Gigi in script

6 inch (15 cm) hoop, 4.2 × 4.4 in (10.7 × 11.2 cm)



A number is a row of the list.
Fabric: pink cotton or linen.

What you need

A 6 inch (15 cm) hoop.

A 9 inch (23 cm) square of pink cotton or linen.

Embroidery needles, size 9, and size 5 for 4 strands.

One skein of each color (an estimate from the drawing's lines and shapes).

A water-soluble pen, and small scissors.

Onto the fabric

Fabric you can see through: page 2 taped to a sunny window, the fabric over it; trace.

Other fabric: dressmaker's carbon paper, colored side down, page 2 on top; trace with a ballpoint.

Iron-on pen: go over page 3, the mirrored page, and press it ink side down as the pen's packet says. The lines stay.

Then hoop it, inner ring under, tight as a drum.

How to read it

Floss has six strands: cut 18 inches (45 cm), pull out the number named one at a time, and lay them together.

The back is seen: no knots. Start with tiny stitches; end around the backs of four or five stitches.

Every stitch in pictures: flossfield.com/embroidery/stitches.

New to this: flossfield.com/embroidery/guides/how-to-start.

Floss

- **DMC 712 Cream**
  Laurel leaves, scalloped edge, small sprays and laurel stems, eyelets (lighter)
- **DMC 315 Medium Dark Antique Mauve**
  Shadow line and eyelet openings, rose petals (darker)
- **DMC 677 Very Light Old Gold**
  Heart, seed knots, rose stamens and berries, eyelets (darker)
- **DMC B5200 Snow White**
  Lettering, lace cord, heart rim and volutes, rose petals (lighter)

Stitch in this order

Where a stitch page says otherwise, follow this list.

1. **Stem stitch**, 3 strands
   Lace cord

2. **Trellis stitch**, 2 strands
   Heart



3. **Buttonhole stitch**, 2 strands
   Scalloped edge



4. **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Eyelet openings, eyelets, rose petals



5. **Stem stitch**
   3 strands: edges of the scalloped edge, volutes, edges of the small sprays
   4 strands: laurel stems

6. **Straight stitch**, 1 strand
   Lines of the rose stamens



7. **Split stitch**, 1 strand
   Edges of the rose petals, shadow line

8. **Padded satin stitch**, 2 strands
   Laurel leaves, berries, small sprays, heart rim, lettering



9. **French knot**, two wraps
   2 strands: seed knots
   1 strand: knots of the rose stamens



Take out lines that still show, press face down, finish the hoop or sew a pillow.

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6 inch hoop

Print at 100% and measure the square. Trace the black lines only. The gray ring is the hoop: fold the fabric in four and lay the folds on its ticks.
On the drawing a ring is one French knot: mark a dot.



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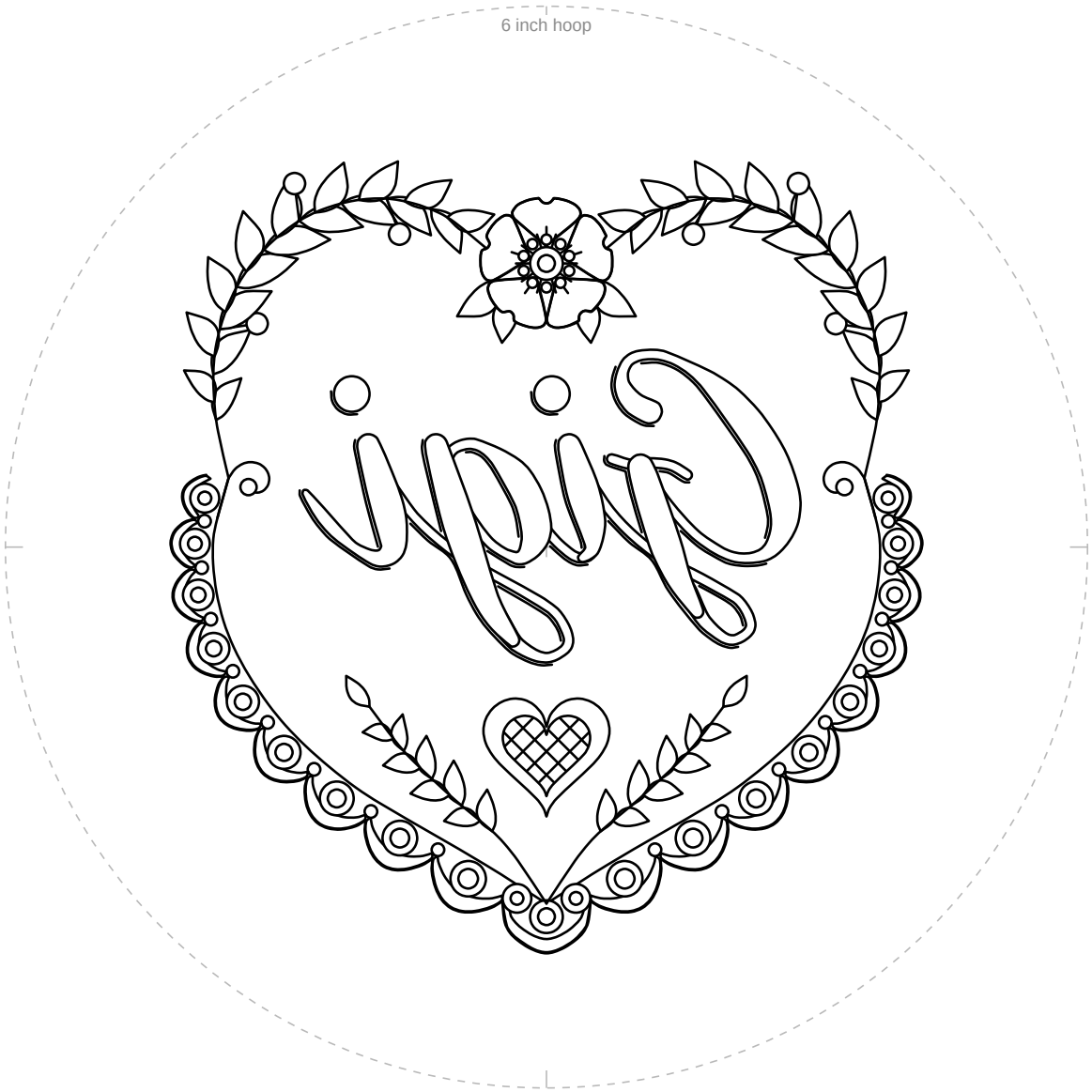
6 inch hoop

For an iron-on pen only. Go over the lines, press ink side down.



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