

YLI Digitized Bobbin Embroidered Needle Books

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Supplies-

YLI RibbonFloss® 1 reel

YLI Wonder Invisible Thread (clear)

YLI Lingerie and Bobbin Thread (white)

5-7 Creative Crystal® Iron-On

Swarovski® Austrian Crystal

Rhinestones size 20ss or beads

Fabric

One 7" x 10"

Two 4 1/2" x 3 3/4"

Felt cut as follows:

Two 5 1/2" x 3 3/4"

Two 2 3/4" x 3 3/4"

Firm Tear Away Stabilizer cut to 7" x 10"

Large Eyed Needle

Scissors

Sewing Machine with Embroidery Unit

Digitized heart design found on CD

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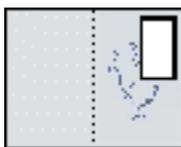
Instructions

Embroider Design

- 1 Pull off 3-4 yards of YLI RibbonFloss and wind on a bobbin. Adjust the bobbin case so the tension allows the YLI RibbonFloss to pull correctly.
- 2 Mount the 7" x 10" fabric and stabilizer into the hoop with the fabric right side down and the stabilizer on top (the opposite of how you would usually hoop it.)
- 3 Put the YLI Wonder Invisible Thread in the top of the sewing machine with the YLI RibbonFloss in the bobbin. Reduce the top tension to 2.0.
- 4 Hold the top thread and pull the bobbin thread to the top before starting to embroider.
- 5 Turn off the automatic thread cutter for embroidery. Touch "setup". Touch "Embroidery Settings", "next page", and change "automatic Thread Cutter" so there is a red "X" next to it. Touch OK.
- 6 Embroider the design. Tear away the stabilizer. Use a large eyed needle to thread the tail of the YLI RibbonFloss to the back of the fabric.

Assemble Needlebook

- 1 Change the bobbin to the YLI Bobbin & Lingerie Thread and readjust the bobbin to the normal tension. Put a normal sewing machine foot on the sewing machine.
- 2 Cut 3" x 4" piece of paper as a guide for cutting the needlebook cover. Fold the piece of paper in quarters.
- 3 Lay the unfolded paper on the design to center the stitched design of the cover using the fold lines as a guide.
- 4 With the design right side up, cut 1/4" beyond the paper guide on the top, right, and bottom edge. Then cut the left side so the whole piece measures 4 1/2" x 6 1/2".



- 5 Press under 1/2" along one long edge of one of the 4 1/2" x 3 3/4" pieces of fabrics.
- 6 Lay the needlebook cover right side up with the stitched design to the right. Lay the 4 1/2" x 3 3/4" with the folded edge right sides together - matching the unfolded 4 1/2" edge with the right edge of the stitched fabric.

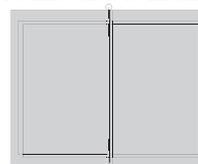
- 7 Lay the other 4 1/2" x 3 3/4" fabric aligned with the left hand edge of the stitched design. Stitch 1/4" all the way around the edge.



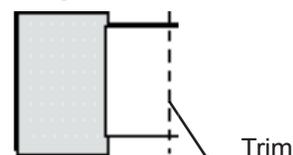
- 8 Trim the excess from the corners. Turn right side out and press.
- 9 Insert a piece of 2 3/4" x 3 3/4" felt into each side of the needlebook cover.
- 10 Fold the needlebook cover in half and mark the center fold line with pins.



- 11 Center the two pieces of 5 1/2" x 3 3/4" felt in the open needlebook cover. Pin in place. Turn over so the outside of the needlebook cover is right side up with the felt underneath.
- 12 Stitch along the fold line that is marked by the 2 pins.



- 13 Open the needlebook cover so the covers are in one direction and the felt pages are in the opposite direction. Use a rotary cutter to cut the page edges even.



- 14 Position the Creative Crystal Iron-On Rhinestones as desired. These can be fused in place by holding an iron on them for about 15 seconds. Allow to cool.

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