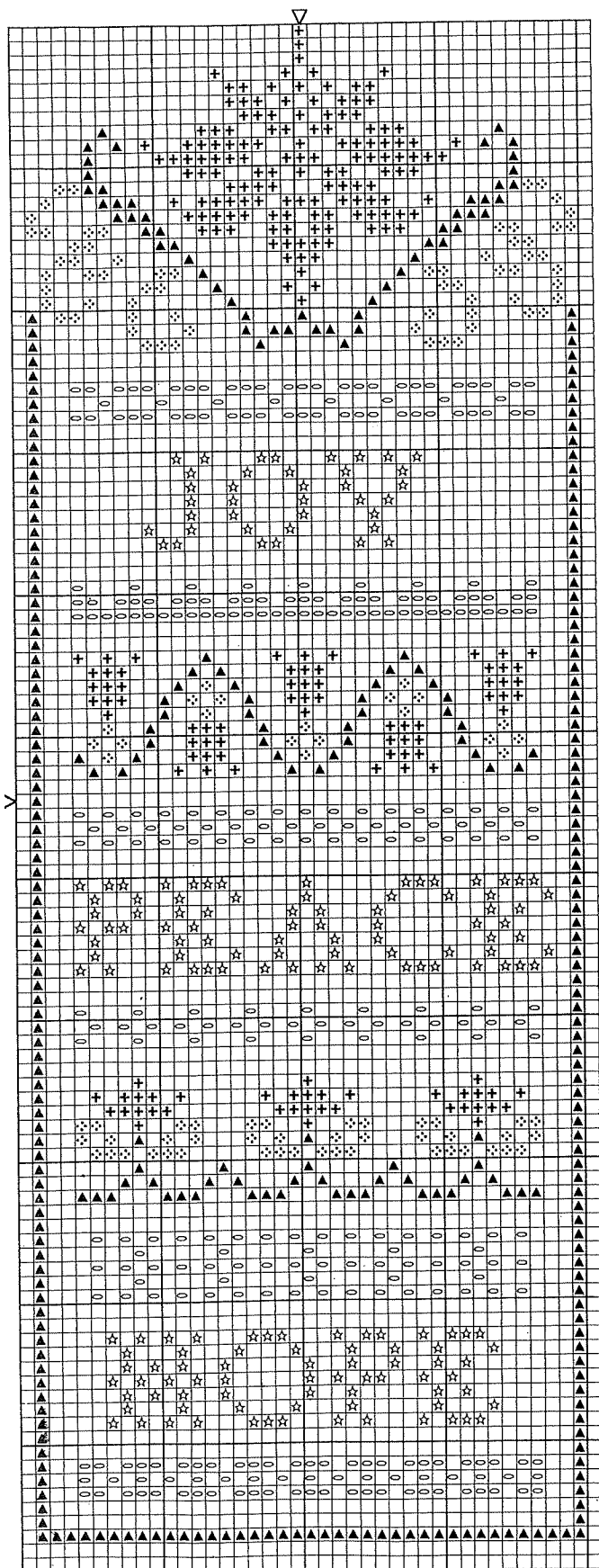
New Block of the Month: I am looking for a pattern for next year with a variety of different sampler blocks. If you might be interested in doing one this style, let me know.

TECHNIQUE TIP: Interfacing

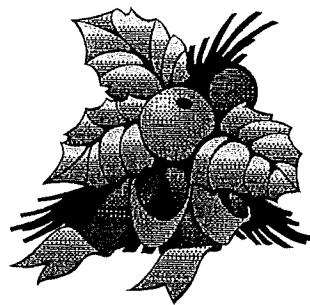
Need a little stiffer project? There are many choices for interfacing to make your piece “stand up”. First you need to decide if you want a fusible (with an iron) or a sew-in kind. And then you will need to choose how heavy you want your support. I like to use a woven soft weight when I do T-shirt quilts as the shirts are stretchy and the interfacing keeps edges straight and uncurled when you sew the blocks together. Here’s what the Heat and Bond label has to say: “Quickly and easily add stability and crispness to fabrics and reduce fraying. Works well with many fabrics including chiffon, cotton, denim, fleece, flannel, satin, tweed, wool and more.” They list four kinds. 1. Tricot which adds soft, flexible support to all knits and woven fabrics. 2. Weft combines strength and stretch to all types of fabrics. 3. Woven has minimal stretch and adds stability and strength to fabrics. 4. Non-woven has minimal shrinkage and adds stability to fabrics. Most of the lighter weights of interfacing will be white and 20-22” wide. There are some that are available in black (looks like gray to me). Non-woven comes in feather and light weights for dresses and bouses of light fabric, medium weight for all purpose use, shirt weight for shirt and jacket construction, craft and extra firm for craft projects like wallets, fabric bowls and home décor projects, fleece for adding body and loft to applique work, wall hangings, costumes and home décor, and quilter’s 2” grid for easy piecing of watercolor, photo mosaic and other small patch quilts. Most will be machine washable and dry cleanable. Read the directions that come with your chosen interfacing for applying it to your fabric.



