

Please read through these instructions completely before beginning.

There are many thread changes, most of which are for placement only. You may use whatever colors you choose to match the fabric you pick.

This project requires a crisp stabilizer (I use Floriani's wet 'n stick) or WSS, fabric, 3 --14" pieces of ribbon for tie AND Timex or Stiffy

HOOPING: I hoop 1 layer of stabilizer and use spray adhesive to attach my fabric. You can use a piece of timex on the front side, and then only one on the back.



STEP 1-Color #1 & 2. Outline stitch for the sign. Tacks fabric to stabilizer, too. I don't trim this yet.



STEP 2- Design Colors different for each sign. Remove hoop from machine, but do not unhoop. If Your design has fringe--- snip your bobbin threads NOW.



STEP 3-Place the Stiffener and back fabric, I use little spray adhesive and then use straight pins has shown in next photo.



STEP 4 Here's where I put in matching bobbin thread. Run the stitching to attach the back fabric and stiffener. Remove hoop from machine.



STEP 5 Time to trim front and back fabrics from hoop. As close as possible. Be patient with the layers on the backside.



STEP 4 This is way I like a crisp tear away. The edging around the side is rippled; the stabilizer with a little body holds its out. others can make it just a floppy satin stitch.

I did this with the dark thread so you can see how nice it looks with crisp stabilizer, however using the dark thread requires a little touch up with the fabric pen.

