

# Zen Garden

Zen Garden is a wonderful combination of flowers, Japanese Kanji symbols and Japanese crests. The designs when combined can create beautiful items for your home like wall hangings and pillows. There are 5 different types of crests, 12 different Kanji symbols and five different floral arrangements. We even include a stylized koi fish! The project we created for Zen garden is a beautiful wall hanging that uses new and interesting sewing techniques. The following pages will demonstrate the project as well as show you all of the colors we used in the designs.

Enjoy!

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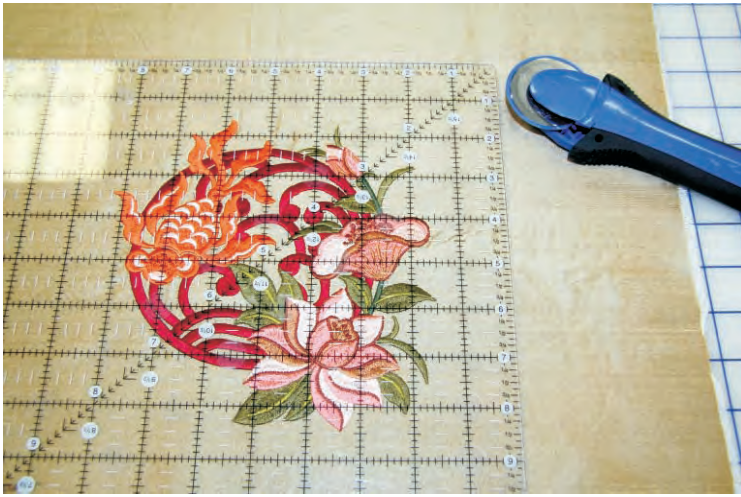
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We created a beautiful wall hanging for the Zen Garden collection. Instead of creating a traditional quilted top we embroidered the three main designs on separate pieces of fabric and then added a border to them. We then used a large piece of fabric as our background with embroidered running stitch designs on it and combined the two together for amazing results. The following pages will show you how to duplicated this technique. You can create any size quilt or wall hanging using this technique.



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The first step is to embroider your main designs. We chose three of the large arrangements for this project. We embroidered the designs on silk dupioni. Once the designs are embroidered trim the fabric leaving about two inches of fabric around the embroidered element.



This is what the three designs look like once they are trimmed.



Now we are going to add the border to the squares. We used rust dupioni and the border is  $\frac{1}{2}$ " when finished. Make sure you allow for seam allowances.



Now we are going to lay out the design. We used a piece of red dupioni measuring 19"x47" for the base fabric. We then printed templates of the running stitch designs. Then we arranged our completed squares on top. Once the running stitch designs are where you want them, pin them in place. Now it is time to place the templates in an attractive arrangement peeking out from the bordered designs. Remove the design squares and embroider the running stitch designs through all of your layers of fabric.



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We embroidered the running stitch designs in a tonal thread for a subdued effect.



The picture on the left shows all three running stitch designs embroidered.



When the running stitch designs are finished it is time to place the squares back in the original positions.



Pin the square in place.

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You are now going to stitch the squares in place. Stitch in the ditch on the inside of the border. This will give the wall hanging a 3 dimensional effect because the border will not be tacked down.



Once all of the squares are sewn down you can add a border and binding. The border is 2" wide and the binding is  $\frac{1}{2}$ ". You will use traditional quilting techniques for this step. The finished wall hanging size is 50.5" tall by 23" wide.



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Design - HD-AS1

Stitches - 48274

Size - 5.8" wide - 9.1" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1159 - crest
2. 1190 - leaves
3. 1157 - leaves
4. 1394 - leaves
5. 1157 - leaves
6. 1190 - leaves
7. 1394 - leaves
8. 1053 - flower
9. 1020 - flower
10. 1057 - flower outline
11. 1158 - flower outline
12. 1387 - small flower
13. 1310 - small flower
14. 1183 - small flower outline
15. 1281 - small flower outline
16. 1393 - kanji symbol



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Design - HD-AS2  
Stitches - 11356  
Size - 4.8" wide -4.8" high

Design - HD-AS2B  
Stitches - 7236  
Size - 3.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. 1159 - crest

Design - HD-AS3  
Stitches - 7203  
Size - 6.2" wide -11.7" high

Design - HD-AS3B  
Stitches - 5977  
Size -4.9" wide -9.3" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. 1159 - crest



