Crossed pistons with a rose

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 3.8 × 4.3 in (9.7 × 10.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

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 310 Black**
  Rods, steel shading, rod flutes, ring grooves and pistons and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3345 Dark Hunter Green**
  Leaves and sepals (darker), stems and thorns
- **DMC 3347 Medium Yellow Green**
  Leaves and sepals (lighter)
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Rosebud, outer petals and inner petals (dark), rose heart (middle)
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Outer petals, inner petals and rosebud (darkest), petal edges, rose heart (dark)
- **DMC 321 Red**
  Outer petals, rosebud and inner petals (light)
- **DMC 666 Bright Red**
  Outer petals, rosebud and inner petals (lightest), rose heart (light)
- **DMC 3706 Medium Melon**
  Rolled edges and rosebud lip

Stitches

- **Back stitch**, 1 to 5 strands
  Rods, bearing shells, rod ends, bolts, steel shading, pistons, piston pins
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Rod flutes, bearing shells, bolts, ring grooves, piston pins, stems, leaves, thorns, rosebud lip, sepals, rolled edges, rose heart
- **Stem stitch**, 1 strand
  Leaf veins
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Rosebud, outer petals, inner petals
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Petal edges

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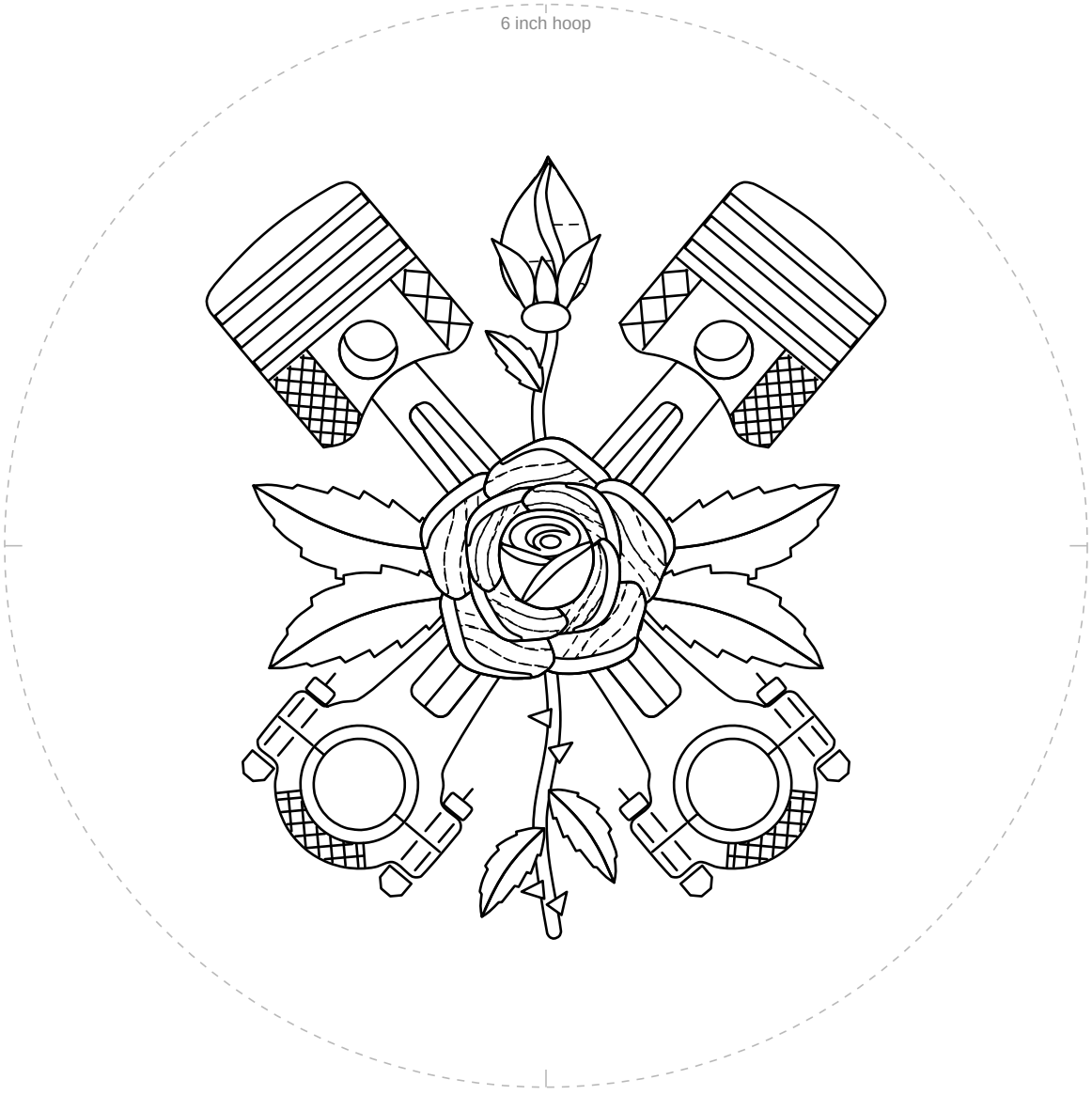

