

HOMESPUN'S STITCH-A-LONG

Give Thanks – Stitchery 10 (Bird Houses)



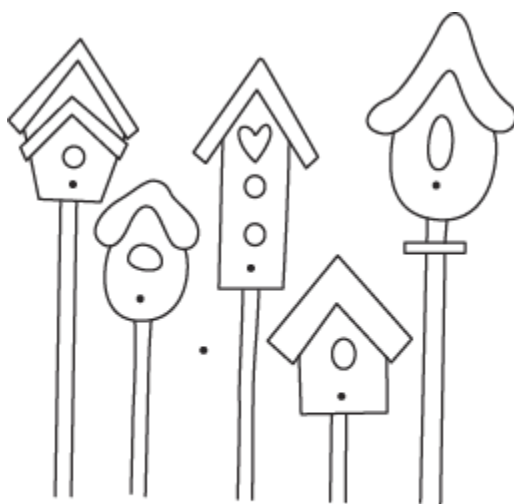
Embroidery

1. Print these instructions for Stitchery 10 – Bird Houses design. Before printing, check the Print dialog box – it is important that in the field next to the words “Page Scaling” you have selected “None”. This will ensure that the stitchery design that appears at the end of the instructions is exactly the right size.
2. From the cream quilter’s muslin or another background fabric of your choice, cut:
 - One square, 7½in.
3. From the lightweight fusible interfacing, cut:
 - One square, 7½in.
4. Centre the fabric over the design and trace it neatly with the fine Pigma pen or pencil. A light source such as a window, light box or glass-topped table with a desk lamp placed underneath will help to make the design more visible through the fabric.
5. Fuse the interfacing to the wrong side of the fabric. Place the fabric in an embroidery hoop, if desired.
6. Work the stitchery design, referring to the stitchery guide below.

Stitchery guide

Design area	DMC Stranded Embroidery Cotton	Stitch
House one outline	Medium Shell Pink (3722)	Back stitch and French knot
House one and house four roofs	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown (938)	Back stitch
House one and house three posts	Very Dark Yellow Beige (167)	Back stitch
House two outline	Medium Light Shell Pink (152)	Back stitch and French knot
House two roof and house four post	Dark Green Grey (3051)	Back stitch
House two post, house three roof and house five outline	Light Tan (437)	Back stitch
House three outline	Light Cornflower Blue (794)	Back stitch and French knot
House three heart	Very Light Shell Pink (224)	Back stitch
House four outline	Green Grey (3053)	Back stitch and French knot
House five roof	Medium Shell Pink (3722)	Back stitch
House five post	Dark Fern Green (520)	Back stitch

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Stitchery 10 – Bird houses