

#504 In Stitches **Martha Nordstrand**

Supply List

Supply Fee: \$8.00 Will have printed instructions and samples, some special threads and more.

1. Package of Crewel Embroidery needles of assorted sizes
2. Package of tapestry needles in assorted sizes
3. Package of Chenille needles in larger sizes
4. Small sharp scissors
5. Thimble if you use one
6. Small hoop (Screw nut type in either wood or plastic is fine) Should be no bigger than 8 inches in diameter.
7. Piece of Aida cloth or a fabric (at least 12 X 12, the larger the better to give yourself wiggle room) that is evenly woven and with a large but firm weave. Monks cloth is too loose! This is for practice and to learn the stitches
8. Piece of fabric suitable for making a nice sampler to record the stitches as you learn them. This could be made in a creative way and not just like a typical sampler...A nice piece of natural or pale gold linen is perfect as long as the weave is large enough to see the actual weave...Or a piece of drapery fabric that is evenly woven...
9. Assorted threads in colors or your choice! # 5 DMC Pearl Cotton, skeins of regular DMC embroidery flosses in assorted colors. Good choices for effect would be red and gold and blue and yellow.
10. Twine, rough string, unusual yarns with texture in solid or mixed colors, tiny fluffy baby yarn, gold metallic thread. Check out a craft store for unusual yarns and threads. I will bring lots of extras to give out... I will also bring some Aida cloth to have on hand.
11. Bring a piece of appliqué or design and we will come up with some ideas on embellishing the piece with stitches