Christmas angel with a red cardinal

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 4.8 × 4.8 in (12.2 × 12.2 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Sky, far hills, near hills, snow, birch trunks, and 17 more
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Evening star, window light on the snow, birch marks, and 4 more
- **Stem stitch**, 1 to 3 strands
  Fir trees, chimney smoke, birch twigs, coat hem, and 4 more
- **Fly stitch**, 2 strands
  Fir trees
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Cottage walls, chimney, cottage roof, lit windows, and 6 more
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Feather edges, cardinal wing lines
- **Couching**, 4 strands
  Halo
- **French knot**, 1 to 2 strands, two wraps
  Curls, cardinal eye

Three ways to transfer the pattern

1. **Fabric you can see through**
   Tape page 2 to a sunny window or lay it on a light box, tape the fabric over it and trace the lines with a sharp pencil or a water-soluble pen.

2. **Fabric you cannot see through**
   Lay dressmaker's carbon paper colored side down on the fabric with page 2 on top, tape the layers and trace the lines firmly with a ballpoint pen.

3. **Iron-on**
   Go over the lines of page 3, the mirrored page, with an iron-on transfer pen, lay it ink side down on the fabric and press with a dry iron.

Pages 2 and 3 are the pattern at actual size. Print them at 100% with scaling turned off.

Floss

- **DMC 819 Light Baby Pink** Sky (lightest)
- **DMC 792 Dark Cornflower Blue**
  Sky (darkest), scarf (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 793 Medium Cornflower Blue**
  Sky (dark), leggings, scarf and mittens (middle)
- **DMC 156 Medium Light Blue Violet**
  Sky (middle), scarf (light) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3747 Very Light Blue Violet**
  Sky and snow (light) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 3822 Light Straw**
  Halo (lighter), lit windows and 2 more parts
- **DMC 932 Light Antique Blue**
  Far hills (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3752 Very Light Antique Blue**
  Snow (dark) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue**
  Near hills (dark), hoop edge and fir trees
- **DMC 3865 Winter White**
  Snow (lightest) and 8 more parts
- **DMC 841 Light Beige Brown**
  Fence rails (middle) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3790 Ultra Dark Beige Gray**
  Fence rails (dark) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 400 Dark Mahogany**
  Coat and sleeves (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3371 Black Brown**
  Curls (darker), boots (dark) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 300 Very Dark Mahogany**
  Coat and sleeves (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 842 Very Light Beige Brown**
  Long feathers (dark) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 3776 Light Mahogany**
  Coat and sleeves (light) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan**
  Long feathers (middle) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 632 Ultra Very Dark Desert Sand**
  Face (dark), curls (lighter), mouth
- **DMC 3772 Very Dark Desert Sand** Face (middle)
- **DMC 407 Dark Desert Sand** Face (light)
- **DMC 815 Medium Garnet**
  Cardinal tail (darker) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 321 Red** Cardinal (middle) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 666 Bright Red** Cardinal (light)

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