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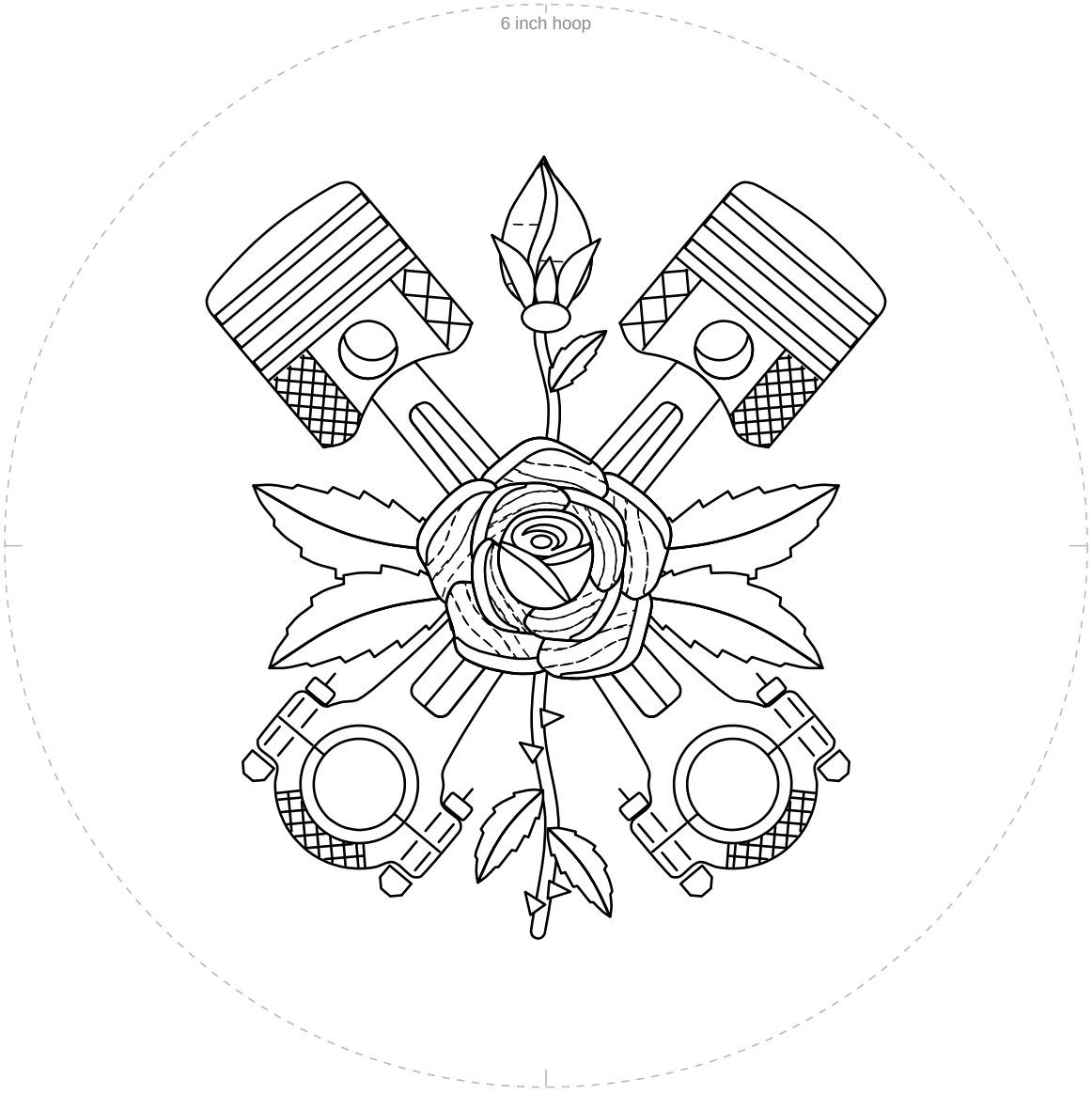
Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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