« Mythical Myrtle »

By Barbara M Kershaw

MATERIAL LIST

❖ Finished size approximately 7" x 7" (18cm x 18cm)

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MATERIALS NEEDED

- ❖ 1 piece of #32ct Belfast linen (Confederate gray) 11" x 11" (28cm x 28cm)
- ❖ 1 piece of #32ct Belfast linen (Confederate gray) 11" x 13" (28cm x 33cm)
- ❖ 1 ball DMC[®] #8 Coton Perlé ~ colour #927
- ❖ 10 yards (9.1m) DMC® #8 Perlé Coton ~ colours #928 and 926
- ❖ 2 skeins DMC[®] floss ~ colour #927
- Basting thread

FINISHING MATERIALS NEEDED

- ❖ 1 piece of silk lining, colour coordinated to linen, cut 9" x 20" (23cm x 51cm)
- ♦ Mat boards cut one 7" x 7" (17.8cm x 17.8cm), two 7" x 3½" (17.8cm x 8.9cm)
- ❖ slightly thinner board cut one 6 7/8" x 6 7/8" (17.5cm x 17.5cm), two 6 7/8" x 3 7/16" (17.5cm x 8.75cm)
- Sewing thread the colour of the lining
- ❖ 10′(feet) (3m (metres)) of double back tape
- ❖ 1½" (4cm) piece of card

EQUIPMENT NEEDED

- ***** Extra fine water erasable marker
- Small piece of tracing paper
- * #24 tapestry needle
- ❖ #24 chenille or #7 embroidery (sharp) needle
- Milliners needle (optional)
- Sharp fine point embroidery scissors
- ❖ 5" (12.5cm) wooden hoop
- ❖ Needle nabber (½ a rubber band from broccoli is good!)
- ❖ 2 C clamps or mini Gripits
- ❖ Light and/or magnifier if you use one
- ❖ Small white hand towel

Note:

• The small clean white hand towel placed over your lap (knees) while stitching this piece will help to keep your embroidery free of dark threads and animal hair/fur that can transfer from your clothes to the thread or linen and get caught in the stitching.

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MAIL ORDER SOURCE LIST 9

WHENEVER POSSIBLE, PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL NEEDLEWORK SHOPS. If you cannot find the required materials locally, the following sources will handle mail-order requests. If a shop offers a discount to EGA members, please be sure to state that the supplies are for this correspondence course.

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