



Materials:

FSL Christmas Ornament designs
*<u>Ultra Solvy</u> - Water Soluble Stabilizer
Thread & Bobbin Thread (same color)

Sharp 11 Needle	Paper Towels
Spray Starch	Bowl & Hot Water
Wax Paper	Sewing Machine
Scissors	**Transparent thread

*Use Ultra Solvy or another brand of heavy solvy. Thin solvy will tear and not embroider well.

**We used transparent spool & bobbin thread to sew the pieces together on the sewing machine. You could use the same color of thread as you used to embroider the designs with if you would like.



The first part of this project is to embroider the panel 5 times.



Step 1: Cut a piece of Ultra or other heavy Solvy that is a little larger than your hoop.



Step 2: Hoop Solvy, making sure that it is hooped very tightly.





Step 3:

Place hoop onto your machine and embroider the lace design of your choice.



Step 4:

Once the design is done embroidering. Remove from the machine and trim the excess solvy around the outside of the design.



Step 5:

Then add hot/warm water to your container. The water should be high enough in the bowl so that the entire lace panel will be submerged.



Step 6:

Place your lace design inside the container. Let the design soak for about 10 – 15 minutes. This will remove the solvy from the design.





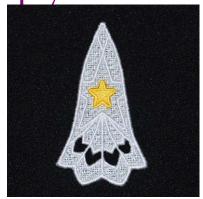
Step 7:

Remove the design from the water and blot dry with the paper towel. Now place the design on wax paper and spray each side liberally with your spray starch.



Step 8:

Place another piece of wax paper on top of the design. To make sure the design dries flat add a heavy book(s) on top and leave it there for 12 to 24 hours. See your spray starch instructions.



This stage of the project is to assemble the ornament.

Step 1: Place one panel on top of the other right side to right side.



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Step 2:

Sew a zigzag stitch along one side to attach pieces together. Do this for each panel so that all 5 panels are connected side by side. Sew the 2 ends together to create a bell.



Step 3:

Once you have the 5 panels together turn the bell right side out and form bell. If it is hard to form when dry try placing the bell in water to loosen it up a little. Once the bell is formed, take an ornament hook and poke through the top of the bell and reshape hook. Add a ribbon if you would like to spruce it up.



Thank you for your purchase.