

# Holiday Card Holder

#### **Project Instructions**

Finished Size: 12" (30.48cm) diameter





Make a quick and easy holder to corral all your holiday greeting cards this yuletide season.

## Supplies Needed

- 2 Fabric Palette® Holiday Fat Quarters (18" x 21")
- 15" x 15" Low-loft batting
- 12" Wooden embroidery hoop
- 1 pkg. Rick Rack
- Craft glue
- Basic craft supplies
- Scissors
- Iron and pressing surface

### Before you begin

Read all instructions before beginning project. Do not prewash fabrics before using. Iron fabrics before beginning project.

#### Cutting

• Fabric A: 1 - 15" x 15" (background)

5 - 1" x 18" (hoop wrapping)

• Fabric B: 1 - 15" x 14" (pocket)

• Batting: 15" x 15"

• Rick Rack: 15"

## Assembly

- 1. Place one end of a Fabric A wrapping strip (**wrong** side) at the back of the outer hoop next to the screw; glue in place. Wrap the hoop diagonally with ¾ of the previous wrap showing. Continue wrapping entire hoop with remaining wrapping strips, securing ends of strips to the back of the hoop as they run out, and finishing at the screw; trim end.
- 2. Place Fabric A background right side up on batting and press layers together.
- 3. Fold Fabric B pocket in half **wrong** sides together to measure 15" x 7". Press fold firmly to crease.
- 4. Place rick rack along folded edge of pocket on back side so that the points of trim are even from the front side; glue in place.
- 5. Line up cut edges of pocket along bottom of background; center and place over the inner hoop. Check that the pocket edge is straight across the hoop.
- 6. Press covered outer hoop over design with the screw at the top (loosen the screw to fit over all layers).
- 7. Pull edges so that the fabrics are taut in hoop; trim batting even with wrong side of hoop.
- 8. Trim background and pocket 1" from edge of hoop; glue layers separately to inside of hoop.

## **Finishing**

9. Hang and place holiday cards in pocket.

#### Finished care instructions

Dust or shake lightly if needed.