

All Hallows Eve Coasters



Toss these on end tables, kitchen tables, or anywhere you want a bit of scary fun.
Skill Level: Intermediate

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Supplies:

Baby Lock Ellure Plus or embroidery machine with a 130mm x 180mm embroidery field
All Hallows Eve- ADP-70J
1/3 yard Cotton print for top
1/3 yard Cotton print for backing
1/4 yard Cotton print for appliqué
1/2 yard Cotton print for bias binding
1/3 yard Warm and Natural[®] batting
1 yard 1/4" cording
Pearl and Piping foot
Temporary spray adhesive
Tear Away Stabilizer
Medium Hoop (130mm x 180mm)
Air Erasable Fabric Marker
Ruler
Rotary Cutter
Circle Rotary Cutter
Small Scissors
Hand sewing needle
All-purpose sewing thread
Assortment of Madeira embroidery thread

Instructions:

1. From the top fabric, cut a 12" square. Using the ruler and air erasable marker, mark the center of the square. Hoop the square with tear-away stabilizer in the 130mm x 180mm hoop. Following the specifications for your machine; load design AH21 onto your machine. Use the center marks to center it in the hoop. Stitch the design. Remove from hoop and tear away the excess stabilizer.

Note: To aid in marking the placement, a template can be printed from Edit-N-Stitch.

2. Using the circle rotary cutter, cut the embroidered 12" square into a 8 1/2"- 9" circle. Be sure to center the design in the circle. Use this circle as a pattern to cut the batting and the backing.
3. From the binding fabric, create 1 yard of 1 1/4" continuous bias binding. Fold this in half lengthwise.
4. Set up the machine for regular straight stitch sewing with the Pearl and Piping foot. This foot will be used to complete the décor circle, there will be no need to change feet.
5. Using the folded bias strip, place the cording inside the folded strip. Stitch the length of the bias close to the cording creating corded piping.

Note: When using the Pearl and Piping foot, the arch in the foot should straddle the cording allowing you to stitch closer to the cording.

6. Pin the corded piping around the circle. Where the cording meets, open one side of the piping about 1" and trim the cording only not the bias. Place the other end inside the opened section butting the cording ends together. Stitch in place again, close to the cording.
7. Place the backing on the wrong side of the embroidered circle and the backing right sides together on the embroidered circle; creating a sandwich of batting, embroidered circle and backing.
8. Stitch around the circle leaving a small opening for turning. Clip the seam around the circle. Turn, press and hand stitch the opening closed.

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