

Garden Wall Hanging



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Materials:

45" wide fabric
1/4 yard each: lime green, lavender, lavender print, lavender floral, yellow with dots.
1/8 yard each: green, purple floral, green with dots
5/8 yard each: turquoise for background, orange with dots for second border
3/8 yard purple solid
1/2 yard multi-colored diagonal stripe
scrap of Each large floral print, dark pink, black
1 yard backing fabric
36" x 45" piece poly-fil® Low-Loft® batting
1 yard paper backed fusible webbing
thread to match fabrics
invisible nylon quilting thread
purple, turquoise and silver metallic thread

Cutting Directions:

1. Background: cut a 22" x 30" rectangle.
2. Grass: cut a 3" x 22" rectangle. Fold in half and cut a curve along top edge, see photo.
3. Trace the following applique pieces to paper backed fusible webbing (adding 1/8" to inner edges of shapes that will be overlapped by other pieces), and fuse to

wrong side of fabrics as directed: daisy petals, flower petals, flower centers, leaves, all butterfly wings, butterfly bodies, dragonfly wings and body, snail body and shell, ladybug body and head.

4. Stems: cut a 12" x 3/8" and a 6 1/2" x 3/8" from paper backed fusible webbing, fuse to lime green and cut out stems.
5. Inner border: cut two 30" x 2" strips and two 25 1/2" x 2 1/2".
6. Second border: cut two 33 1/2" by 5" strips and two 34 1/2" x 5".

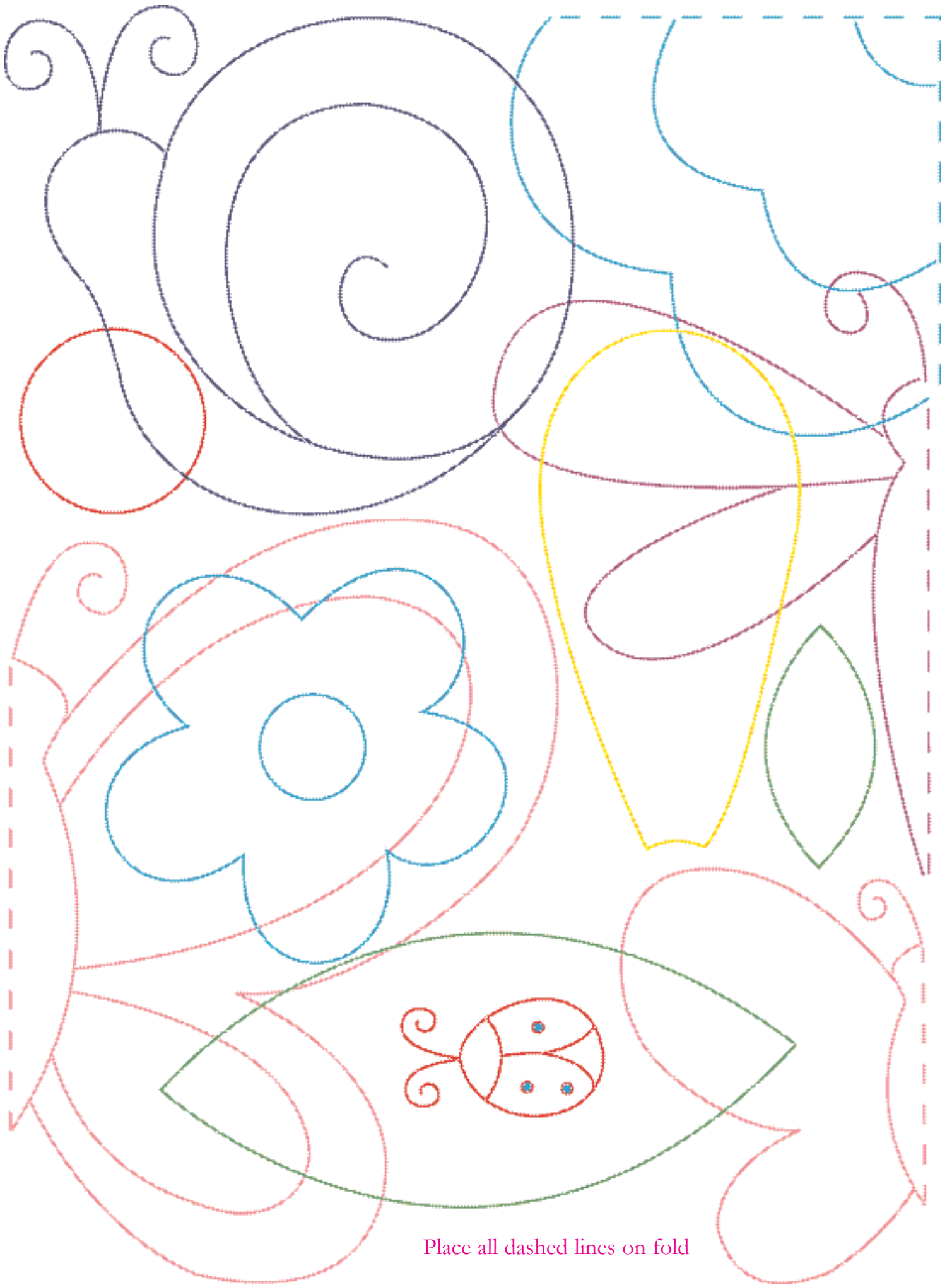
Assembly Directions:

1. Place grass along lower edge of background and baste in place.
2. Arrange applique shapes on background as shown in the photo and fuse in place.
3. Zigzag along edges of applique pieces using matching thread.
4. Draw antennae on insects. Fuse a small scrap of background fabric to wrong side of background behind antennae. Zigzag stitch along antennae using thread to match body.
5. Embroider wings and dots on ladybug using black thread
6. Stitch 30" inner border strips to sides of applique center. Stitch remaining inner border strips to top and bottom.
7. Stitch 33 1/2" border strips to sides of inner border. Stitch remaining border strips to top and bottom.

Quilting and Binding Directions:

1. Layer the backing wrong side up, the batting and the wall hanging top. Pin and baste. Quilt by machine along seam lines of center and borders and around applique shapes using invisible nylon thread. Quilt 1/4" from inner and outer edge or inner border using metallic thread and a wavy machine embroidery stitch. Quilt along center of border using thread to match fabric.
2. Cut a 30" x 8" wide strip of backing fabric to make a rod pocket. Fold in half lengthwise. Center and baste to back of wall hanging along top edge.
3. Cut 2 1/2" strips of striped fabric to make a straight grain binding 150" long. Stitch binding to outer edge of wall hanging. Join ends neatly. Fold to wrong side over edge and slipstitch in place.


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