

## MATTHEW 25:40

### Laundry Bag

**FABRIC:** Bright cottons, baby prints, (No santa or witches)

**PATTERN:** Cut fabric 16"x14" finished bag is 13"w and 15"L.

**LABEL:** Sew label on front side of fabric, placing label about 2" from bottom on right side of fabric.

Placing right sides together, sew side seams, allowing 3/8". Next sew bottom of bag.

Now for top, fold under 1/4" top edge, press, next fold again, folding down 1", sew around the edge where you just folded.

(you are making the casing for the string to go through)

Turn bag right side out, press. Last step is to back tack, or tailor tack, on edge of one side seam.

(this is to secure seam from opening when you open seam for string.)

Opening is made on OUTSIDE of fabric, between the tack and stitching that made the casing. Use a seam ripper to open the seam

Using a safety pin, thread ribbon or yarn 36" long through casing. Tie ends together.

If using a sewing machine it is good to "pink" the seams.

If using a serger the seams can be serged. Top can be serged on edge, then turn down for casing.

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