



The Toymaker

Gift card holder 4" x 5"
Letter to Santa 3" x 2"
Miniature quilt 12 1/2" square

Requirements:

13" x 22" white linen
12" x 20" red fabric
7" x WOF green fabric
13" x 22" iron on interfacing (Vilene H410)
14" x 20" Parlan or light weight fusible pellow
14" square of backing fabric
DMC #8 perle thread - ecru

COSMO thread:

346 red (2 x skeins)



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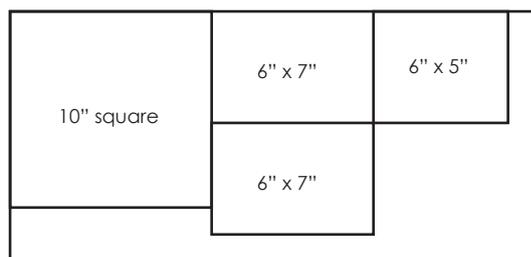
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Where to begin?

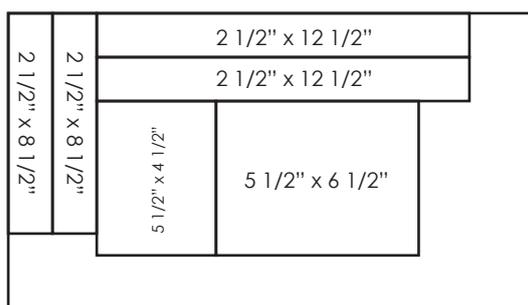
This pattern contains three special Christmas embroidery designs, just trace the design onto your linen using a pen and light box - you will be stitching in no time!

Be sure to read over all the instructions and cutting guide enclosed before beginning all seams are sewn with a 1/4" seam allowance ...enjoy!

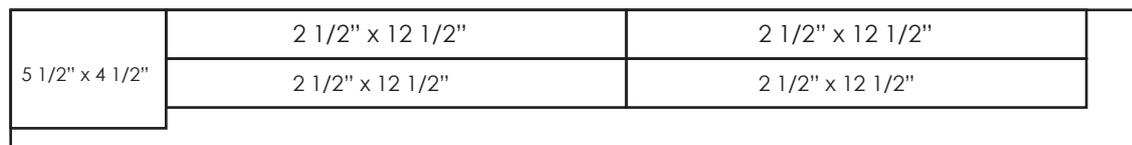
Linen - 13" x 22"



Red fabric - 12" x 20"



Green fabric - 7" x WOF



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Gift card holder - cutting requirements:

From linen cut two 6" x 7" rectangles.

Red fabric cut one 4 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangle and one 5 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangle.

Green fabric cut one 4 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangle.

Fusible interfacing (Vilene H410) cut two 6" x 7" rectangles.

Parlan or light weight fusible pellon cut one 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" rectangle.

- Transfer the stitching design to the right side of your linen rectangle and fuse light weight interfacing (Vilene H410) to the back of the linen.
- Complete all stitching using COSMO 346 red thread, two strands have been used throughout the pattern unless noted in the stitch and thread guide.
- When stitching is complete press with your iron and trim to measure 4 1/2" x 5 1/2".
- The same stitching design appears on the front and inside cover of the holder. Repeat these steps to make two matching designs.

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- With right sides facing place one red & one (stitched) linen 4 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangle together. Pin along the left 5 1/2" seam and sew, press seam toward the red fabric.
- With right sides facing place one green & one (stitched) linen 4 1/2" x 5 1/2" rectangle together. Pin along the right 5 1/2" seam and sew, press seam toward the green fabric.
- To make the pocket, take the remaining red 5 1/2" x 6 1/2" rectangle and fold in half, right sides facing out - when pressed the folded fabric should measure 5 1/2" x 3 1/4".
- Place the green & stitched linen lining panel on a flat surface and position the folded pocket over the right side of the rectangle. Match the raw edges (folded edge will be toward the centre) pin and baste to hold.
- Divide the pocket into two and mark with a washable pen, using #8 perle thread stitch along the marked line (basic running stitch is fine!)
- With right sides together place the lining and front panels together, match raw edges and pin to hold. Sew around all sides leaving a 3" opening at one side for turning.
- Clip all corners and turn right side out through the side opening. Push corners out and press well. To complete and close the side opening top stitch around all sides.
- Fill the pockets with gift cards or movie tickets to make the perfect gift.

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Santa's Envelope - cutting requirements:

From linen cut one 5" x 6" rectangle.

Fusible interfacing (Vilene H410) cut one 5" x 6" rectangle.

- Santa's Envelope is such a fun and simple project to make and keep for yourself or wrap as a little gift.
- Transfer the design to the right side of your linen rectangle and fuse light weight interfacing (Vilene H410) to the back of the linen.
- When stitching is complete press with your iron, using a quilt ruler and rotary cutter measure 3/8" seam allowance around the stitching and trim all sides.
- Fold the stitched envelope in half with right sides and raw edges together, pin. Using a small stitch length sew the three open sides leaving a 2" opening at one edge.
- Carefully clip the corners and trim the seams to reduce bulk. Turn out through the opening, Take care to push the out each corner and press well. To complete and close the side opening top stitch around all sides.
- If you wish to hang the little envelope cut a 9" piece of #8 perle thread and stitch through the corner of the envelope, knot together to form a loop and Santa's envelope is ready to hang.

