

Sewing 102 BAG

Creations Sewing Class

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CLASS NAME: *sewing* 102 BAG

Tape Title: 64-0206E God's Provided Way For This Day

Project: *sewing a beginner's bag*

Scripture:

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the LORD thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

Joshua 1:9

Lesson:

There are times in our daily walk that things just do not seem to come together according to our thinking. In these times we need to trust the advise of those that are more experienced. But most importantly, trust in our Lord Jesus Christ.

For example, it must have been quite difficult for Miriam to watch as the princess discovered her baby brother. What if the princess took the baby to the king and he was put to death? How scary it must have been for her to have had to watch, as she waited for the reaction of the princess.

Miriam obeyed her mother's instructions, knowing that she trusted God to protect her baby. Not only did God protect Moses, but He provided a way for his own mother to care for him in Pharaoh's palace. Plus, as Brother Branham tells us, she even got paid for it. Just think, if Miriam had not obeyed and had faith, they may have never seen Moses again! Miriam showed a great trust for her mother, and for God.

Threading the sewing machine is one of those things that just doesn't always seem to make a lot of sense. There are lots of ups and downs, ins and outs. To miss one small step can make a dramatic difference in how the machine works, or doesn't work.

So, as you learn to thread the sewing machine, be like Miriam and follow instructions carefully. Though they may not seem to make a lot of sense, you need to trust your teacher by doing what is asked. When you do, the machine will work just how it's supposed to, allowing you to make beautiful creations.

Quote:

"Now we see that God doesn't change His systems of doing things. He always does it the same. We are constantly changing because that we are finite. We make all kinds of mistakes, and can improve and get better. But God is infinite. His first decision is perfect all the time. He cannot get smarter. He was the...He is the source of all wisdom. He is all wisdom. He is all power, omnipotent, omnipresent, omniscient, and infinite. So therefore, when He says anything, hang your soul on It, because it's true."

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The theme of this project is to learn how to thread your machine. The student will get plenty of practice! For each decorative stitch, they are instructed to change out their thread and their foot if needed.

**The seam allowance throughout the project will be 1/4", along the presser foot edge, unless told otherwise.

fabric for
straps:
(1) 46" x 2"
piece



solid cotton fabric:
(2) 13" x 10" pieces

7" zipper



various
thread
colors

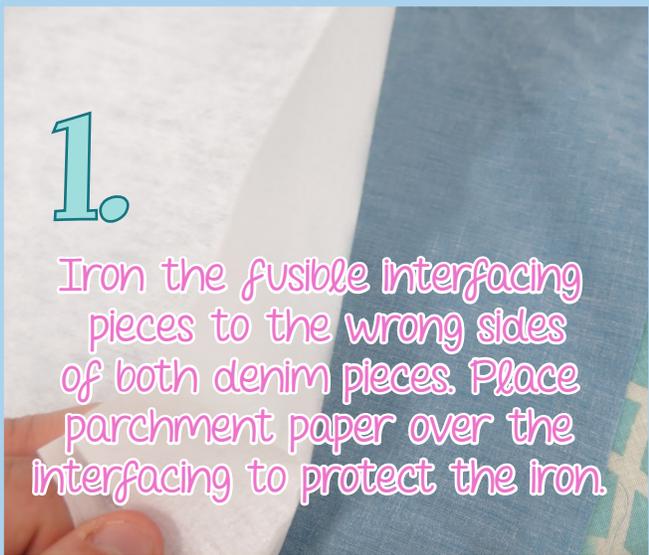
fabric
scissors



heavyweight
fusible interfacing:
(2) 13" x 10" pieces



pins



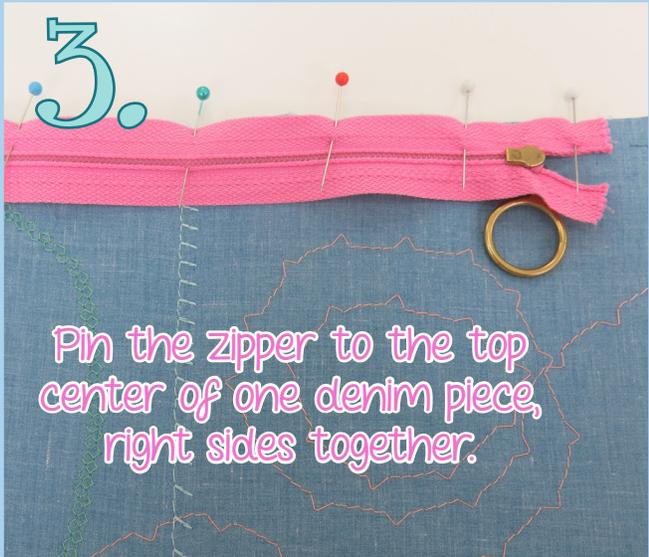
1.

Iron the fusible interfacing pieces to the wrong sides of both denim pieces. Place parchment paper over the interfacing to protect the iron.



2.

Experiment with the different stitches on your machine. Free-stitch over the denim pieces. Change your thread color each time you change stitch, and your foot if needed.



