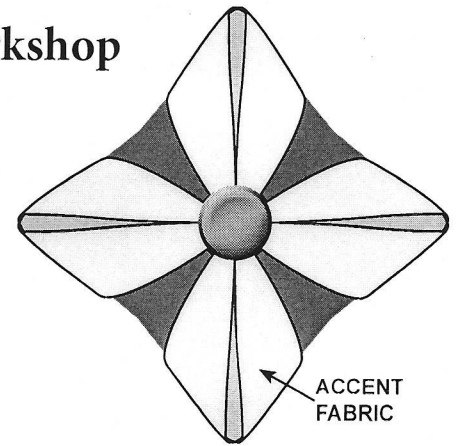


Origami Fabric Ornament Workshop

with Susan Joy Noyes
CVQ - November 12, 2013

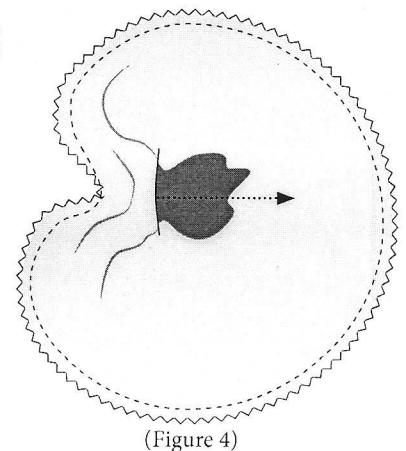
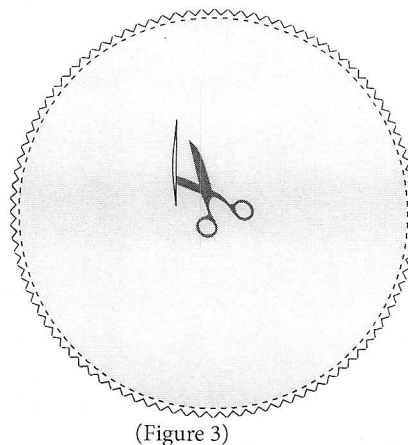
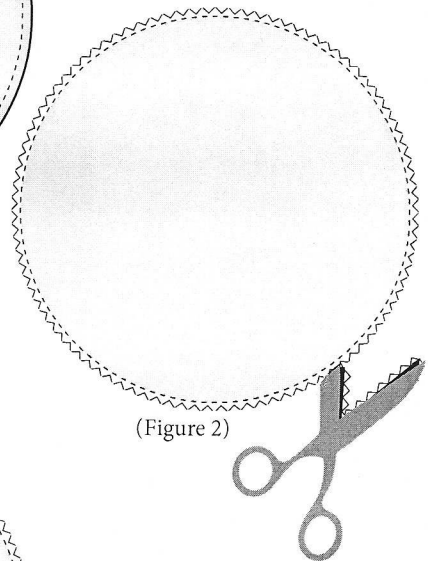
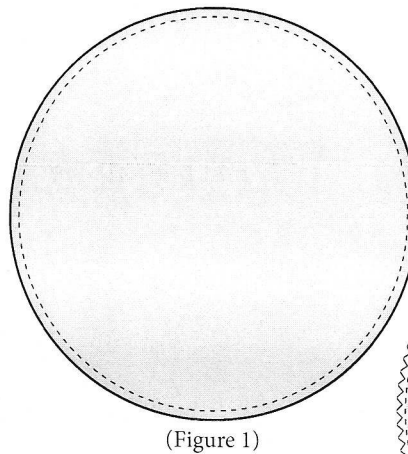
Supply List:

- Cut two 8½ inch circles of *contrasting* Christmas themed fabrics prepared as shown below (see pattern p.2)
- Sewing needle and matching thread
- Scissors
- Thimble
- Pressing stick (and/or iron and pressing pad.)
- Embellishments ~ Beads and/or jewelry findings, fancy buttons, tassels, etc. If using small beads, you will also need a beading needle
- Ribbon, or gold or silver cording, at least 6" long
- Darning needle (I will bring mine, which you can use, if you don't have one)