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Design - HD-AS4  
Stitches - 3004  
Size - 2.7" wide -3.3" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS5  
Stitches - 21320  
Size - 3.9" wide - 6.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1190 - leaves
2. 1157 - leaves
3. 1394 - leaves
4. 1157 - leaves
5. 1190 - leaves
6. 1394 - leaves
7. 1053 - flower
8. 1020 - flower
9. 1057 - flower outline
10. 1158 - flower outline



Design - HD-AS6  
Stitches - 415910  
Size - 3.8" wide - 5.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1190 - leaves
2. 1157 - leaves
3. 1394 - leaves
4. 1157 - leaves
5. 1190 - leaves
6. 1394 - leaves
7. 1387 - small flower
8. 1310 - small flower
9. 1183 - small flower outline
10. 1281 - small flower outline



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Design - HD-AS7  
Stitches - 65245  
Size - 7.6" wide - 11.8" high

Design - HD-AS7B  
Stitches - 46958  
Size - 5.8" wide - 8.9" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1393 - crest
2. 1394 - leaves
3. 1190 - leaves
4. 1157 - leaves
5. 1394 - leaves
6. 1310 - small flowers
7. 1183 - small flowers
8. 1281 - small flowers
9. 1387 - small flowers
10. 1159 - flower
11. 1158 - flower
12. 1057 - flower
13. 1190 - leaves
14. 1394 - leaves



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Design - HD-AS8  
Stitches - 16330  
Size -4.7" wide -4.7" high

Design - HD-AS8B  
Stitches - 12651  
Size - 3.7" wide -3.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1393 - crest



Design - HD-AS9  
Stitches - 22255  
Size -4.1" wide -6.5" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1394 - leaves
2. 1190 - leaves
3. 1157 - leaves
4. 1394 - leaves
5. 1310 - small flowers
6. 1183 - small flowers
7. 1281 - small flowers
8. 1387 - small flowers
9. 1159 - flower
10. 1158 - flower
11. 1057 - flower

Design - HD-AS10  
Stitches - 9583  
Size - 2.8" wide -3.6" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1190 - leaves
2. 1157 - leaves
3. 1394 - leaves
4. 1310 - small flowers
5. 1183 - small flowers
6. 1281 - small flowers
7. 1387 - small flowers
8. 1159 - flower





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Design - HD-AS11  
Stitches - 20054  
Size - 4.5" wide -6.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

