Easy Balochi style bookmark

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 2.1 × 4.7 in (5.3 × 11.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Floss

- **DMC 817 Very Dark Coral Red**
  Diamonds, side triangles and corner triangles (middle), tassel skirts and border band
- **DMC 741 Medium Tangerine**
  Border teeth, diamond lines and tassel heads, side triangles (light) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3847 Dark Teal Green**
  Diamonds (light), diamond hearts (darker), tassel bindings and border corners
- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Diamond outlines, inner frame and knots
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Side triangles, diamonds and corner triangles (dark)

Stitches

- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Border band, border teeth, border corners, diamonds, diamond hearts, side triangles, corner triangles, tassel heads, tassel bindings
- **Back stitch**, 3 to 4 strands
  Inner frame, diamond outlines, diamond lines
- **French knot**, 2 strands, two wraps
  Knots
- **Stem stitch**, 4 strands
  Tassel cords
- **Straight stitch**, 6 strands
  Tassel skirts

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.

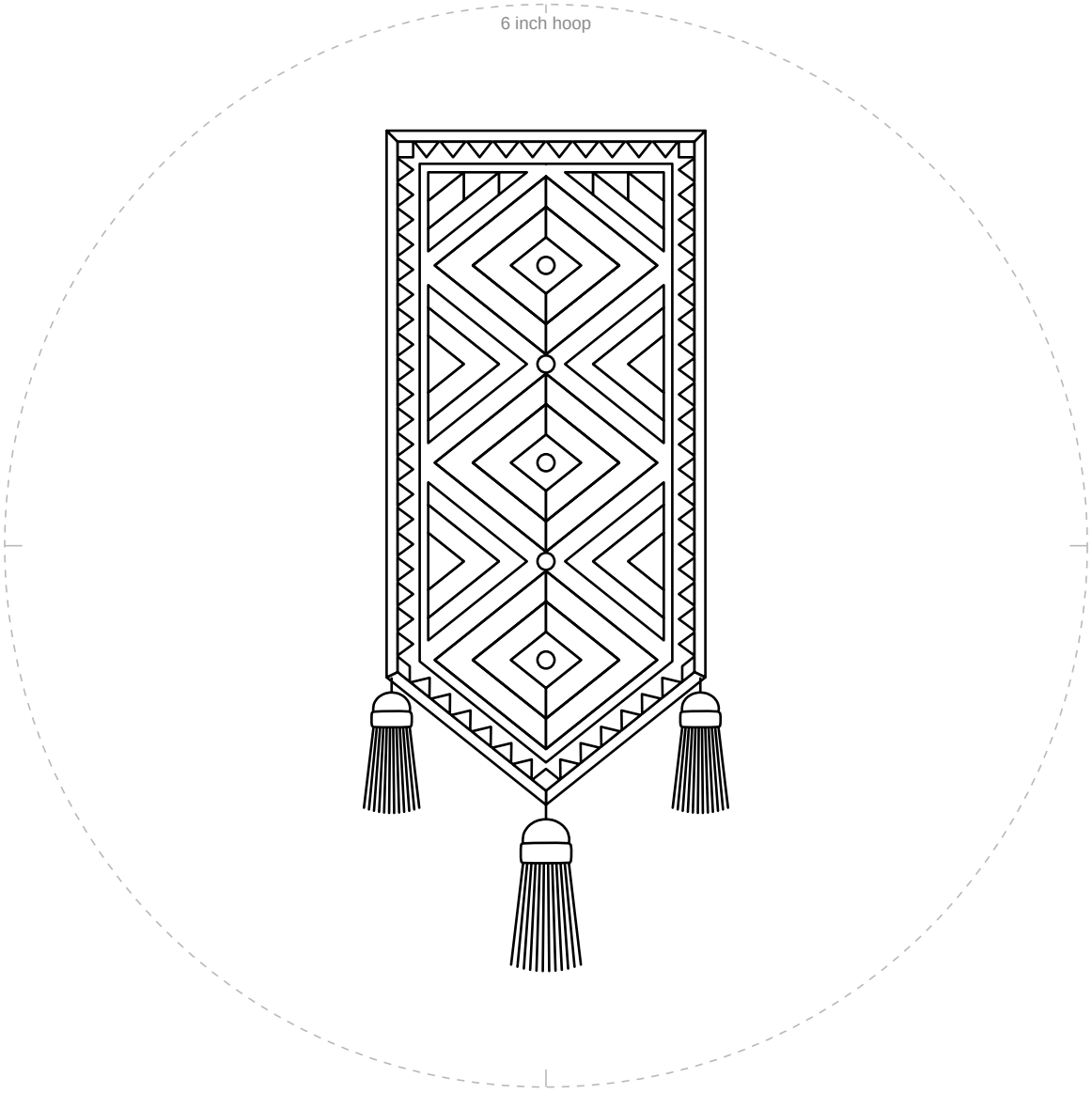
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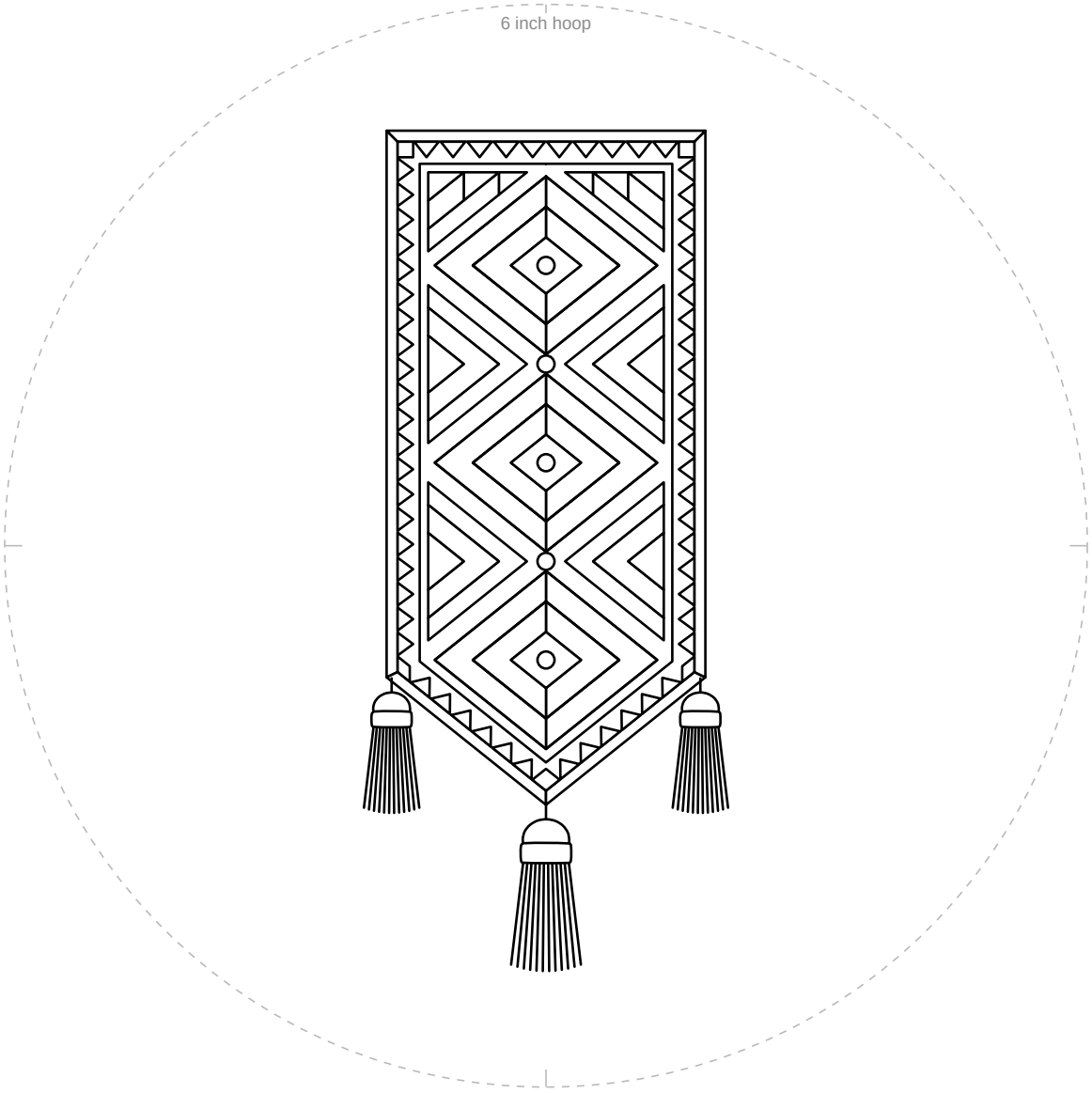
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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