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### Materials Needed

- 1 fat quarter for stitchery background
- 1 fat eighth for cornerstones & triangles
- 1 fat eighth for first border
- ¾ yard for outer border & pillow back
- 1¼ yard muslin for quilting & insert
- 1 - 20" x 23" piece of batting
- Cosmo Floss: 1 each  
107, 165, 374, 383, 577, 684, 703, 2015
- Crayons
- Fine point permanent pen
- Polyester fiberfill

### Cutting Instructions

*From fabric for embroidery background cut:*

- (1) 10" x 11"

*From blue for first border cut:*

- (2) ¼" x 10" for side borders
- (2) 1¼" x 9" for top & bottom borders

*From green for cornerstones & triangles cut:*

- (4) 1¼" x 1¼" for cornerstones
- (4) 1½" x 1½" for triangles

*From pink for outer border & pillow back cut:*

- (2) 4½" x width of fabric sub cut into:
  - (2) 4½" x 11½" for side borders
  - (2) 4½" x 18½" for top & bottom

borders

- (1) 13" x width of fabric sub cut into:
  - (2) 13" x 18½" for pillow back

*From muslin cut:*

- (1) 20" x 23" for quilting
- (2) 19½" x 20½" for pillow insert

### Tracing Stitchery Design

Center the 10" x 11" background fabric over embroidery pattern. Using fine point permanent pen and light box, trace design.

### Coloring Embroidery Design

Referring to photo of pillow, you will notice I did not color the dress collar, socks, & hat bow. Color using a light touch, add more color as desired. Place a pressing cloth over colored piece and use a dry iron on cotton setting to heat-set the crayon.

### Stitching the Design

Use 2 strands COSMO floss.

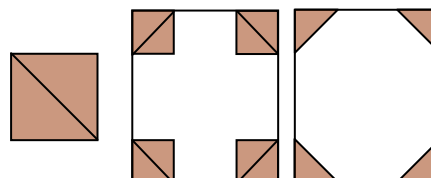
Backstitch (except where indicated):

- 165: eyes - Satin Stitch (white accents)
- 577: eye line & lashes
- 383: nose, face, arms, legs
- 2015: lips, umbrella ruffle, socks, petticoat, and hat bow
- 107: flower on hat, necklace, top of umbrella, umbrella flowers, large flowers
- 107: dress dots, flower centers on umbrella and dress - Satin Stitch
- 107: (Use 3 strands) umbrella bow
- 703: hair
- 374: hat, dress, shoes & puppy bow
- 577: umbrella handle & puppy
- 684: leaves, grass & flower stems

After pressing trim embroidery to measure 9" x 10".

### Making the Pillow

1. Draw a diagonal line on wrong side of each 1½" x 1½" square.
2. Right sides together, place a 1½" square on corners of the 9" x 10" embroidered background. Sew on the drawn line. Trim, leaving ¼" seam allowance.
3. Open corners. Press away from center.



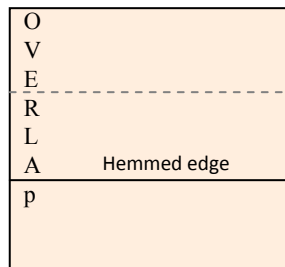


4. Sew (1) 1¼" x 10" first border to opposite sides of Step 3 Unit. Press away from center.
5. Sew 1¼" x 1¼" cornerstones to ends of each 1¼" x 9" first border. Press seams toward 9" border strip.
6. Sew Step 5 borders to top and bottom of Step 4 Unit. Press away from center.
7. Sew (1) 4½" x 11½" outer border to each side. Press away from center.
8. Sew (1) 4½" x 18½" outer border to top and (1) to bottom. Press away from center.

### Completing the Pillow

Optional: To quilt pillow top: With pillow right side up and centered, layer pillow top, batting and 20" x 23" muslin. Baste and quilt as desired.

1. Use (2) 13" x 18½" pieces to make an overlapped pillow back. Turn under ¼" along an 18½" side of both pillow back pieces. Press. Turn under again. Press and stitch hem on both pieces.
2. Right sides facing up overlap pillow back pieces to make an 18½" x 19½" rectangle. Opening in pillow back will be horizontal. Baste sides at overlap.



3. Right sides together, pin front to back. Using a ½" seam allowance, sew around pillow. Sew a second seam to reinforce. Clip corners, turn. Gently press.
4. Use (2) 19" x 20½" muslin rectangles to make pillow insert. Sew using a ½" seam allowance. Leave opening on one side for turning. Clip corners and turn right side out. Stuff with fiberfill. Sew opening closed.
5. Insert pillow form into pillow.

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