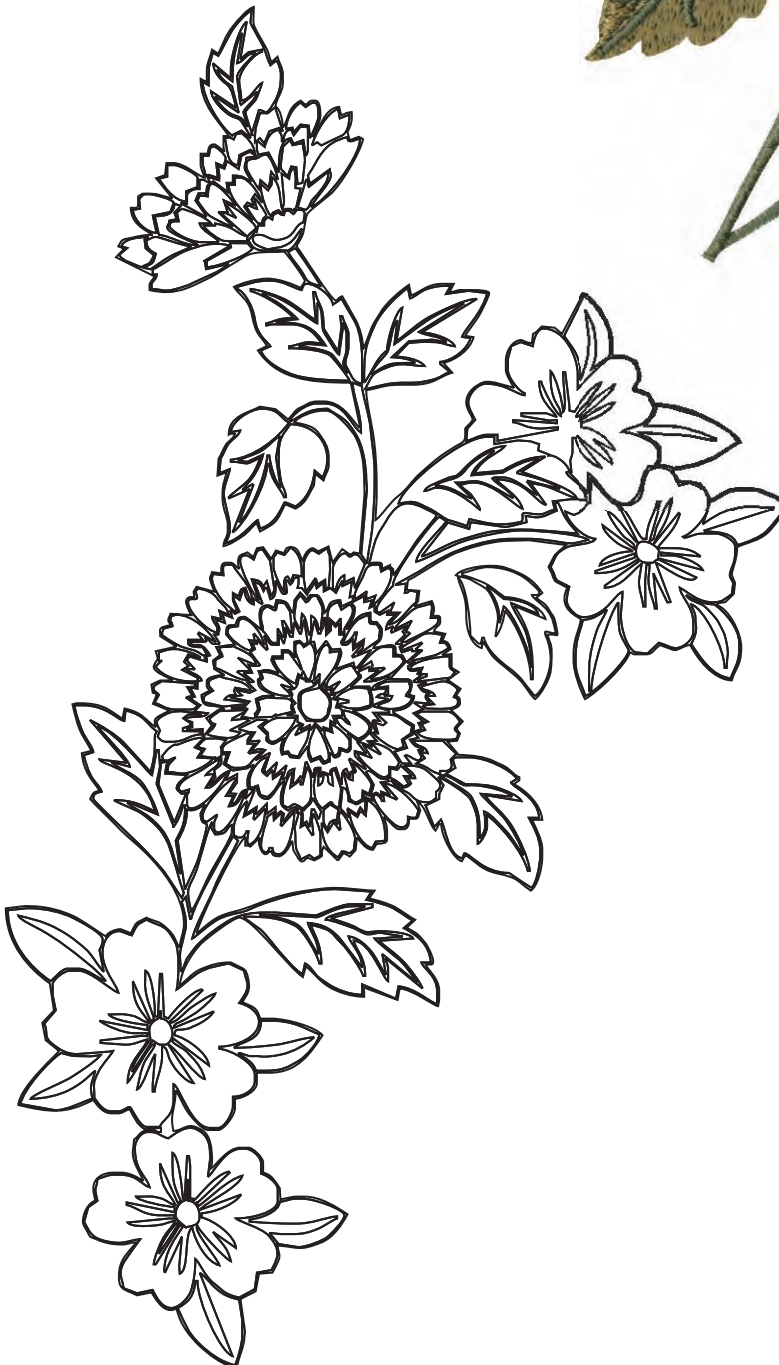
1. 1394 - leaves
2. 1190 - leaves
3. 1157 - leaves
4. 1394 - leaves
5. 1310 - small flowers
6. 1183 - small flowers
7. 1281 - small flowers
9. 1387 - small flowers
8. 1159 - flower
9. 1158 - flower
10. 1057 - flower
11. 1190 - leaves
12. 1394 - leaves



Design - HD-AS12  
Stitches - 8455  
Size - 5.3" wide -9.3" high

Design - HD-AS13  
Stitches - 9690  
Size - 56.7" wide -11.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



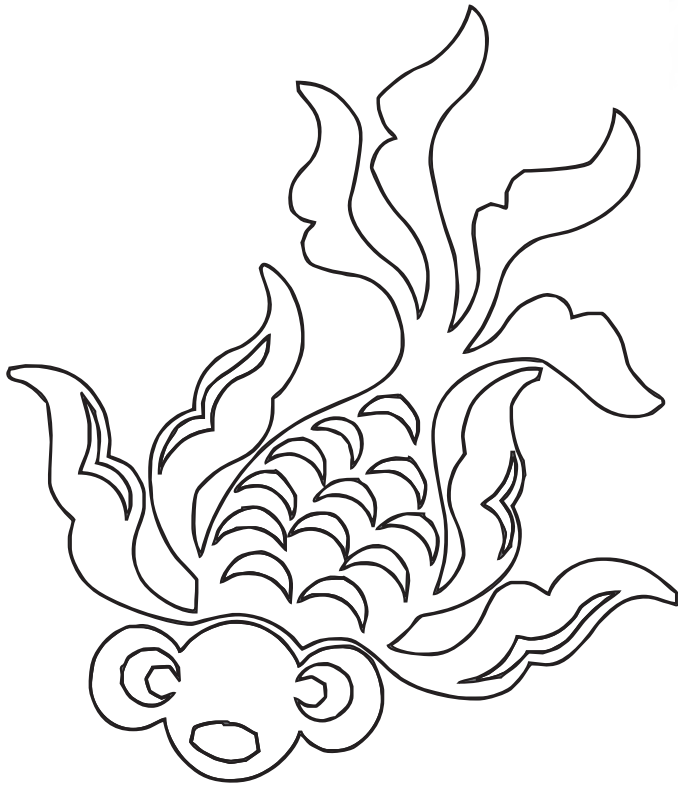


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Design - HD-AS14  
Stitches - 7017  
Size - 3.7" wide -3.7" high

Design - HD-AS14b  
Stitches - 9155  
Size - 4.7" wide -4.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. 1159- crest



Design - HD-AS15  
Stitches - 5824  
Size - 4.7" wide -5.5" high

Design - HD-AS15b  
Stitches - 6756  
Size - 5.8" wide -6.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS16  
Stitches - 9696  
Size - 3.5" wide -4.0" high

