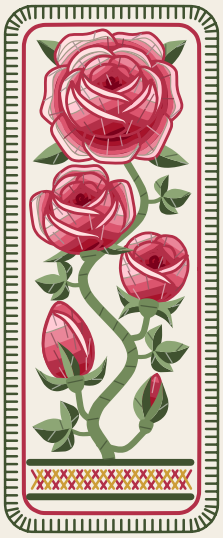
How a rose opens bookmark sampler

Sized for a 6 inch hoop (15 cm). The stitched design is about 1.9 × 4.7 in (4.8 × 11.9 cm).



Which color goes where.

Stitches

- **Blanket stitch**, 2 strands
  Edge
- **Stem stitch**, 2 to 3 strands
  Inner line, heart
- **Satin stitch**, 2 strands
  Flower stems, main stem, leaf stems, rose hips, petal lips
- **Fishbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Leaves, sepals
- **Chain stitch**, 2 strands
  Chain bands
- **Herringbone stitch**, 2 strands
  Herringbone band
- **Long and short stitch**, 1 strand
  Bud petals, inner petals, heart, cup petals, outer petals, middle petals
- **Split stitch**, 1 to 2 strands
  Bud petals, petal lips, inner petals, heart, cup petals, outer petals, middle petals

Floss

- **DMC 986 Very Dark Forest Green**
  Edge and chain bands, leaves (darker), sepals (dark)
- **DMC 3831 Dark Raspberry**
  Cup petals and outer petals (shade 3 of 7), inner petals (middle dark) and 6 more parts
- **DMC 988 Medium Forest Green**
  Main stem, rose hips, flower stems and leaf stems, sepals (middle)
- **DMC 989 Forest Green**
  Leaves (lighter), sepals (light)
- **DMC 3852 Very Dark Straw**
  Herringbone band (lighter)
- **DMC 814 Dark Garnet**
  Outer petals and middle petals (shade 1 of 7), heart (darkest) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 498 Dark Red**
  Outer petals and middle petals (shade 2 of 7), inner petals (dark) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3832 Medium Raspberry**
  Outer petals, cup petals and middle petals (shade 4 of 7) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3833 Light Raspberry**
  Outer petals, middle petals and cup petals (shade 5 of 7) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3708 Light Melon**
  Petal lips (middle), outer petals and middle petals (shade 6 of 7) and 3 more parts
- **DMC 3713 Very Light Salmon**
  Petal lips (light), outer petals, middle petals and cup petals (shade 7 of 7)

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.

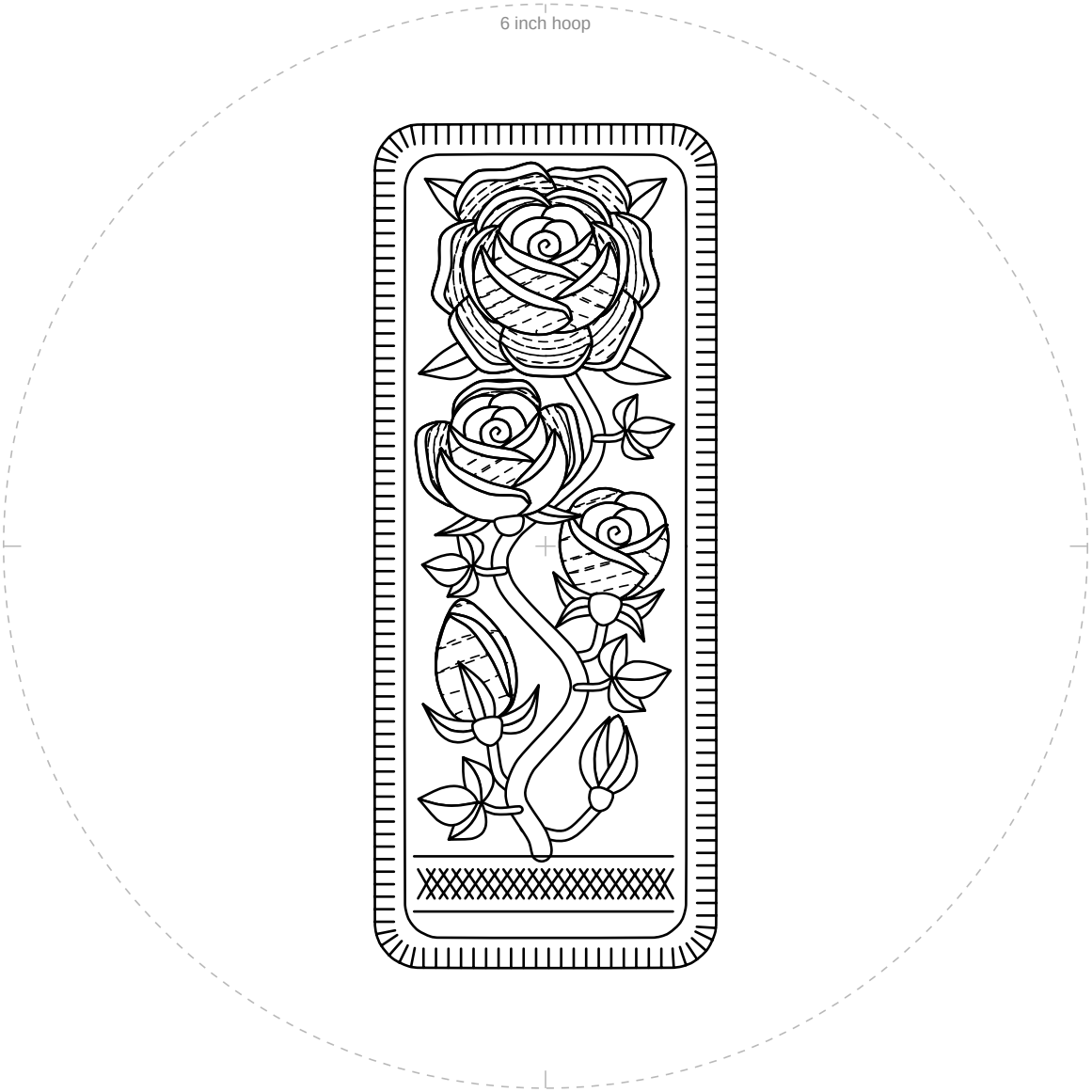
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6 inch hoop

