Flying ducks over the marsh at sunset

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



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Sky, cloud bands, sun, far shore, channel, reflections, marsh grass, and 13 more
- **Straight stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Grass tips, eye light, ember tips
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Light on the water, far ducks, bill, collar, speculum, feet, eye, sedge blades
- **Split stitch**, 1 strand
  Feather edges
- **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
  Rim

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 3825 Pale Pumpkin**
  Sky (shade 6 of 9) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3746 Dark Blue Violet**
  Sky (shade 1 of 9) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 28 Medium Light Eggplant**
  Sky (shade 2 of 9), cloud bands (shade 2 of 8)
- **DMC 3836 Light Grape**
  Sky (shade 3 of 9) and 5 more parts
- **DMC 3727 Light Antique Mauve**
  Sky (shade 4 of 9), cloud bands (shade 4 of 8)
- **DMC 224 Very Light Shell Pink**
  Sky (shade 5 of 9), cloud bands (shade 6 of 8)
- **DMC 3856 Ultra Very Light Mahogany**
  Sky (shade 8 of 9), feather edges and 1 more part
- **DMC 3855 Light Autumn Gold**
  Sky (shade 7 of 9), channel and sun (light)
- **DMC 745 Light Pale Yellow**
  Channel (lightest), sky (shade 9 of 9) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 352 Light Coral** Cloud bands (shade 5 of 8)
- **DMC 3854 Medium Autumn Gold**
  Channel (dark), sun (middle)
- **DMC 970 Light Pumpkin**
  Ember tips and feet, sun (darkest), bill (middle)
- **DMC 3853 Dark Autumn Gold**
  Channel (darkest), sun (dark), bill (light)
- **DMC 3834 Dark Grape**
  Far shore and underwing feathers and 2 more parts
- **DMC 920 Medium Copper**
  Reflections, grass tips (lighter) and 4 more parts
- **DMC 154 Very Dark Grape**
  Marsh grass (darker), far wing feathers and 7 more parts
- **DMC 3858 Medium Rosewood**
  Breast (light), grass tips (darker) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3857 Dark Rosewood**
  Breast and tail (dark), head (darkest)
- **DMC 3041 Medium Antique Violet**
  Flank (shade 3 of 7) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3743 Very Light Antique Violet**
  Flank (shade 6 of 7), underwing lining (middle)
- **DMC 3808 Ultra Very Dark Turquoise**
  Sedge blades (middle), head (middle light)
- **DMC 500 Very Dark Blue Green**
  Sedge bed and rim, sedge blades (dark) and 2 more parts
- **DMC 3809 Very Dark Turquoise**
  Sedge blades (light), head (lightest)
- **DMC 3823 Ultra Pale Yellow**
  Underwing lining (light) and 4 more parts

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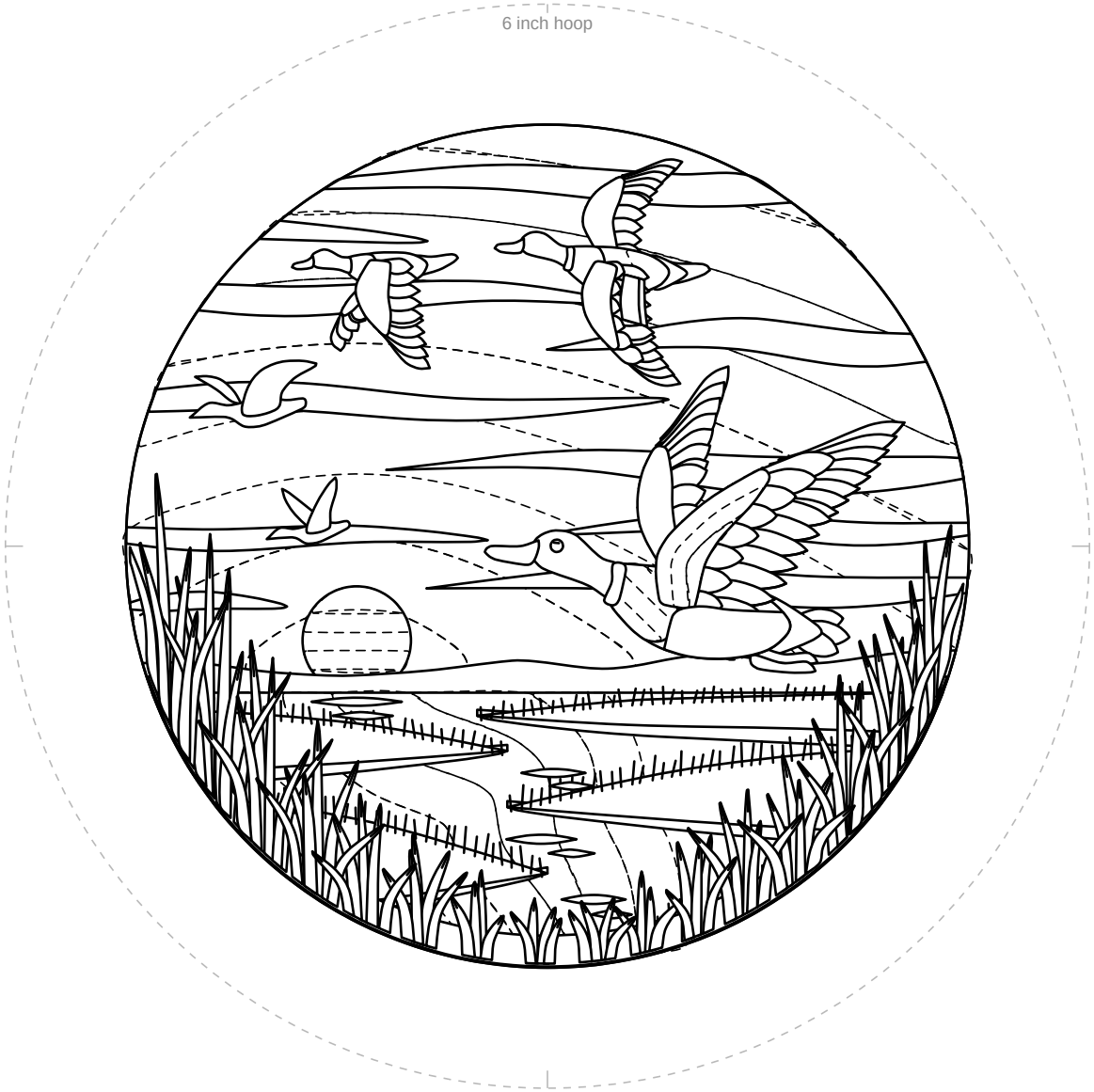