Design - HD-AS16b  
Stitches - 13809  
Size - 4.5" wide -5.2" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. 1021 - fish  
2. 1053 - detail



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Design - HD-AS17  
Stitches - 32798  
Size - 5.8" wide -5.8" high

Design - HD-AS17b  
Stitches -40352  
Size - 6.8" wide 7.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1183 - crest
2. 1021 - fish
3. 1053 - detail
4. 1157 - leaves
5. 1394 - leaves
6. 1190 - flower
7. 1053 - flower
8. 1020 - flower
9. 1057 - flower
10. 1157 - center flower
11. 1158 - flower outlines



Design - HD-AS18  
Stitches - 23116  
Size - 4.1" wide -6.7" high

Design - HD-AS18b  
Stitches -36033  
Size - 5.7" wide 9.3" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1157 - leaves
2. 1394 - leaves
3. 1190 - flower
4. 1053 - flower
5. 1020 - flower
6. 1057 - flower
7. 1157 - center flower
8. 1158 - flower outlines





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Design - HD-AS19  
Stitches - 6686  
Size - 4.1" wide -6.7" high

Design - HD-AS19b  
Stitches -8566  
Size - 5.7" wide 9.3" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS20  
Stitches - 7504  
Size - 3.7" wide -3.7" high

Design - HD-AS20b  
Stitches -9624  
Size - 4.7" wide 4.7" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



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Design - HD-AS21

Stitches - 47430

Size - 35.8" wide -37.7" high

Design - HD-AS21b

Stitches -58732

Size - 6.8" wide 9.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1191 - crest
2. 1159 - curls
3. 1191 - branch
4. 1190 -leaves
5. 1103 - leaves
6. 1190 - leaves
7. 1157 - leaves
8. 1394 - leaves
9. 1387 - upper flower
10. 1310 - upper flower
11. 1183 - upper flower
12. 1159 - upper flower center
13. 1053 - upper flower center
14. 1281 - upper flower outline
15. 1020 - lower flower
16. 1057 - lower flower
17. 1053 - lower flower
18. 1158 - lower flower outline
19. 1281 - lower flower center
20. 1020 - bud
21. 1057 - bud
22. 1053 - bud





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Design - HD-AS22  
Stitches - 40667  
Size - 5.7" wide -7.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1191 - branch
2. 1190 -leaves
3. 1103 - leaves
4. 1190 - leaves
5. 1157 - leaves
6. 1394 - leaves
7. 1387 - upper flower
8. 1310 - upper flower
9. 1183 - upper flower
10. 1159 - upper flower center
11. 1053 - upper flower center
12. 1281 - upper flower outline
13. 1020 - lower flower
14. 1057 - lower flower
15. 1053 - lower flower
16. 1158 - lower flower outline
17. 1281 - lower flower center
18. 1020 - bud
19. 1057 - bud
20. 1053 - bud



Design - HD-AS23  
Stitches - 22677  
Size - 4.3" wide -6.4" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1191 - branch
2. 1190 -leaves
3. 1103 - leaves
4. 1157 - leaves
5. 1394 - leaves
6. 1020 - lower flower
7. 1057 - lower flower
8. 1053 - lower flower
9. 1158 - lower flower outline
10. 1281 - lower flower center

