

# Redwork Embroidery by Sewing Machine Supply List


I have taken the traditional redwork concept and added a fun twist. Learn how to do curves and points on embroidery designs using your sewing machine. Embroidery work can be done in red, black or color of your choice. This workshop will teach you to explore some of the stitches on your machine using sewing and Perle cotton threads.

This workshop will teach you the following:

- How to perfect the perfect triple stitch to make your Redwork look like it is done by hand.
- How to use various type of threads to achieve the look of hand embroidery.
- How to determine which needle to use for which thread and stitch.
- How to determine which stabilizer to use.
- How to combine hand and machine work together in one project

These are only some of the things you will learn.

For this workshop you will need the following basic supplies:

- High quality 100% cotton background fabric, A fat quarter will do. I will have fabric practice pieces of fabric
- .05mm HB mechanical pencil
- Perle cotton in sizes 8, 12 and 16. I prefer the Presencia brand. Valdani or DMC will work as well
- Threads in sizes: 50 weight and 12 weight ( Sulky). Any brand will do. Recommendations: ( Mettler silk finish cotton – 50 wt-easiest to find; Mettler 40 wt machine quilting or embroidery-not many colors to choose from)
- Size 70 Mirco-TeX sharp needle for use with the regular threads.
- Size 90/14 and 100/16 Top Stitch needles for use with the Perle Cotton – any brand will work. Schmetz brand can be found at most quilt stores
- Freezer paper ( I prefer Reynolds the best) or stabilizer (tear-away or leave-in – Sulky, OESD, etc)
- Sewing machine that has a triple stitch. It looks like this on your  machine.
- Several bobbins wound in either So fine 80wt or Wonderfil 80wt and in your choice of 50 weight color. (at least two of each)

At the workshop I will have a handout as a reference and to take notes. Also included will be various designs to choose from for the final project.

If you have any questions, please contact me at:

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