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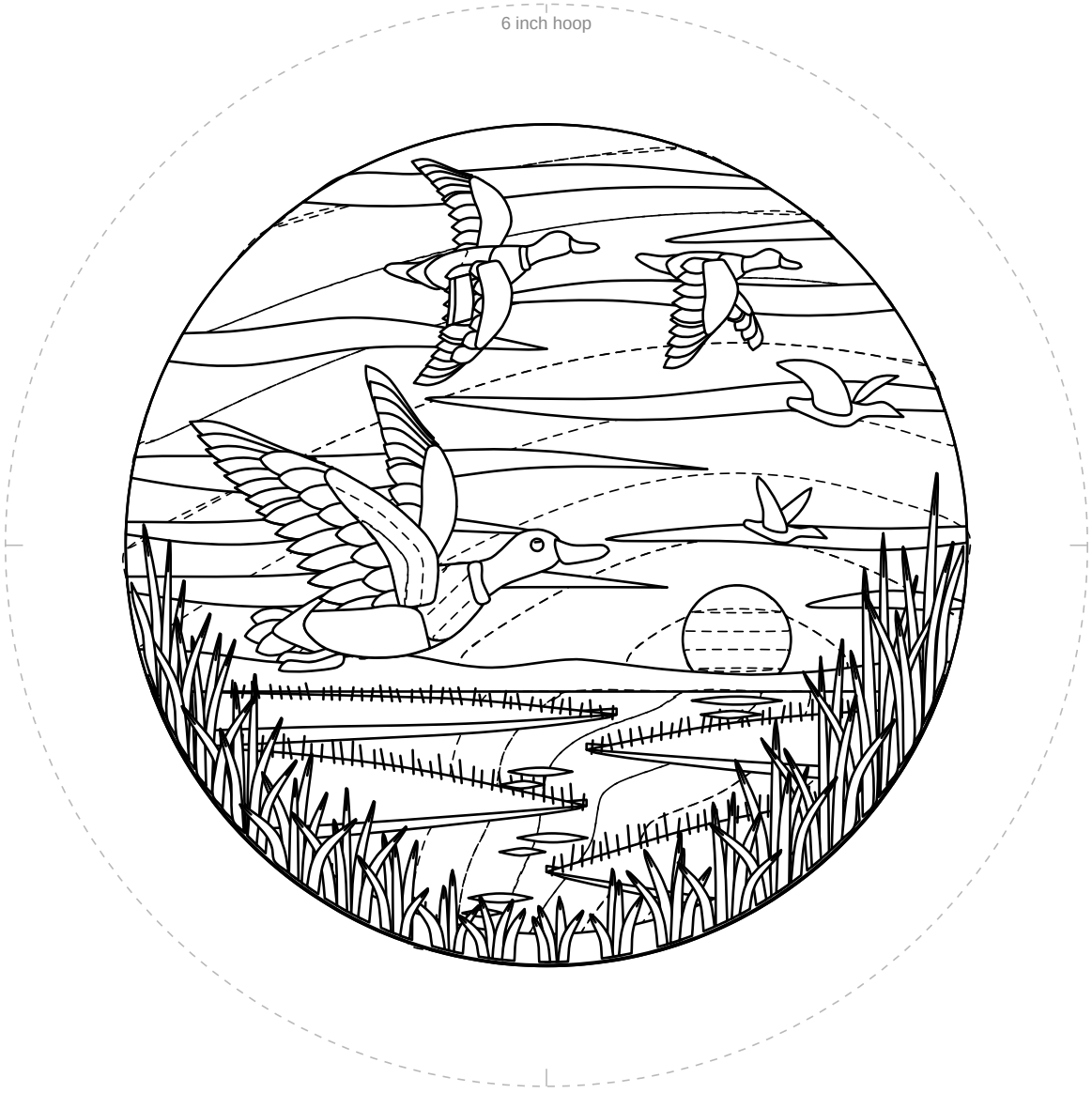
6 inch hoop

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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