

## CHARMED ADVENTURE BLOCK OF THE MONTH

If you haven't participated in a Hoop Sisters Block of the Month, this is how it works. It will take 10 months or 10 classes for you to receive all of your designs. You only receive a design when you attend a class so I track which month you will be ready to receive as you attend the class. You should plan on attending and stitching out at least one of each block in class before heading home to stitch out as many more as that month requires.

You will receive clear instructions for preparation before you stitch and you do need to stay organized; by this I mean be sure that you have kept track of just which block you have cut each stack of fabric for. Your threads and fabrics will be referred to by numbers or letters and labeling certainly helps keep you organized.

There will be very detailed stitching instructions step by step for each block which you will be asked to print out **before** coming to class. Most keep these in plastic sheet protectors in a notebook.

In the first class I will go over all of the pre-materials with you and we will load materials on a USB that you will also use for receiving your designs monthly. When registering, be sure that we know what format your machine uses.

Attached to this, be sure you receive the colorways ideas and the fabric requirements for all the sizes of blocks.

Should you decide that you don't want to stitch out the full Charmed Adventure, many months the designs will be able to be stitched into a quilt using just one or two of the blocks from a month so you could get up to 9 separate different quilts.

Battilizer or batting

If you don't used Battilizer as your stabilizer, then PolyMesh stabilizer

Dream Wool batting, optional

Charmed Adventure Border CD, optional

EmbroidaBlock Trimmer By George, optional

Double curved scissors

Collins Wonder Tape

Vanish Lite Water soluble thread

Monofilament thread (for finishing, optional)

Basting glue, optional

Spray starch

Embroidery threads to match your fabrics

Bobbin thread

Empty bobbins, if you make the finished back method as you stitch

Small iron and mat or a pressing tool