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Miniature quilt - cutting requirements:

From linen cut one 10" square.

Red fabric cut two 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" strips and two 2 1/2" x 12 1/2" strips.

Green fabric cut four 2 1/2" x 13" strips for binding.

Fusible interfacing (Vilene H410) cut one 10" square.

Parlan or light weight fusible pella cut one 12 1/2" square.

Backing fabric cut one 14" square.

- Transfer the stitching design to the right side of your linen square and fuse light weight interfacing (Vilene H410) to the back of the fabric.
- Complete all stitching using COSMO 346 red thread, two strands have been used throughout the pattern unless noted in the stitch and thread guide.
- When stitching is complete press with your iron and trim to measure 8 1/2" square.
- Take two red 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" strips and pin along the top and bottom edge of your linen square. Match raw edges and sew, press seam toward the red fabric. Sew the remaining two red strips along each side of your square to complete the borders, press seam toward the red fabric.
- Using a ruler and washable marker draw 1" grid lines over the pieced square. Fuse Parlan to the back of your miniature and using #8 perle thread hand sew over the marked lines using a running stitch - this is a decorative stitch rather than a 'quilting' stitch as the backing fabric is not attached. Use a damp cloth to remove all grid line markings.
- Place backing fabric and completed panel together and pin to hold. Machine quilt in the ditch around the border.
- Take two green 2 1/2" x 13" strips, fold the ends over 1/4" and press. With right sides facing out, fold each strip along the length and press. Matching raw edges pin the strip along the bottom and top edge of your miniature and sew. Turn each binding strip over and hand stitch to the back, repeat with the remaining strips until the binding is complete.



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Stitch and thread guide

Gift card holder

All stitching is completed with COSMO 346 - red embroidery thread.

The design is sewn in backstitch using two strands of thread, with the following exceptions:

- Berries in hat, all eyes and Scottie dog nose are satin stitched with two strands.
- Gift tags, stripes on shoes, detail on handbag and scarf trim, Scottie dog kiss curl, coat detail and girls nose/mouth are all backstitched with just one strand.
- Handle on handbag is finished in running stitch with just one strand.

Santa's envelope

All stitching is completed with COSMO 346 - red embroidery thread

- Outline on envelope and Airmail stamp is backstitched with two strands.
- Dashed outline around envelope is running stitch with two strands.
- Words 'Airmail', 'Santa Noth Pole', snowman on stamp, postal imprint and return address (squiggly lines) are backstitched with just one strand.
- Edge of snowman stamp is chain stitched with one strand.

Miniature quilt

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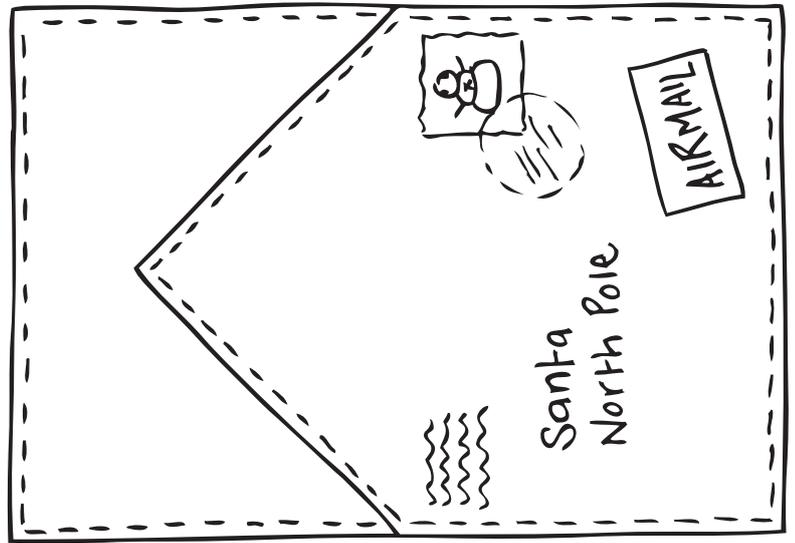
The design is sewn in backstitch using two strands of thread, with the following exceptions:

- Shop outline, roof line, door frame and window frame in the door and chain stitched with two strands.
- Dashed line above 'The Toymaker' sign is running stitch with two strands.
- Window frame (curved edges in top corners of the store) is backstitched with one strand.
- Gift tags, stripes on shoes, detail on handbag and scarf trim, Scottie dog kiss curl, coat detail and girls nose/mouth, words 'letters' on door, loops on hanging stockings and detail on dolls in the window are all backstitched with one strand.
- Door knob, car wheels, berries in hat, all eyes and Scottie dogs nose are all satin stitched with two strands.
- Feet on dolls in window and gift box ribbon bows are lazy daisy stitches with two strands.
- Handle on handbag is finished in running stitch with just one strand.

NB. decorative quilting is completed with DMC #8 perle thread, only one strand is required.



The Toymaker - design sheet



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