

Gosh Darn!!

an original Needlepoint project from Blue Dogwood Designs



April 2016!!

edited April 10, see note on diagram, Thanks Diane R.



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The new 2016 monthly project!

April is Pure Palette Soy Luster #268 Live in the Mist and #292 Periwinkle Bamboo. Still looks so blank!! Just you wait!!

Finished size is 6.5 in x 8.5 in on 18 count.

Draw your own from January's Stitchguide or order for \$31 plus tax/S/H (where applicable) here: <http://bluedogwooddesigns.com/newdesigns.php>

Vicki Day Silk Ribbons can be ordered at your LNS or here: <http://bluedogwooddesigns.com/newdesigns.php>

April is area #4. So small, you will knock it out and have plenty of time to garden.

DO NOT CUT SOY LUSTER - WIND ON BOBBIN SO YOU CAN USE LONG THREAD!

Order your line drawn canvas on the website here: <http://www.bluedogwooddesigns.com/newdesigns.php> for \$31 plus shipping/handling.



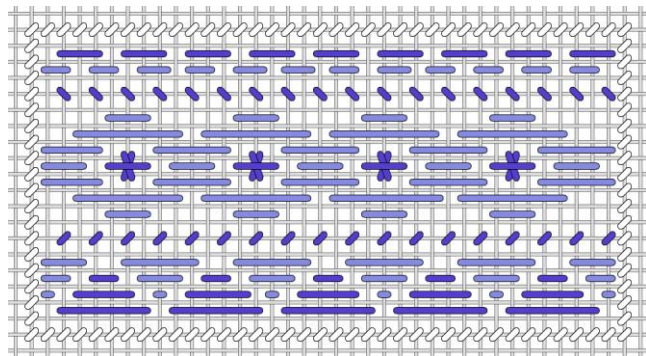
4 of Vicki Day Designs 4mm Hand-dyed silk ribbon - serious colors - dyed using River Silks so you know the quality is the best!



12 Pure Palette Soy Luster (Yes, really... Soy!!) from Dream House Ventures

DO NOT CUT THREADS... WIND ON SPOOL

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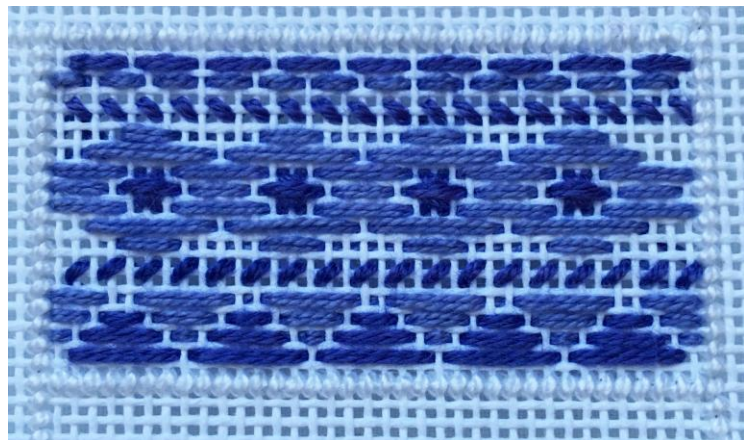


p.s. Line 10 edited April 10 first long stitch over 7 not 8. Thanks, Diane R

Take 2 yards of the Periwinkle Bamboo #292 darker color and double over for loop start.

You will have enough to do this entire small area. **Watch where left edge starts - either sharing with white outlines or not.**

1. Take the Periwinkle Bamboo and start top left and darn across the top line then work the alternate tent stitches back to the left. Stitch those tent stitches from Miami to Seattle, Miami to Seattle. Park the thread.
2. 2 yards of Live in the Mist #268 lighter color - again doubled over for loop start with that darn line left to right over 2, under 1. Then drop down to begin the larger pattern with this lighter color. Work back and forth. Park that thread.
3. Pick up the darker Periwinkle again and work that middle "x-cross" each separately then move onto the next one. Then there is a row of normal tent - stitch New York to LA, New York to LA. Drop down for the lower portion of the triangles, working back and forth. Tie off.
4. Pick up the lighter Live in the Mist again and fill in the other triangles. Tie off.



Best, My best friends are stitchers,

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