

# HATCHED IN AFRICA

## VELVET BIRDS FREE TEST DESIGN

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### APPLIQUE INSTRUCTIONS:

- "APPLIQUE POSITION" a straight stitch to indicate where to place the fabric for appliqué.
- Place a piece of fabric over indicated area.
- "APPLIQUE MATERIAL" then sews the appliqué fabric down with a straight stitch.
- Cut the excess fabric off without removing the fabric from the hoop.
- Continue with the embroidery of the design.

### VELVETTING INSTRUCTIONS:

- Complete stitching the design.
- Each design has a dense satin stitch that can be cut to velvet.
- Velvet sections: Bird Tails and Bird Fringes
- Use a sharp quick unpick (stitch ripper). Lift and cut the top layer of stitches.
- There will still be a layer of stitches that are not to be cut at the bottom.
- Use a brush or your fingers to "fluff" the stitches.



### COLOR CHART:

\* Marathon Rayon has been used

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62.40x58.30 mm; 4,597 stitches



1. Light Brown	1224
2. Tangerine	1015
3. Pumpkin	1014
4. Vermilion	1046
5. Appliqué Position	wing
6. Appliqué Material	light brown fabric
7. Harvest Gold	1012
8. Tangerine	1015
9. Pumpkin	1014
10. Black	1180
11. Red	1243