

Christmas

Pin Cushion Gift Jars with Tags

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Instructions for the Gift Card Holder

Items you will need for this project:

Fibrous water soluble stabilizer

One 3" X 6" piece of fabric for the pocket front

Two 3" X 4" pieces of fabric for the pocket back

Spray adhesive

Tape (such as Scotch® brand)

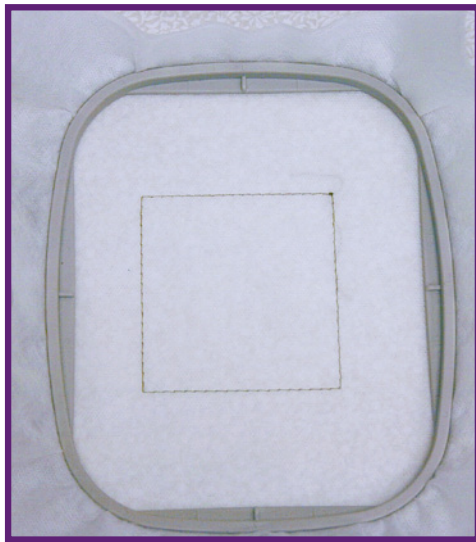
Ribbon

Embroider the front pocket piece first.

Note: Use the designs with the "NFC" prefix.

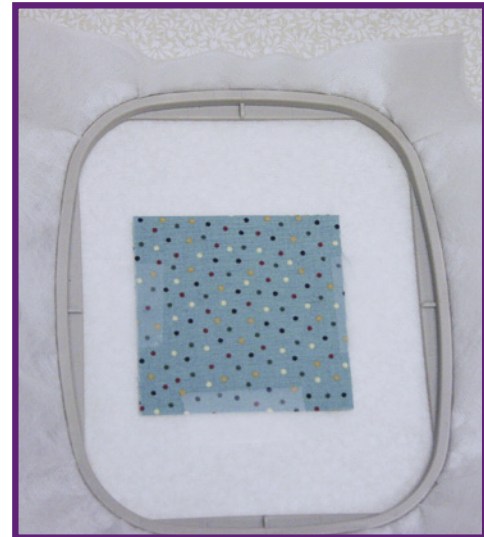
Note: The outline and tackdown color changes are for the appliquéd area(s) of the design. The outline is a running stitch line that defines the appliqué's shape. Your piece of fabric should be a little bigger than the outline. The tackdown is a running stitch line that will stitch inside the outline to tack down the fabric. Trim the fabric close to the tackdown stitches.

1. Hoop two pieces of fibrous water-soluble stabilizer.
2. Stitch the first color change, which is your outline for the front pocket placement.



3. Fold the 3" X 6" piece of fabric in half with front side up.
4. Lay the fabric with folded edge lined up with the top of the outline.

5. Tape in place.



6. Stitch the second color change, which is the tack down stitch.
7. Remove tape and trim the fabric 1/4" from the outside of the tack down stitches.
8. Embroider the design, following the remaining color changes.



9. Remove from the hoop.

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10. Trim the stabilizer close to the fabric.

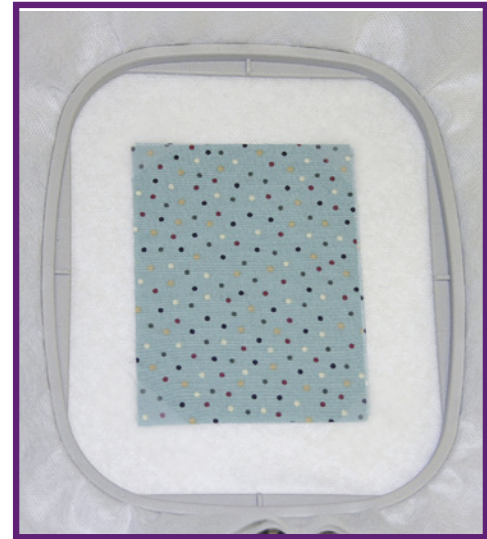


Embroider the back pocket piece (using file# NFC0230) Select gift card holder design. Make sure to use the files beginning with "NFC..."