Thank you to: Earth Threads and Joy of the Needle for sharing complimentary patterns.



Season Wishes



Model stitched on 32 count "dirty" linen by Wichelt Impo.

Model measures: 3" horizontally and 7.6" vertically.

Stitch count: 39 by 107.

Thread: DMC

▲	500	Dark blue green
⬢	502	Blue green
+	3685	Garnet
○	3688	Bright pink
☆	680	Deep gold

Directions:

Cross stitch over two threads utilizing two strands of DMC floss.

Seasons greetings to one and all and many projects stitched in the coming new year!

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WHAT'S NEW!

Kits: Mill Hill – Springtime beaded ornaments – Dragonfly, Bee, Ladybug, Pink Flower, Aqua Flower, Purple Flower; Riley Blake - kits – Pumpkins Squared, Hide & Seek, Junior Crew kit with bulldozer, Let's Pop Some Corn Runner, Table topper kits - Pumpkins Squared (Lori Holt), Thanksgiving (Stacy West), Christmas Trees (Sandy Gervais), Star Bright (Amy Smart), Hearts (Amanda Niederhauser), Prairie Shoo Fly Stars Quilt kit, Prairie Wildflowers Runner kit; Avlea Folk Embroidery – Arcadian Rose, Aegean Sunrise, Thessaly Floral, Phoebe Bitkit, Dianthia Bitkit, Arcadian Peony, Grecian Urn, Byzantine Band Sampler, Despina's Anemone, Pella Pouli; Bent Creek – Pop of Autumn, Pop of Summer. **Other stuff:** Gypsy Quilter: Fabulous Fabric Guide, Hold Steady Machine Quilter's Gloves, Cutting Mat Cleaner, Sewing Machine Screwdriver; Sew Tasty – sewing kits (great stocking stuffers); Dritz – magnetic wrist pin holders, replacement light bulbs for sewing machines; Hugo's – Amazing Tape; Singer - machine oil; Aunt Martha: new iron on transfers; Klasse: Professional scissor set; Hang It Dang It: Quilt hangers; Jaybird Quilts: Hex N More Ruler; Zweigart – Cross stitch fabric 28 count Lugana Laurel Green and Wheat; My Big Toe – new beaded scissor fobs. **Quilting Fabric:** Riley Blake – FFA and 4-H prints, Barbie pink and stripe and fat ¼ sets, Bee Gingham fat ¼ bundles and dish towel panels, narrow stripes, Stitchy Birds bolts and 10" x 10" packs; Studio E – Fractal Flowers; Timeless Treasures – Zebra Stripes, Under the Sea Creatures, Playing Cards, USA, Construction Trucks, Batiks; Print Concepts – Farmall Farm to Table, Realtree Animals in the Woods; Oasis - Batiks; Benartex – ABC Story panel; Elizabeth Studio – Mule Deer in Sage; Henry Glass – Moonbeams & Rainbows.

QUILTING: Wing and a Prayer: Plum Fusion; **Fabric Café**: Fast and Fun 3 Yard Quilts, Make it Christmas with 3 Yard Quilts, The Magic of 3 Yard Quilts, Easy Peasy 3 Yard Quilts; **Little Jay Bird**: Gazebo.

