

## HOMESPUN'S STITCH-A-LONG

### Give Thanks – Stitchery 18 (Blessings)



#### Embroidery

1. Print these instructions for Stitchery 18 – Blessings 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 rectangle, 7½ x 10½in.
3. From the lightweight fusible interfacing, cut:
  - One rectangle, 7½ x 10½in.
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
Wording	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown (938)	Back stitch
Flowers	Medium Light Shell Pink (152), Medium Lavender (210), Light Cornflower Blue (794) and Light Autumn Gold (3855)	Detached chain (lazy daisy) stitch with French knot in centre
Leaves	Pine Green (3364)	Detached chain (lazy daisy) stitch
Border	Pine Green (3364)	Back stitch
Border detail	Very Light Shell Pink (224)	French knots

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