

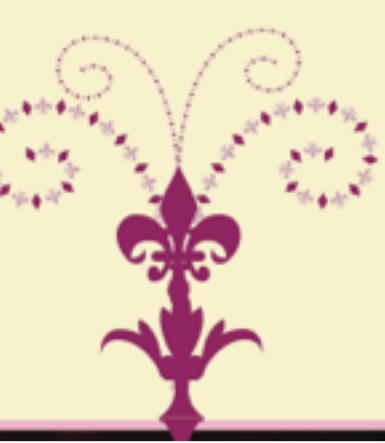


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Victorian Stocking

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Supply List:

Rotary Cutter, Mat, Ruler

Scissors

Shears and Thread Snips

Iron and ironing surface

Fabric Marker of your choice (pen, pencil, chalk...)

General Sewing Supplies

Microtex size 80 or 90 needle or your favorite needle for embroidery.

Machine Feet

Regular Sewing Foot, Open Toe Foot,

Embroidery Thread

Construction Thread

Bobbins for deco stitches and construction





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NOTE: These directions are to be used in conjunction with the videos.

Supply List Continued:

Project Supplies:

- Stocking Template (printed, cut out and taped together then traced onto poster board)
- Spray Adhesive
- Silk Flower Poinsettias
- Beads or pears for center of flowers
- 24" of 4-5" lace
- 5" piece of ribbon for tab to hang stocking with (1/4" - 1" wide your choice)
- Tear Away Stabilizer
- Fabric Tac Glue
- Fabric,
 - Stocking Base Fabric 14" x 22"
 - Sheer Fabric for overlay 14" x 22"
 - Lining Fabric: 2 pieces 14" x 22"
 - Stocking Back Fabric: 14" x 22"

Hint:

Be sure to cover your work area when using spray adhesive





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Preparation

Print the 4 parts of the stocking templates, cut them out and paste together based on photo included with templates

Trace the stocking onto the base fabric

Remove poinsettias and leaves from the stems and iron flat

Working with the poinsettias

Arrange the poinsettia and leaves on the stocking in a pleasing arrangement, keeping in mind that you will have lace at the top and a seam allowance around the edges.

Use Spray Adhesive to keep the flowers and leaves in place when you have them arranged in a way you are satisfied with.

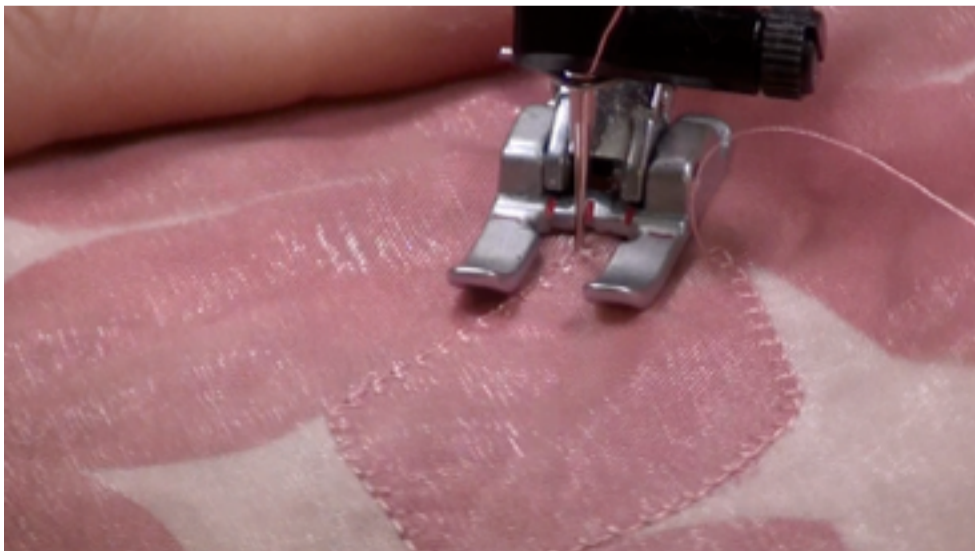
Cover with sheer fabric using spray adhesive to hold in place

Using an open toe foot and a pin stitch set at about 1.5w x 3.0L

Engage the needle down option if you have it.

Outline each flower and leaf with a pin stitch making sure to keep in mind what is in the back and what is in the front as you stitch.

Please refer to the video to see exactly how to implement this process.





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Cutting out the stocking and putting it together

- Stitch the sheer fabric to the base fabric just inside of the cutting line
- Cutout the Stocking front back and lining
- Place the stocking front and back RST and cut out along the traced line.
- Stitch together, leaving the top open, using a 3/8" seam allowance
- Trim seams with pinking shears.
- Turn right side out (RSO) and press
- Place 2 layers of fabric for the stocking lining RST and cut out the lining pieces.
- Stitch together, leaving the top open, using a 3/8" seam allowance.
- Trim seams with pinking shears.
- Do NOT turn RSO
- Insert the lining into the stocking wrong sides together (WST)
- Zig Zag the lining to the stocking along the top edge (3.0W x 3.0 L)





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Stocking Lace Cuff

Tab:

Fold your ribbon in half so it is about 2 1/2 inches tall

Pin (or baste) it to the stocking so the folded edge of the ribbon is inside the lining and the raw edges of the ribbon are lined up with the raw edges of the top of the stocking at the seam line on the heel side of the stocking.

Lace Cuff:

Pin the Lace to the inside the stocking leaving the area by the seam on the heel side of the the stocking unstitched so you can finish the lace as you desire.

You can simply stitch a regular seam to join the edges of the lace or you can line up the motifs, stitch them together and cut away the excess as described in the video.

Flip the cuff to the right side, press and zig zag around the top to hold the lace in place.

Embellishment:

Glue pearls or beads in place to conceal the holes in the center of the silk flows and add a wonderful detail to your project!

