

Skirt

LEVEL: *beginner*

Creations *Sewing Class*

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at creations class

Many times it's a struggle to go to the store and buy a decent, cute skirt, so the sewing girls were very excited about making their own skirts in this class.

For many of them, this would be their first experience sewing a skirt. This gave the teachers the opportunity to teach the girls the correct way to sew a skirt from start to finish. The sisters downstairs could hear, "make sure not to cut off your notches" and, "zippers are fun!"

The girls cut, pinned, cut again, pinned again, sewed, zig-zagged, ironed, and then sewed some more!

By the end of the class, the girls were bubbling over as they posed for their picture in their new skirts. With high hopes, and patterns in hand, they left encouraged that they could make more skirts at home.



CLASS NAME: Skirt

Tape Title: 64-0305 Perseverant

64-0311 God Is Identified By His Characteristics

Project: sewing a skirt

Scriptures:

She seeketh wool, and flax,
and worketh willingly with
her hands.

Proverbs 31:13

She maketh herself
coverings of tapestry; her
clothing is silk and purple.

Proverbs 31:22

Strength and honour are her
clothing; and she shall re-
joice in time to come.

Proverbs 31:25

Proverbs 31:

**29 Many daughters have
done virtuously, but thou
excellest them all.**

**30 Favour is deceitful, and
beauty is vain: but a woman
that feareth the LORD, she
shall be praised.**

**31 Give her of the fruit of
her hands; and let her own
works praise her in the gates.**

Lesson:

The theme for this three-part class was taken from Proverbs 31. These verses beautifully describe the attributes of the virtuous woman. Some of these attributes were discussed over the course of these three classes. The teacher also took some time to acknowledge and express to the girls how proud she is of their efforts to obey the Word, present themselves modestly and virtuously before others, and live a life that's pleasing to the Lord — for this is how we can express our love for our Saviour.

Sadly, this was the last class of the season. The students were encouraged to continue through the summer to listen to the tapes, take the tape quizzes, and to spend more time in prayer with the Lord. Included on their handout was an area designated to list some things they wanted to pray about over the summer. When the students come back, we expect to hear some good testimonies about how the Lord has answered each prayer and met each need!

Quote Part 1:

Now, when a woman goes to cut out a pattern for a skirt, you talk about it. She lays the goods out (Is that right?), the piece of goods. And she lays her pattern down on this. She does the fixing where the pattern's to be cut. Right?

O brother, this really do you good. Who does the electing? God does the electing. Is that right? It's not me to say; it's Him to say. And He places the pattern over who He will. Is that right?

Rev. William Marrion Branham
53-0729 Questions And Answers On
Genesis

Quote Part 3:

"He said, 'Sir, I—I can't pray.' He said, 'I—I have never prayed, but I had a praying mother and father, which is done gone on to heaven.' And said, 'Mother, I—she died when I was such a little boy, but I remember hearing her, when she was in trouble, she went to the Lord and she prayed. And she died when I was so young; she couldn't teach me to pray, and I have been given into the hands of an unkind person who beats me and mistreats me. And I—I was—thought maybe after I had learned my abc's, if I could take all the—the words and say all the letters, maybe He could put it together and understand what I meant."

Rev. William Marrion Branham
57-0120M The Impersonation Of
Christianity

Quote Part 2:

"Call ten thousand Angels," when one could have destroyed the world, "but He died for you and me." That's something like the basis that I want to have my message for Sunday morning, if the Lord willing, on "What was Christ?" And now we're expecting maybe these little girls could sing that song again for us, Sunday morning. Brother Wheeler, I certainly want to say that you sure got two fine little ladies there, and their dressing, and no make-up and everything. They look like Christians to me, and sing like it and act like it. That's very fine. I believe I was saying to my wife the other day, we have certainly a clean-looking bunch of women around here. I appreciate that.

Their long hair and clean faces, and dressed decently. I--I--I admire you every time that I--I come in. I said to Meda, "I'd like to get them all in a row sometime and take their picture so I can show other churches the way our church is here." That, we speak these things, they--they obey. And we're glad. It does something for us. We know that when we--we have our petitions, if our heart condemns us not, we know that God hears us.

Rev. William Marrion Branham
63-0724 God Doesn't Call Man To
Judgment Without First Warning
Him



Skirt Tutorial



Helpful hint:

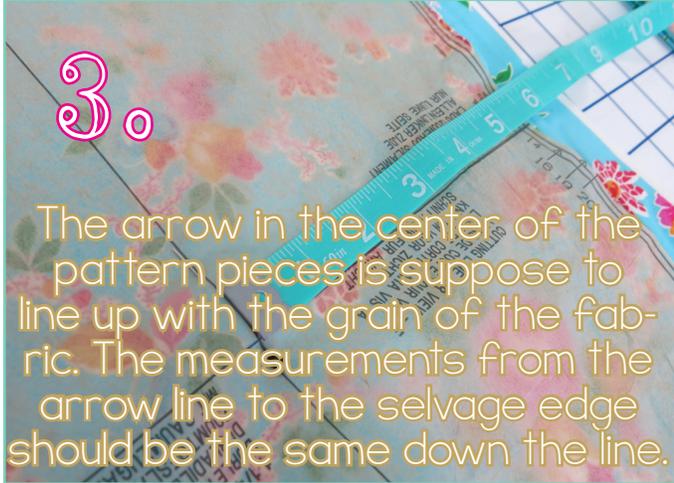
This skirt is very full, so lightweight fabric is recommended.



1. Cut out your pattern pieces according to your sizing. Mark your notches with happy tape as a reminder to cut them out as well!



2. Fold fabric in half lengthwise, matching up the selvages. Lay pattern pieces 1, 2, and yoke on the fabric.



3. The arrow in the center of the pattern pieces is suppose to line up with the grain of the fabric. The measurements from the arrow line to the selvage edge should be the same down the line.



4. Pin your pattern pieces to the fabric and cut out. Don't forget your notches!



5. Pin the front piece and the two front side pieces right sides together. Sew using a 5/8" seam allowance



6. Press open seams and serge or zig-zag the seams to keep from fraying



7. Repeat steps 4-6 with the back and the two back sides



8. Gather stitch (baste) the skirt top of the front and back using a 1/4" seam allowance.

Gather the front and back to the needed size measurement of pattern piece q.



9.

Stitch yoke pieces together, leave an opening between the dots. Press open



10.

Fold yoke in half length-wise, wrong sides together. Baste raw edges together.



11.

Pin yoke to skirt, matching notches and raw edges. Sew using 5/8" seam allowance. Press.



12.

Cut elastic to waist length plus 3". Thread elastic through yoke. Pin elastic ends together and sew, making sure not to twist the elastic.



13.

Close up the hole with a slip stitch

slip stitch: Hiding each stitch and the knot within the fold of each side,



14.

Press the bottom under 1/4" and then another 1/2". Pin. Sew using a 3/8" seam allowance.



15.

job well done!

