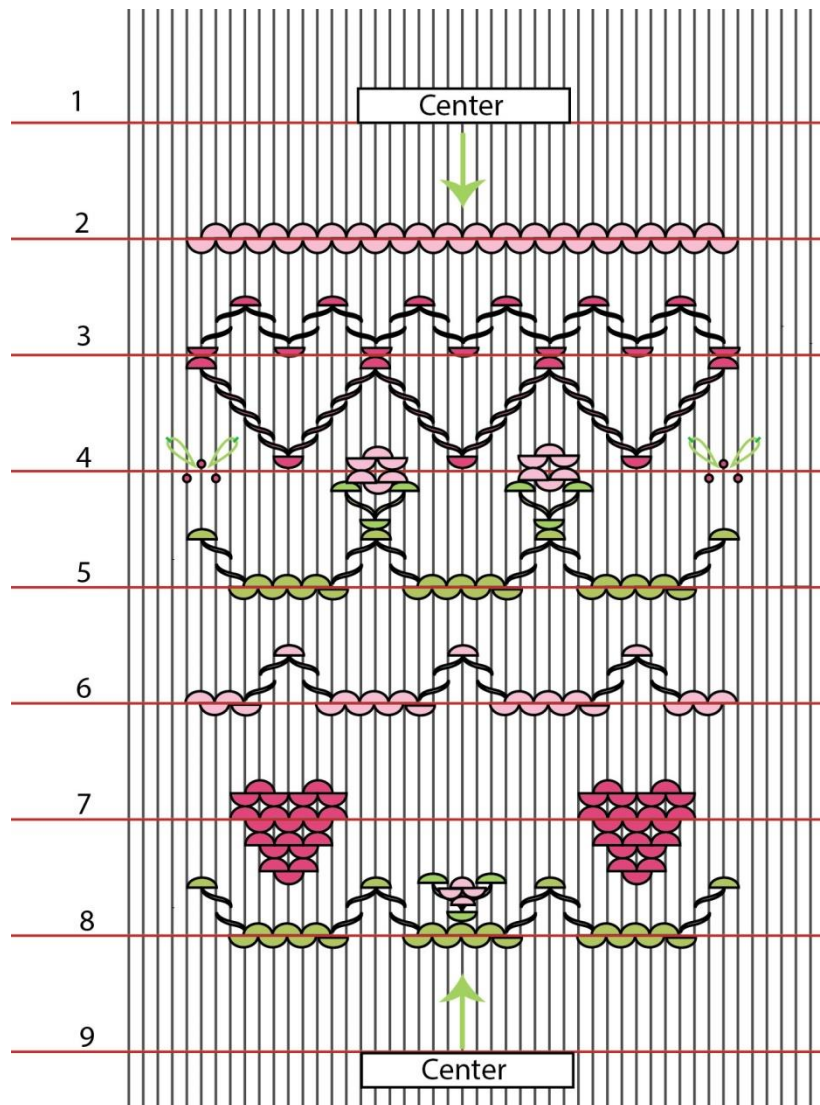


Reese's Garden of Hearts



Directions

Pleat 9 rows - the top and bottom pleated rows will be holding rows.

Always center design on fabric.

Use 3 strand of floss for geometric portions of the design, flowers, and hearts.

Use 2 strands of floss for back smocking.

Row 1 - Back Smock - using 2 strand of floss that blends with fabric, stitch cables across row.

Row 2 - Cable - Begin with a down cable between two center pleats. Use 3 strands of floss and a longer piece measuring about 23-25 inches, only use half of the length to complete one side of the row right of the center and the other half of the floss to stitch the cables to the left of the center. I do not like the effect of little knots down the center valley of the garment.

Row 3 - Trellis - 1/2 space, 2 step trellis between Rows 2 1/2 and 3. Center design with a down cable on row 3.

Row 4 - Trellis - Full space, 5 step trellis between Rows 4 and 3. Begin with a down cable on Row 4 to center the design.

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Row 5 - Trellis/Cable Combination - 1/2 space, 2 step trellis with 7 cables between each completed trellis. Start with an up cable on Row 5 in the center of the design, stitch 3 more cables, work a 2 step trellis up to Row 4 1/2 and then a 2 step trellis back down to Row 5, stitch 7 cables, continue the sequence across fabric. When stitching other side of this Row, finish center 7 cable combination, then continue design.

Row 6 - Trellis/Cable Combination - Work same design as Row 5, however the 1/2 space, 2 step trellis is centered on the 7 cables of the row above. Begin with an up cable at the center of design 1/2 space above Row 6 with a 2 step trellis moving down to Row 6, 7 cables and follow same sequence as above.

Row 7 - Back Smock.

Row 8 - Trellis/Cable Combination - This row will be stitches exactly like Row 5 in the design.

Row 9 - is a Holding Row and has no stitching.

Embellishments:

Row 4 - Flowerettes and French Knots - Amid the bottom of the 5 step trellis of the Hearts, I placed 6 petal flowerettes or 3 French knots using Row 4 to place the embellishments. The French knots were

adorned with lazy daisy stitches worked over 3 pleats and the flowerettes were snugged inside a 1 step, 1/2space baby wave. To give the design a plant like affect, angle the top cables toward the flowerettes. Use your creativity as to where you want to place these.

Row 7 - Hearts/Flowerettes - On Row 7 centering over/above the 7 cables of Row 8, beginning with an up cable, stitch 7 cables, turn and stitch 5 cables below the stacked and centered on the finished cables, turn and work 3 cables. At the top of the stacked cables, stitch 3 cables, skip one, work 3 cables. I place the hearts above the 7 cable combinations at every other 7 cables. I added 4 petal flowerettes with the 1/2 space baby waves between the heart embellishments.