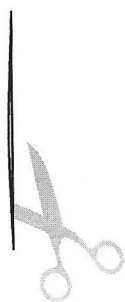


Bring your fabric prepared as described here:

- Sew the two 8.5 circles right sides together using a ¼ inch seam allowance. (Fig. 1)
- Notch the seam allowance or trim with a pinking sears. (Fig. 2)
- Determine which fabric will be the primary and which will be the accent color.
- Cut a 1¼ inch long slit just a bit off the center of the circle **in the accent color only**. (Fig. 3)
- Turn the fabrics right side out, carefully pulling the fabrics through the slit. (Fig. 4)
- Press flat using a point-turner tool to get a crisp edge, making sure that the seam edge stays true to a circle shape.
- If you wish to have help with the turning process, bring your circle (already stitched and trimmed) to the workshop.



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Note: Cut slit in
accent fabric only.

8 1/2 Inch Circle Pattern

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CHRISTMAS HOBO BALL ORNAMENT

Supply List:

2 – 9-1/2” fabric squares (contrasting, but coordinated colors)

18” ribbon

1 – 1-1/2” Styrofoam ball OR batting OR cotton balls for center of ornament

Embellishments (jingle bells, snowflake or other Christmas theme buttons, red miniature pom-poms for holly berries, miniature Christmas lights, wooden gingerbread men, felt ivy leaves with jewel centers, etc.)

Instructions:

1. Determine which square to be inside. Cut 2” slit in center of square.
2. With right sides together, stitch 1/4” seam around square. Trim corners.
3. Turn inside out through slit in center of inside square. Press.

Stop at this point, bring your sewn squares to class and finish your ornaments in class.

4. Put ball, batting or cotton balls in center of fabric, gather up fabric and tie ribbon around tightly and tie into bow.
5. Add embellishment: tie jingle bells around ribbon before tying into bow; glue holly berries to bow knot; glue miniature Christmas bells, snowmen, snowflakes, etc. to bow knot.
6. Also, top edges of the ornament could be embellished.

Comments:

1. Attach red, green, gold cord for hanging ornaments on tree.
2. Place on tree branches with no hangars.
3. Place on garland and set on/in branches.
4. Use as party favor with table setting.
5. Use scented potpourri as your center for a Christmas satchel.

Notes:

You can also make a nine patch, rail fence or other simple pattern for the outside square. Use coordinating fabric for inside. Since a lot of the outside fabric is gathered up, it's not easy to see the additional work.

Quilted Look Ornament

You will need:

3 fabrics-matching or coordinating

Cut into:

Fabric 1 (center) 8-3"x3" squares

Fabric 2 (layer 2) 16-3"x3" squares

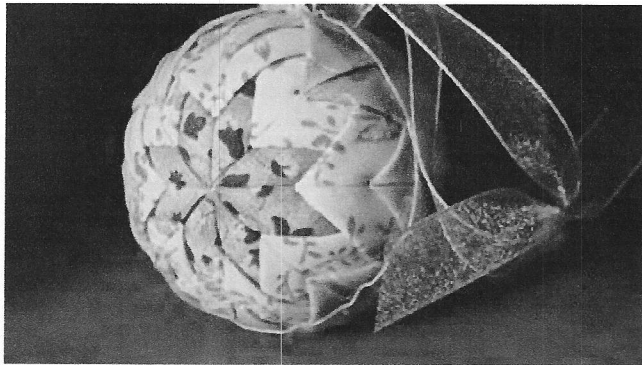
Fabric 3 (outer layer) 16-3"x3" squares
3"x12" strip

3" Styrofoam ball

1 box Bridal & Lace pins per ornament

Additional notions:

Scissors, thimble, hot glue gun, ceramic mug,
and extension cord.



Go to You Tube and search for Quilted Ornament (No Sew).

www.youtube.com/watch?v=RdU7dliAdMo