

December Baby Backstitch Bag

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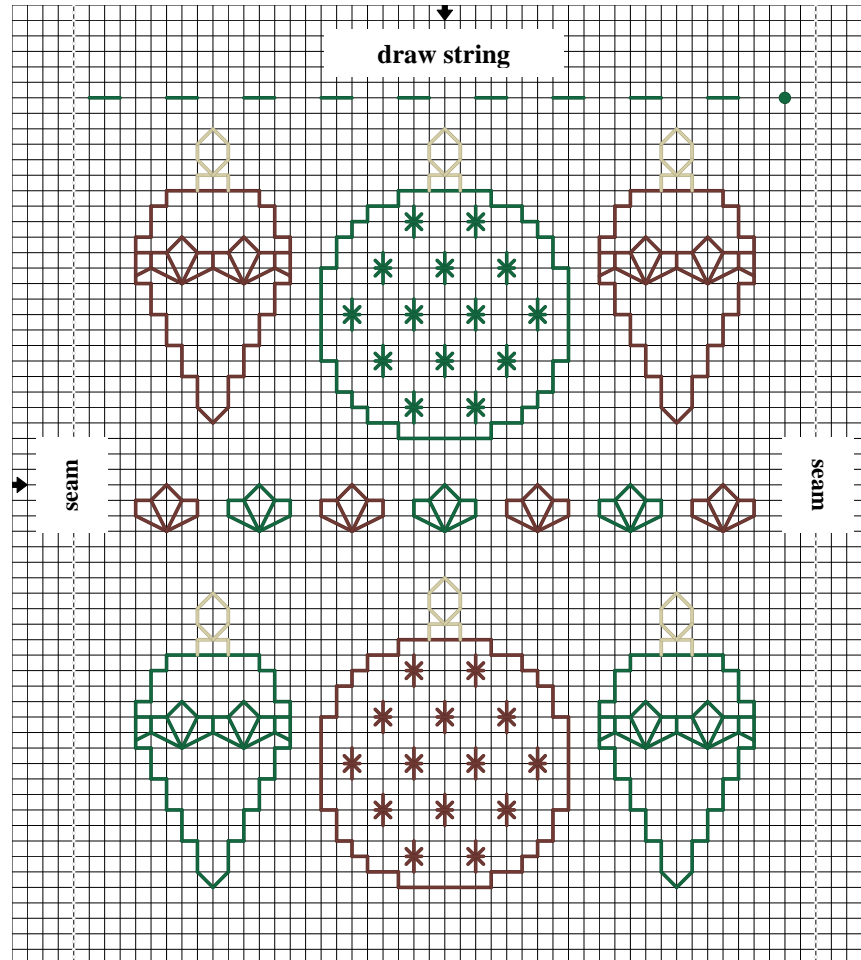
Instructions

Use 1 strand for backstitching. Model stitched on 18 count Antique White Aida #358-101 from Wichelt Imports.

Cut a piece of fabric that is 56 stitches wide by 124 long. Starting 8 stitches from the top and 8 stitches from the left side, begin backstitching the ornaments as shown. Use the color key below. Follow the rest of chart to the bottom of the row of ornaments. When completed, fold the fabric in half from the bottom and inside out creasing it 5 stitches from the bottom row of ornaments.

Seam up left side 4 stitches from the start of the row of ornaments and the right side 4 stitches from the end of the ornaments using backstitches in DMC White and then turn right side out again. For the draw string fold the raw edge in and crease 4 stitches up from the top of the row of ornaments and use a long thread made up of 2 strands of DMC 909, 2 strands of DMC 814 & 1 strand of K Japan #1 002J and insert it at the dot, leaving a long tail, and then backstitch it around the opening as shown. When you get to the left seam go down 1 stitch from the seam on the front and come up 1 stitch from the seam on the back. Cut strings to desired length and knot the ends.

Symbol	Type	Number	Color
	DMC	814	Garnet-DK
	DMC	909	Emerald Green-VY DK
	K Japan #1	002J	Gold



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