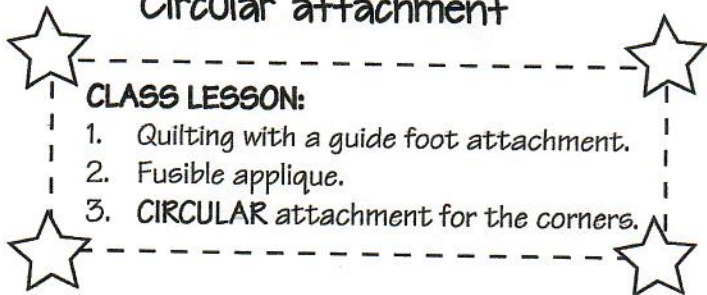


# Stitcher's Garden

Month #3

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## Featured Foot: Circular attachment



### CLASS LESSON:

1. Quilting with a guide foot attachment.
2. Fusible applique.
3. **CIRCULAR** attachment for the corners.

### PREQUILT BACKGROUND:

1. Mark the 14" square background block with an air soluble marker with a line 1" from one edge of the block.
2. Suggested stitch or use one of your choice changing the width and length.
3. After stitching the first line, place the guide attachment on the appropriate foot, measure 1" from needle, lock the guide in place.
4. Place the guide on the previously sewn line, stitch again, 1" from first line. Repeat sewing to create a vertical grid. Trim block to 12½" square.

### APPLIQUE:

Refer to MONTH #1 for information on preparing the fabric for applique, using the **OPEN-TOE** foot.

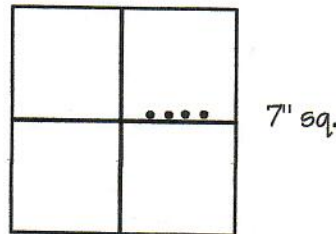
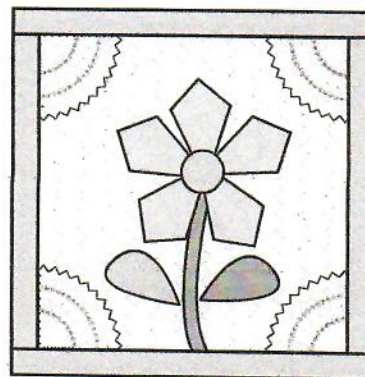
### CIRCULAR ATTACHMENT:





1. Cut a 7" square of woven fusible interfacing. Press it to the **WRONG** side of a 7" accent fabric (this will stabilize the fabric).
2. Draw a line horizontal and vertical 3½" from the edges or fold and press the creases. Mark the center.



3. Starting in the center on one of the drawn or pressed lines, mark off the following measurements:

1" - 1½" - 2" - 2½"



4. Refer to the instructions for attaching the circular unit to the sewing machine.
5. Start with the attachment on the center mark. Have the needle starting on the 1" mark. Set the machine with a decorative stitch.  Stitch row one keeping the holder or pin on the center mark.
6. Row #2 (1½" mark) - 
7. Row #3 (2" mark) - 
8. Row #4 (2½" mark) - 


**ALWAYS START AND END ON THE LINE THAT WAS MARKED WHEN STITCHING.**

9. Fold the square in half using the line of the starting point as the fold line. Press. Cut in half. Repeat with the two halves for a total of 4 squares.

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- On the wrong side of the 3½" square, lay the quarter circle template on top; trace curved edge. Cut out on the line.
- Pin the quarter circles in the corners on the prequilted background.
- Stitch the quarter circles in place with the OPEN-TOE foot using a decorative stitch.


Suggestion: 

DO NOT CUT OUT THE BACKGROUND FROM BEHIND THE QUARTER CIRCLES.

### BORDERS:


Cut then sew to the 12½" block:  
2 - 1½" x 12½" strips  
2 - 1½" x 14½" strips


### SUGGESTION FOR APPLIQUE: change width and length

Stem: 

Leaves: 

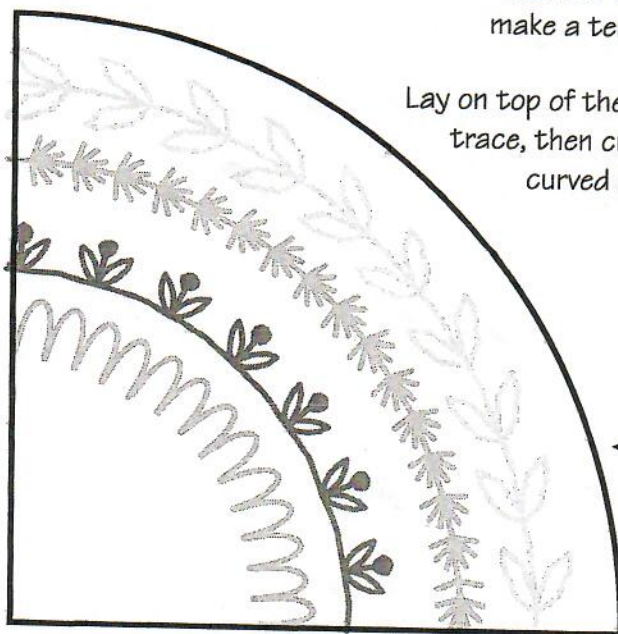
continue the stitch into the vein of the leaves.

Center: 

Flower: 

Quarter circle:  
make a template

Lay on top of the 3½" square,  
trace, then cut on the  
curved line.



CUT HERE



Circular attachment

quilting design

If desired, quilt the design given AFTER appliqueing with a contrasting thread.

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#4

Dash lines represent template underneath.

OPTION:

stitch a 7/8" button to center. Then thread a large eyed needle with 6 strands of DMC floss, go down then back up through the button. Tie off, cut excess floss leaving 1" tails.

Stitch the veins on the leaves.

#2

Design given in reverse

#1

#2

Layer in numbered sequence.

The stem goes into the seam allowance on the background.