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25.4 mm

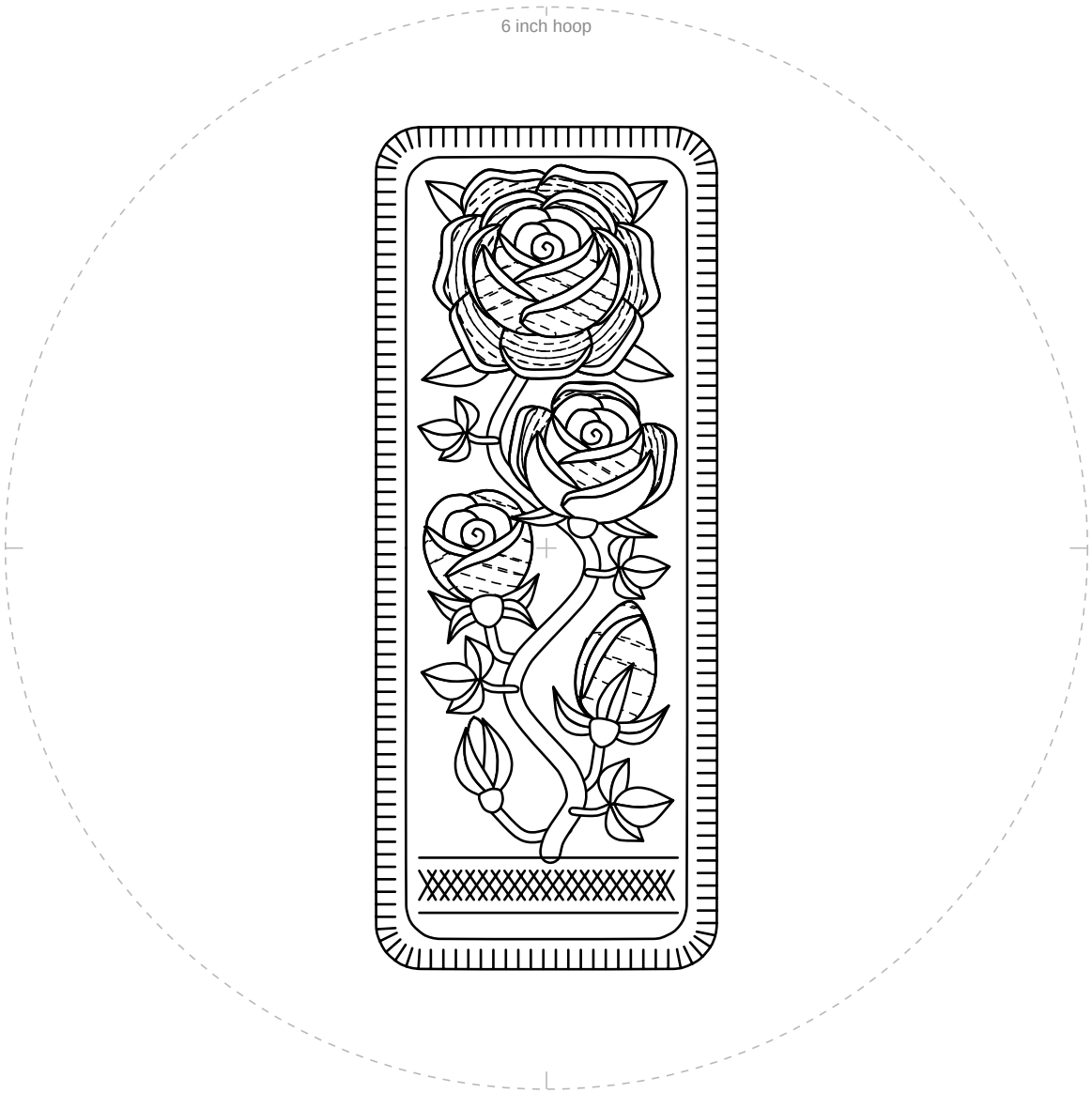
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Mirrored. Trace this page with an iron-on transfer pen or pencil, then press it ink side down on the fabric.



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