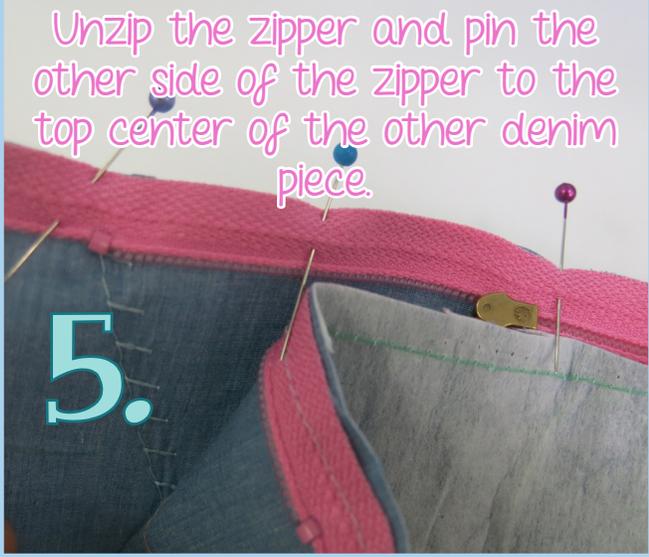
3.

Pin the zipper to the top center of one denim piece, right sides together.



4.

Sew them together.



5.

Unzip the zipper and pin the other side of the zipper to the top center of the other denim piece.



6.

Sew about halfway and stop. Always back tack when you stop.

7.

Zip the zipper shut. Then resume sewing where you left off.



8.

Iron the seam allowance down.



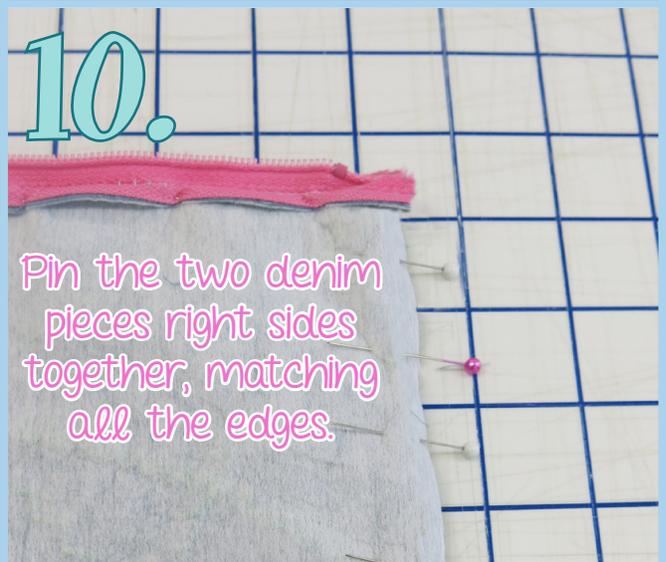
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Use a decorative stitch to top stitch.



10.

Pin the two denim pieces right sides together, matching all the edges.



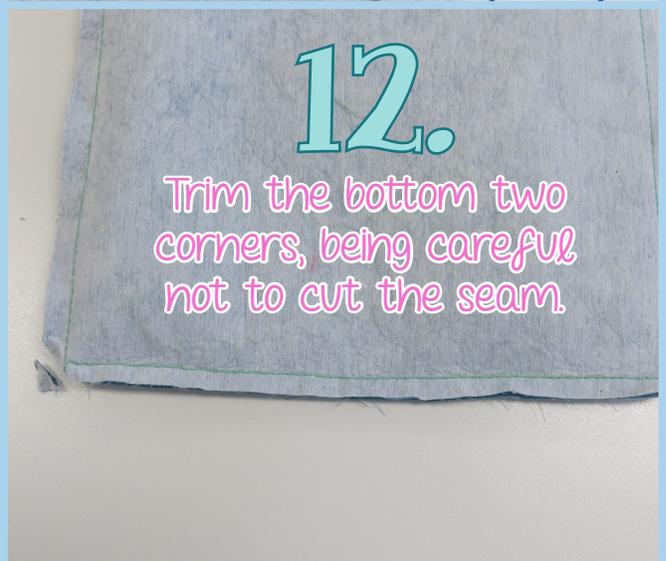
11.

Sew around the edges except for the top, using a 5/8" seam allowance.



12.

Trim the bottom two corners, being careful not to cut the seam.



13.

Turn the bag right side out and push out the corners

15.

Unfold and then fold both edges into the middle and press.

14.

Iron the strap in half, wrong sides together.

16.

Press in half.

17.

Stitch along the folded edge, needle all the way to the right. Go very slow and take your time.

18.

Pin one side of the strap centered on one side seam, about 1" from the top.



19.

Stitch the strap onto the bag, back tack a few times.



20.

Fold the strap up and pin it again.



21.

Stitch the strap onto the bag again. Backtack a few times.



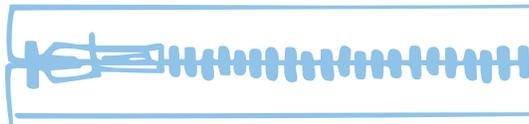
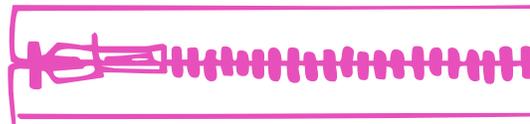
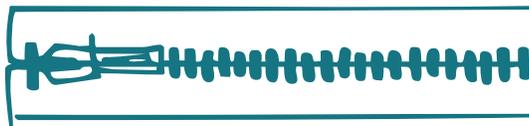
22.

Repeat with other side of the strap on the other seam. Be careful not to twist the strap as you sew.



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Zippered Stitch Bag



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