# Good vibes

6 inch (15 cm) hoop, 4.8 × 4.1 in (12.2 × 10.4 cm)




Colors by number: page 2.

## What you need

A 6 inch (15 cm) hoop.

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

Embroidery needles, size 9, and size 3 for 4 to 6 strands.

22 colors of floss (page 2): 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 3 taped to a sunny window, the fabric over it; trace.

Other fabric: dressmaker's carbon paper, colored side down, page 3 on top; trace with a ballpoint.

Iron-on pen: go over page 4, 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.

Start a filling with tiny stitches, a line with a small knot; end under stitches on the back.

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

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

## Stitch in this order

Where a stitch page says otherwise, follow this list.

1. **Satin stitch**
   2 strands, colors 2, 3, 4, 6, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19
   Sun, sound hole, bridge, pegs, neck, eucalyptus leaves, daisy petals, letters



2. **Long and short stitch**
   1 strand, colors 4, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22
   Pampas, hero rose petals



3. **Fishbone stitch**
   2 strands, colors 17, 18
   Leaves



4. **Straight stitch**
   1 to 3 strands, colors 1, 7, 12
   Sun rays, pegs, frets, nut, strings



5. **Chain stitch**
   1 to 3 strands, colors 4, 5, 6
   Sound waves, rosette



6. **Split stitch**
   1 to 3 strands, colors 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 21
   Guitar side, guitar top, guitar edge, guitar head, hero rose petals



7. **Back stitch**, 1 strand, color 12
   Binding, strings



8. **Stem stitch**
   1 to 2 strands, colors 12, 14, 17
   Rosette, pampas stems, eucalyptus stems



9. **French knot**
   1 to 2 strands, two wraps, colors 1, 2, 6, 12
   String posts, bridge pins, daisy centers, berries



10. **Woven wheel stitch**
    4 to 6 strands, colors 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 16, 20, 21
    Roses

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



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A number is a color of the list. Fine lines show which way the stitches lie: do not stitch them.




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| **1** | DMC 782 Dark Topaz | **9** | DMC 975 Dark Golden Brown | **17** | DMC 520 Dark Fern Green |
| **2** | DMC 3820 Dark Straw | **10** | DMC 3826 Golden Brown | **18** | DMC 522 Fern Green |
| **3** | DMC 224 Very Light Shell Pink | **11** | DMC 976 Medium Golden Brown | **19** | DMC 523 Light Fern Green |
| **4** | DMC 356 Medium Terra Cotta | **12** | DMC 3865 Winter White | **20** | DMC 223 Light Shell Pink |
| **5** | DMC 931 Medium Antique Blue | **13** | DMC 3371 Black Brown | **21** | DMC 355 Dark Terra Cotta |
| **6** | DMC 919 Red Copper | **14** | DMC 3863 Medium Mocha Beige | **22** | DMC 3778 Light Terra Cotta |
| **7** | DMC 801 Dark Coffee Brown | **15** | DMC 3864 Light Mocha Beige | | |
| **8** | DMC 977 Light Golden Brown | **16** | DMC 739 Ultra Very Light Tan | | |



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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; a broken line inside a shape is where two shades meet: trace it, do not stitch it.




**1 in**
25.4 mm

Not 1 inch (25.4 mm)? Print again at 100%.

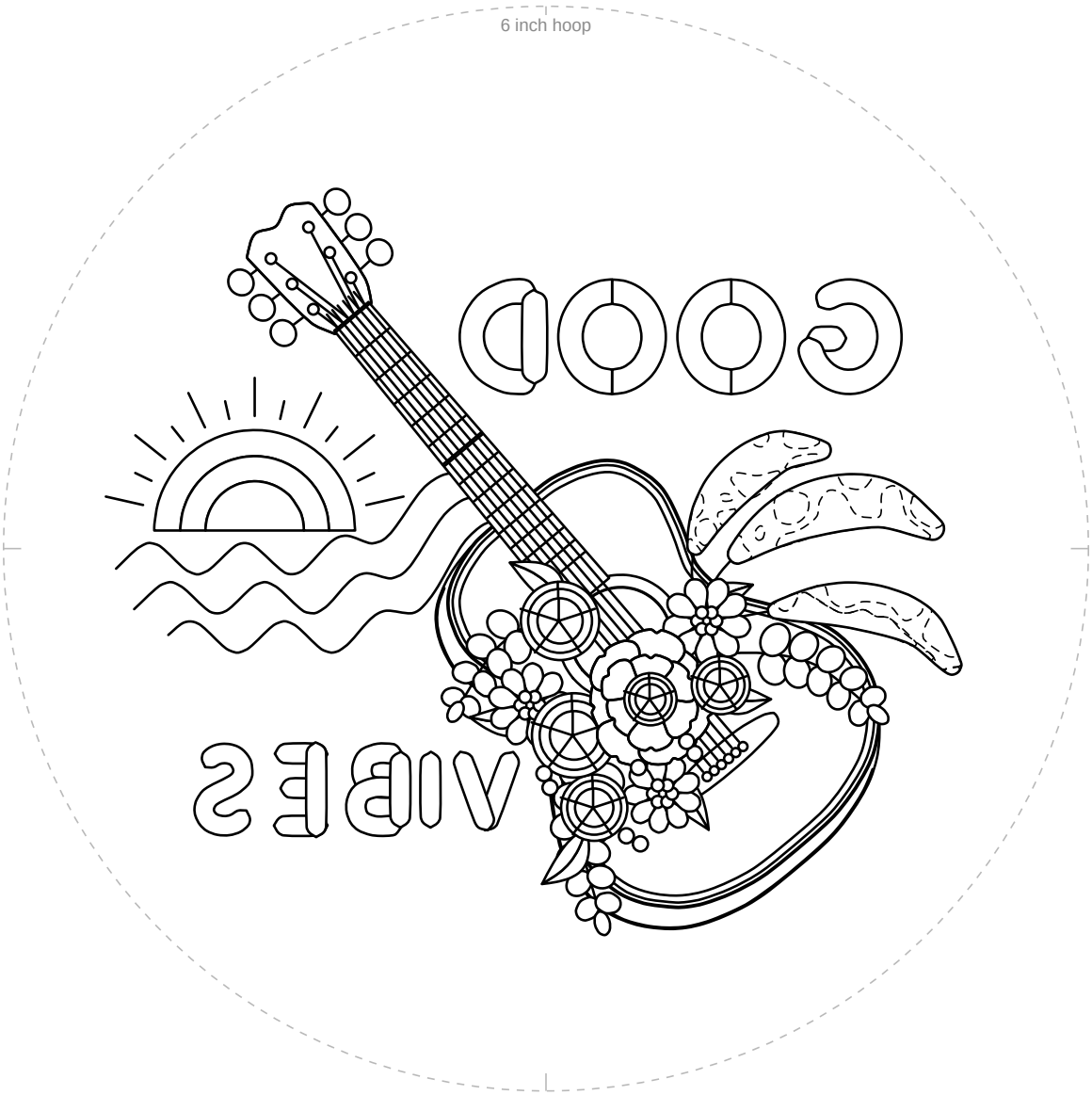


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