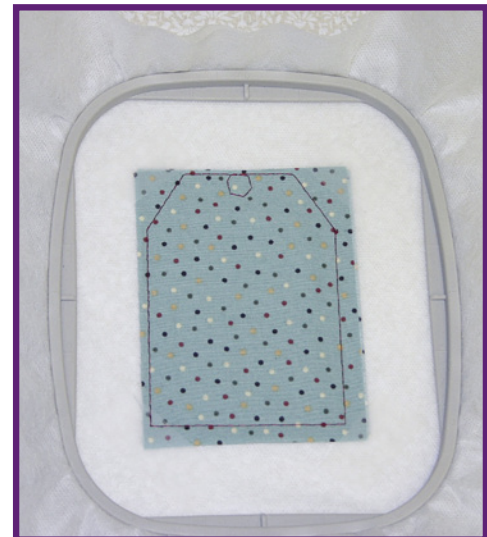
1. Hoop two pieces of fibrous water soluble stabilizer.
2. Stitch the first color change, which is the outline for the back pocket placement.



3. Take two 3" x 4" pieces of fabric, lightly spray the backs with adhesive spray, and place them back-to-back, then place on the outline stitch and tape in place.



4. Stitch the second color change, which is the tack down stitch.



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5. Trim the fabric close to the tack down stitches. Trim out the hole area for ribbon.



6. Stitch the third color change, which is the outline stitch for the front pocket placement.

7. Lay the embroidered front pocket onto the back pocket piece, lining it up with the outline stitches, and tape into place. Make sure the embroidery is front side up.



8. Stitch the fourth color change, which is the tack down stitch that will hold the front pocket in place.

9. Trim close to tack down, if needed.

10. Embroider the last color change.



11. Remove from the hoop.

12. Trim the stabilizer close to the fabric. (Optional) Remove outline stitch under top edge of pocket.

13. Use a q-tip or paint brush to run water along the outside edges to remove the fibrous water soluble stabilizer.

14. String ribbon through the top hole to hang.



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Instructions for the Pin Cushions

Items you will need:

Jar, lid and ring

Fabric (We used scraps.)

Stabilizer-light weight

Hot glue or craft glue

Pencil

Batting

Ribbon

1. Draw a circle 2 inches wider than the jar ring on the fabric and mark the center. Cut a light weight piece of stabilizer the same size as the fabric.



2. Hoop the fabric and stabilizer.
3. Embroider the design.

4. Remove from the hoop.



5. Trim the fabric along the pencil line.



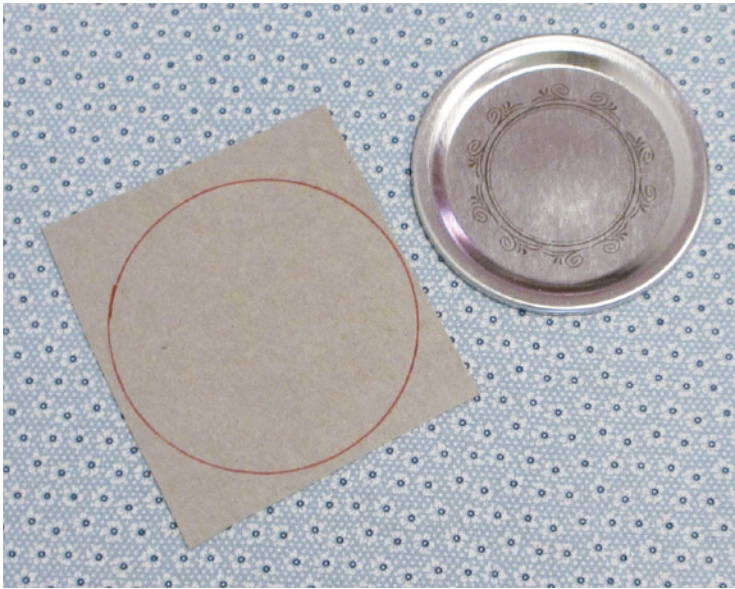
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6. Cut a circle from heavy card stock (We used the bottom of a tissue box.) the same size as the jar lid.



8. Lay the card stock over the batting. Push the fabric and batting through the jar ring.



7. Lay the fabric with embroidered side down and lay a small piece of batting in the center.



9. Place glue around the inside edge of the card stock.



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10. Fold the fabric to the inside, make sure your fabric looks OK on the top of the jar ring before you glue the fabric on the inside of the lid.

11. Place glue around the top outside edge of the jar lid.



13. Add ribbon to the jar ring. Fill the jar with pins.



12. Place the jar lid with the glue inside the jar ring.