CROSS STITCH: **Little House Needlework**: Fall on the Farm – #9 Wishing You Well, Alice's Winter Wonderland, Thanksgiving Petites, Winter Petites; **Just Nan**: Haunted Woods Needle Slide & Sampler; **Country Cottage Needleworks**: Nutcracker Village series #10 Dew Drop Flower Shop, #11 Drosselmeyer's Toy Store, Waiting For Santa; **Cottage Garden Samplings**: Year in the Woods #10 The Little Brown Bat, #11 The Beaver, #12 The Reindeer, Christmas Star, Snowman Collector #1 The Needleworker; **JBW Designs**: Petite Cottages, Petite Christmas Cottages (and house tags to mount them on), Christmas Tree Collection XI, A-Round France; **Hands On Designs**: Stitch Some Happy, Tomayto Tomahto, Autumn Basket; **Stoney Creek**: Autumn 2022 magazine, My Stitchbands; **Rosewood Manor**: Winterhill, Conundrum; **Hello From Liz Mathews**: Autumn Cloche; **Heart in Hand**: Wee Santa 2022, Halloween Tiny Town, Halloween Frill, Pocket Round December 25th; **Primrose Cottage Stitches**: 13 Spooky Smalls, Halloween Letters, Salem Sisters Apothecary; **Jardin Prive**: Quaker de la Brodeuse; **Kathy Barrick**: Brown Fish Owl, Happy Christmas, Witch Training Academy; **Needle's Notion**: Elf Land; **Waxing Moon**: Christmas Littles; **The Blue Flower**: Seasons of the Heart Autumn, Autumn Hymns; **Heartstring Samplery**: Say Coffee; **Sue Hillis**: Santa's Cookies, Sweet Baby, Tomato Patch; **It's So Emma**: Cookie Cutter Ornaments, Bee in My Bonnet Stitch Cards Set N; ; **Plum Street Samplers**: Live on Little, This is the Day, Siren's Tart; **Bent Creek**: Thanksgiving Arches; **Tiny Modernist**: Christmas Snow Globe 1, 2, 3 Halloween Crystal Ball 1, 2, 3, Stitch Witch; **Petal Pusher**: Highland Woods; **Sweet Wing Studio**: Blessed Beyond Measure, Let Us Adore Him; **Amy Bruecken**: Batty #5 & 6 & 7; **With Needle and Thread**: Joy & Good Cheer, A Witch in Her Garden; **Luminous Fiber Arts**: Mousecapades 3 - A Snow Mouse & 4 - Reindeer Games; **NY Dreamer**: Dear Santa Define Good.

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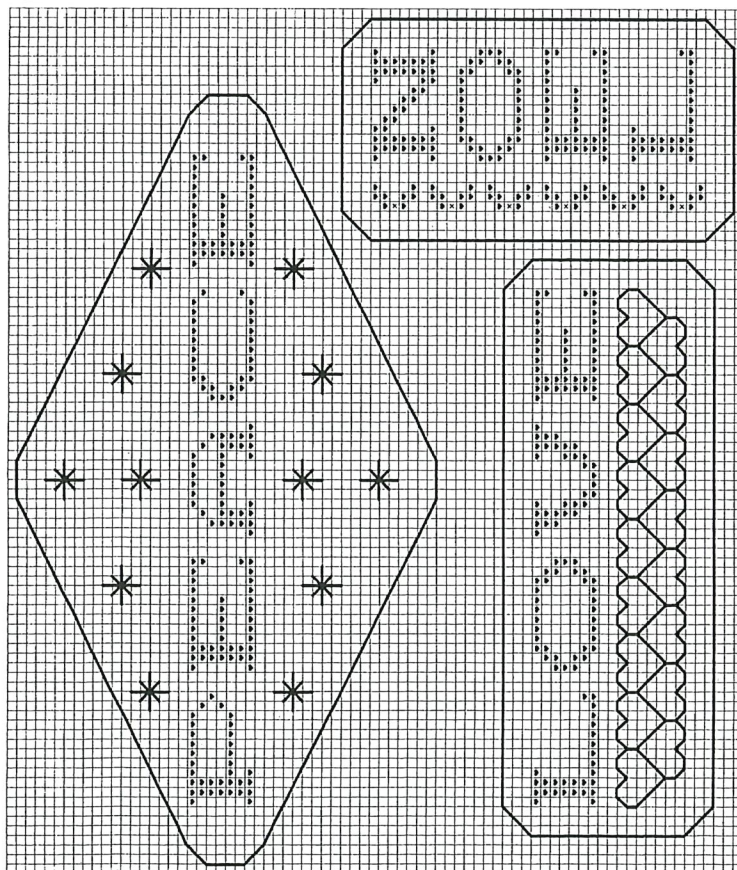
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Christmas Ornament 2001
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Work on 32 ct. natural linen, using two strands of floss for cross stitches and backstitches.

DMC

♥ 934 dark green

Weeks Dye Works

X 1331 Brick

2221 Gold

Backstitch hearts with Brick. Long stitch stars with Gold. Finish into ornaments.

These ornaments will complement the design in my Tree Sampler. Ask your shop owner for this chart.

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