

All Hallows Eve Table Topper



Make this funky table topper for your coffee table to go with your other ghoulishly fun Halloween decorations and get the party started!

Skill Level: Intermediate

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Supplies:

All Hallows Eve- ADP-70J
5/8 yard Cotton print for top
5/8 yard Cotton print for backing
1/3 yard Cotton print for flaps
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3/4 yard Warm and Natural[®] batting
Baby Lock Ellure Plus or machine with a 130mm x 180mm embroidery field
Temporary spray adhesive
Tear Away Stabilizer
Medium Hoop (130mm x 180mm)
Air Erasable Fabric Marker
Ruler
Rotary Cutter
Small Scissors
Hand sewing needle
All-purpose sewing thread
Assortment of Madeira embroidery thread

Instructions:

1. Download and print out the pattern pieces. Cut one large oval from the top fabric and a second from the backing fabric. Cut eight flap pieces from each of the flap fabrics.
2. Using the ruler and air erasable pen, mark the center of the top oval.
3. Hoop the tear-away stabilizer in the 130mm" x 180mm" hoop. Follow the specifications for your machine; load design AH09 onto your machine. Spray the stabilizer with temporary spray adhesive and attach the oval to the stabilizer. Use the center marks to center it in the hoop. Stitch the design, using a piece from one of the flap fabrics for the appliqué. Remove from hoop and tear away the excess stabilizer.
4. The next designs stitched will be AH10 and AH12. Using the ruler and air erasable pen, mark the desired placement for these designs.

Note: To aid in marking the placement, a template can be printed from Edit-N-Stitch.

5. Hoop the tear-away stabilizer in the 100mm" x 100mm" hoop. Following the specifications for your machine; load design AH10 onto your machine. Spray the stabilizer with temporary spray adhesive and attach the oval to the stabilizer. Use the center marks to center it in the hoop.
6. Remove from hoop and tear away the excess stabilizer.
7. Using the flap pieces; lay them out around the center oval to determine the arrangement of the flaps.
8. Using the ruler and air erasable pen, mark the center of the flaps.
9. Following the previous steps, embroider designs AH19 and AH11 on eight of the flaps. Four designs will be embroidered on one color and four designs on the other. Keep in mind the flap arrangement as you are marking and embroidering the flaps.
10. From the batting, cut one oval and eight flaps.
11. Set the machine up for straight stitch sewing with a 1/4" seam.
12. Using spray adhesive, attach the batting to the back side of the embroidered flaps and the oval piece.
13. With right sides together, stitch the flaps together making eight finished flaps. Trim the corners, turn and press. Top stitch 1/4" from the edge.
14. Place flaps on top of oval, embroidered sides together, matching raw edges. Place backing piece on top, right sides together, matching raw edges.
15. Using a 1/4" seam, stitch around the oval, leaving a 5-6" opening for turning. Clip the curves. Turn right side out and press.
16. Sew the opening closed using a hand sewing needle.

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