

Coiled Bowls – Thread Only

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You can make a simple bowl, bread basket, larger basket and you can choose to embellish if you so desire. **Your sewing machine must have a zigzag stitch and you must have a good working knowledge of your sewing machine.**

Supply List:

- One package or 2 for a larger project (100 feet) Cotton Clothesline – 3/16” in diameter. Clothesline must be 100% cotton...I will have these for purchase.
- **Thread:** three (3) different colorations
 1. **Neutral thread** the same color as your clothesline. These bowls look best when you use a neutral color for the bottom. You can also use neutral for the whole bowl. It’s fun to add narrow scraps to give it a few pops of color. Run 1 bobbin for bottom only. Run 3-4 bobbins for the whole bowl and bring a few strips of fabric (no smaller than ¾”x 5”.)
 2. **Variegated Thread** (large spool) run 2-3 bobbins. Bring neutral thread as well.
 3. **3 to 5 different hues in one color way** creating a striped effect. Preferably light to medium in value. I recommend having one be a neutral that matches the clothesline. The others can be a series of blues or greens or pinks etc. with very little contrast between spools of thread. In other words there should be a gradual transition from the very lightest to your medium. Small spools are fine. Run one or more bobbins for each color you are using.
- Sewing machine in good working order. Bring your manual and accessory box including all feet.
- Denim Sewing Machine needles in size 14 and/or 16.
- Sewing kit including seam ripper, pins, scissors, rotary cutter, awl or stiletto and glue for embellishments.
- Embellishments –optional. You can include buttons, beads etc. If embellishing, please bring a hand needle and thread to stitch these into place. If you want to bind the top of the bowl with fabric, please bring a straight quarter yard of fabric, or 2 strips cut 2½” each.