

Martini Glass Santa

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Stitch Guide

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SANTA IN A MARTINI GLASS

SANTA IN A MARTINI GLASS SUPPLY LIST

John James Tapestry Needles
Size 20 and 22

RAINBOW GALLERY

Splendor
S820 - Ruby Red
S822 - Dark Red
S894 - Medium Flesh
S923 - Medium Dark Flesh

Silk Lame Braid for 18 Count
SL08 - Red
SL10 - Green

Flair
F534 - Christmas Green

Designer's Dream
D02 - White

Fuzzy Stuff
FZ26 - White

Fancy Fur
FN62 - White

12 Strand Treasure Braid
TR265 - Black

Water N Ice
WT12 - Pearl Ice

Mandarin Floss
M905 - Lite Forest Green
M906 - Forest Green
M834 - Lite Pistachio
M824 - Dark Wedgewood

Nordic Gold
ND17 - Snow

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SANTA'S SUIT

Silk Lame' Braid

SL08 - Red

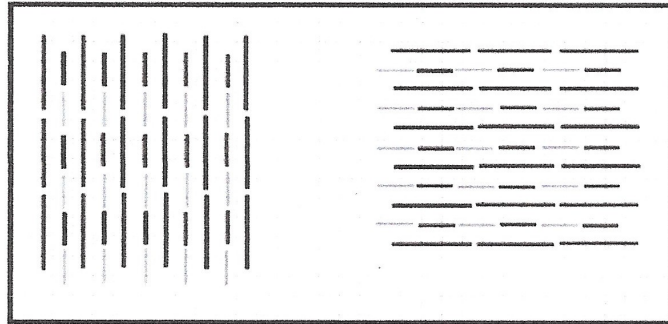
Splendor

S820 - Ruby Red

S822 - Dark Red

With 4 strands of S822 Backstitch along the edge of Santa's suit (between his body and arms.)

Parisian Ribbon with 4 strands of Splendor. Work the dark stitches with the Splendor and then the small ones with the Silk Lame' Braid. Work the body vertically and turn and do the sleeves horizontally.



PARISIAN RIBBON

SANTA' FACE

Splendor

S894 - Medium Flesh

S923 - Medium Dark Flesh

12 Strand Treasure Braid

TR265 - Black

Basketweave his face with 4 strands of Splendor. His eye is a Cross Stitch over 1 canvas thread.

SANTA'S BEARD AND MUSTACHE

Designer's Dream - D02 - White

Fuzzy Stuff - FZ26 - White

With 1 strand of each thread, work his beard with rows of Outline Stitch. His mustache is done with straight stitches. (Pad the area first to make it stand out from the Beard.)

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MARTINI GLASS

Water N Ice - WT12 - Pearl Ice

Flair - F584 - Christmas Green

Silk Lamé' Braid - SL10 - Green

Work long upright stitches over the glass, these stitches should be as long as the colors - red and green.

The base is worked with the green threads. Use an "every other" Gobelin Stitch. Work upright stitches with the Flair and then fill in every other stitch with the Silk Lamé' Braid.

(This is an excellent method for working any ribbon type threads - work stitches with the ribbon and then cover with the lighter thread.)

SANTA'S BAG

Mandarin Floss

M834 - Lite Pistachio

M905 - Lite Forest Green

M906 - Forest Green

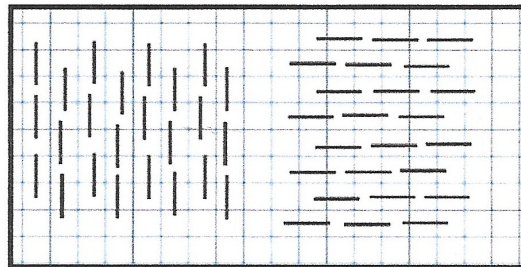
M824 - Dark Wedgewood

With 3 strands work Horizontal Brick Stitch over 2 canvas threads.

Change direction at the knot and work Vertically.

Pad the knot area and cover with long vertical stitches.

Basketweave the blue area.



BRICK STITCH

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SANTA'S FUR

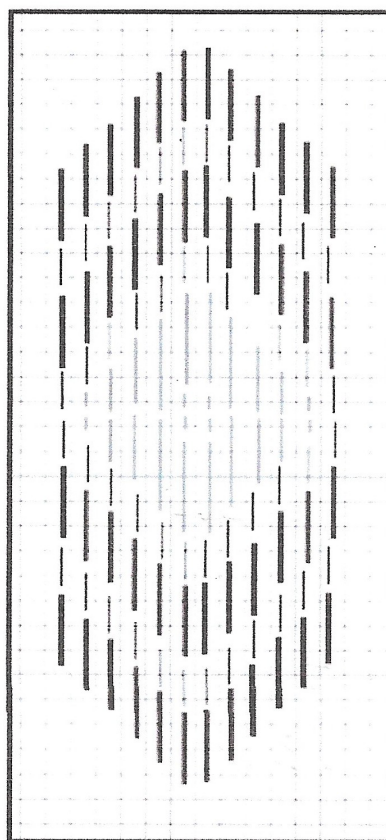
Fancy Fur - FN62 - White

Straight Stitches worked vertically. It is easier to stitch this thread with a #20 needle.

BACKGROUND

Nordic Gold - ND17 - Snow

Twill Stitch - change directions at the center to create a Four Way Twill.



FOUR WAY TWILL

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Stitches and Threads chosen by Suzy Murphy

A few thoughts and suggestions before you begin.

The strands should all be separated and put back together for a smoother look and better coverage.

The strands recommended are the ones I used, so you may need to adjust them for the way you stitch.

In most cases the graphs are not counted from the canvas, so the actual counts you use may be different.

All of the supplies were available when I stitched this piece. However, I cannot guarantee they will be at the time you purchase the canvas. If a thread or color is no longer available, you will need to find the closest substitute.

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Have fun and Happy Stitching.

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