Tiny Treasures Rectangle Design Part 3 – Colour and Black and Gold

Rectangular design suitable for framing or a runner. This design is less complicated than the square design.

Design area: 9.86 x 26.43 inches
Stitches: 138 x 370

Material:
Zweigart 28 count evenweave or 14 count Aida, 15 x 33 inches
25 count Lugana Material size: 17 x 35 inches
70 Flower motifs
52 Pattern blocks
1 border and 120 mini links
Total: 243 Tiny Treasures
Part 3 is underneath Part 1

Threads: Information about the threads required in on the Keys attached to the back of Part 1 and also in FR0159 Introduction.

Numbered rectangular layout

Stitches used:
Back stitch, one strand of floss
Cross stitch two strands of floss
Evenweave: stitches are worked over 2 threads unless the pattern indicates otherwise.
Cross stitch: stitches are worked over one block unless the pattern indicates otherwise.

Work Rectangular Design as follows:
Complete any unfinished blocks from Part 1.
Continue the border using one strand of floss.
Add beads after the whole embroidery has been completed.
Good practise:

Barbara is using a simple clip on light and lens attached to her frame to work her embroidery.

Sit on a comfortable chair, use good lighting, the correct count of fabric and the right size needle to make life much easier.

I hope you enjoy Part 3. If you have any queries please contact:

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Blue and Gold Christmas Sampler

Elizabeth Almond

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Blue and Gold Christmas Sampler

Extend the Christmas sampler, alter the arrangement and colours to include all the patterns and letters.

Material:
Zweigart 28 count evenweave or 14 count Aida 10 x 13 inches
Tapestry needle No 24
Small embroidery ring

Stitches used:
Back stitch, one strand
Cross stitch, two strands
Eyelet stitch, one strand

Method:
Edge the fabric to prevent fraying. Fold the fabric into four quarters to find the centre point. Mount the embroidery in the ring so that the fabric is 'drum' tight.
1. Work the central motif first.
2. Work the letters or fillers in turn using the colours selected. Work the holly border in two strands of floss.
3. Place the finished embroidery face down on a soft towel and press lightly.

Small cushion:
Place the two pieces back to back with the embroidery inside. Machine stitch around the edge leaving a small opening to insert a small cushion pad. Slip stitch closed. Add cord edging (optional)

I hope you enjoy working this design as much as I have enjoyed creating it.

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