

COOKIE CUTTER ORNAMENTS

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Cookie Cutter Ornaments are a very versatile easy project that can be adapted to the skill level and sewing machine available. You begin by sewing rows of decorative stitches on a strip of fabric. Then you choose your favorite cookie cutter, and trace around it. We've also included patterns for you to try. Add a 1/4" (6 mm) seam allowance. Cut out the shapes and sew them together. A bit of stuffing and a hanger, and you're ready to decorate the tree.



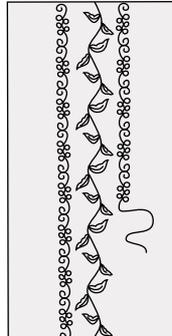
Sewing Supplies

- Husqvarna Viking Sewing machine
- 2.0 or 3.0 Twin Needle
- Solid color cotton - 1/2" yd (46 cm)
- Gold Metallic Rick Rack
- Cord to hang ornaments - 1 yd (92 cm)
- Sulky Gold Metallic Embroidery Thread in matching or contrasting colors
- Sulky Bobbin thread
- Fiberfill
- Sulky sewing thread to match fabric
- Tear-A-Way Stabilizer

Embellishment

Cut a strip the width of the fabric, by 9" (23 cm). Press a crease the length of the fabric. Thread your Husqvarna Viking Sewing Machine with Sulky Metallic thread on top and Sulky bobbin thread in the bobbin. Select your favorite decorative stitch and snap on your "B" or "S" foot, depending on the stitches chosen and place

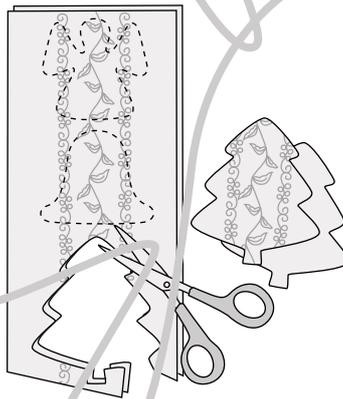
Husqvarna Viking Tear-A-Way under the fabric. Stitch a row along the crease. Stitch additional rows on either side of the center row, to a total of about 3" (7.5 cm) in width.



Cut

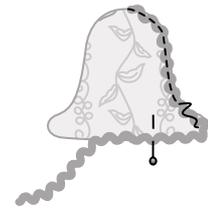
Tear off excess stabilizer and press the strip. Trace and cut out the patterns given and pin to the fabric, centering them on the strip. An alternative is to use your cookie cutters, and lay them on the strip. Trace around them with a Pictogram Pen and then add a 1/4" (6 mm) seam allowance beyond the traced line.

Place a layer of plain fabric behind the embroidered ornaments and cut them out through both layers. Set aside the plain one.



Sew

Stitch gold metallic rick rack to the raw edge of each embroidered ornament. Line up the edge of the rick rack with the raw edge of the ornament and stitch down the middle of the rick rack.



Place the embroidered ornament right sides together with the plain ornament. Insert a 6" (15 cm) hanging cord between the layers, and stitch around the ornament, leaving a 2" (5 cm) hole to turn.



Carefully, clip into the corners and on any curves and turn right side out. Stuff very lightly. Slip stitch the hole shut.

Thread your Husqvarna Viking Sewing Machine with regular thread to match the fabric and drop the feed teeth. Select a zig zag stitch, and do random bartack quilting about 1" (2.5 cm) apart.

PATTERN FOR THE COOKIE CUTTER ORNAMENTS

Zig Zag by Husqvarna Viking