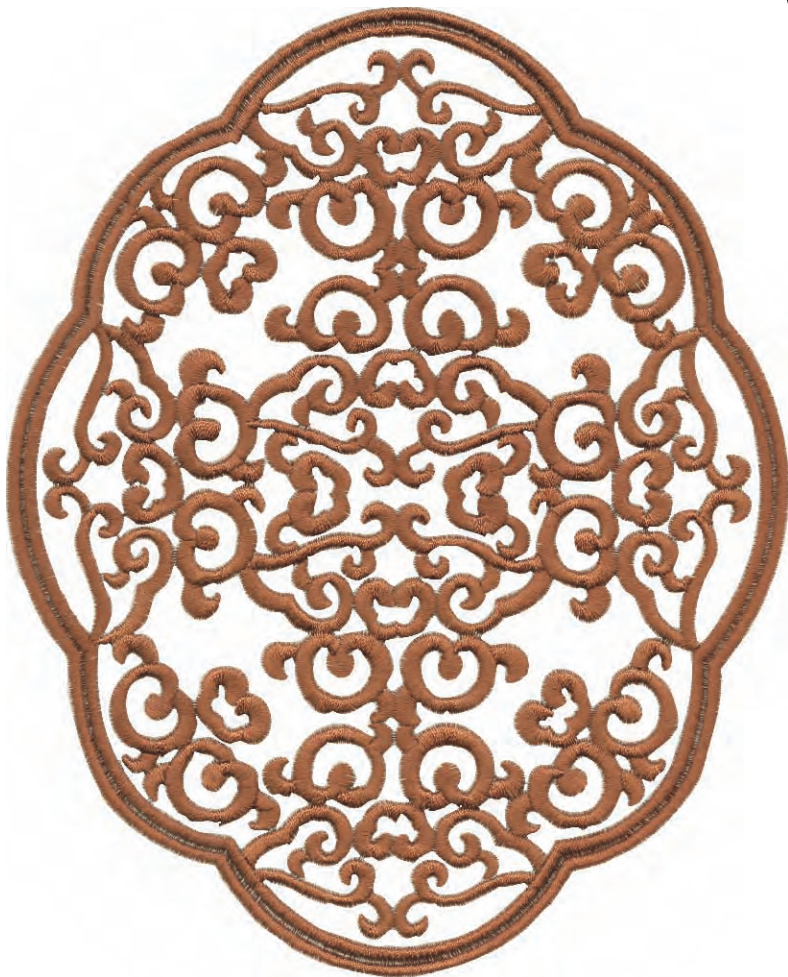


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Design - HD-AS24  
Stitches - 9862  
Size - 5.8" wide -7.8" high

Design - HD-AS24b  
Stitches - 10593  
Size - 6.8" wide 9.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS25  
Stitches - 20551  
Size - 4.8" wide -5.7" high

Design - HD-AS25b  
Stitches - 27911  
Size -5.7" wide 7.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. 1159 - crest



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Design - HD-AS26  
Stitches - 44168  
Size - 5.7" wide -5.7" high

Design - HD-AS26b  
Stitches - 54093  
Size -6.7" wide 6.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1158 - crest
2. 1157 - leaves
3. 1190 - leaves
4. 1394 - leaves
5. 1159 - flower
6. 1071 - flower
7. 1023 - flower
8. 1024 - flower
9. 1394 - flower center
10. 1159 - flower outline





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Design - HD-AS27  
Stitches - 36666  
Size - 5.7" wide -6.3" high

Design - HD-AS27b  
Stitches - 28100  
Size -4.7" wide 5.2" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1157 - leaves
2. 1190 - leaves
3. 1394 - leaves
4. 1159 - flower
5. 1071 - flower
6. 1023 - flower
7. 1024 - flower
8. 1394 - flower center
9. 1159 - flower outline



Design - HD-AS28  
Stitches - 31064  
Size - 4.3" wide -6.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1159 - flower
2. 1071 - flower
3. 1023 - flower
4. 1024 - flower
5. 1394 - flower center
6. 1159 - flower outline

Design - HD-AS29  
Stitches -13589  
Size - 3.4" wide -3.5" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon

1. 1157 - leaves
2. 1190 - leaves
3. 1159 - flower
4. 1071 - flower
5. 1023 - flower
6. 1024 - flower
7. 1394 - flower center
8. 1159 - flower outline





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Design - HD-AS30 - Admiration  
Stitches - 2706  
Size - 2.3" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS31 - Adventure  
Stitches - 3223  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS32 - Beauty  
Stitches - 1386  
Size - 1.8" wide -1.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS33 - Faith  
Stitches - 2964  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS34- Tranquility  
Stitches - 3433  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS35- Dream  
Stitches - 1940  
Size - 1.8" wide -2.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



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Design - HD-AS36 - Friendship  
Stitches - 1995  
Size - 2.3" wide -1.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS37 - Happiness  
Stitches - 1414  
Size - 1.8" wide -2.0" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS38 - Harmony  
Stitches - 13211  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS39 - Karma  
Stitches - 3419  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS40- Love  
Stitches - 1950  
Size - 1.8" wide 1.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color



Design - HD-AS41- Peace  
Stitches - 2319  
Size - 1.8" wide -3.8" high

All Colors are Madeira Rayon  
1. any color