



# NEW HOME STUDY

## CANDLESTICK HOLDERS

I am busy this month writing guides for these three beauties from Raymond Crawford. The current delays in getting product present incredible challenges for our Home Study project. The original ship date for the canvases has been pushed back and we are still not completely sure when they will arrive so we still hope to have a Fall/Winter start to this colorful series, but be patient because the Fates seem to be in control for the moment. The series will begin with Amalfi, the candle holder with lemons, and will ship as soon as the canvases arrive.

We have a limited number of Home Study spaces available through Amy's Golden Strand and then we will find a host shop to supply kits after we run out.

### Colorful Candle Holders by Raymond Crawford 18m

Canvas:  
prices below

Stitch Guides:  
\$ 25<sup>00</sup>

Thread Kits:  
TBD



**Amalfi**  
\$ 62<sup>00</sup>

**Lunares**  
\$ 75<sup>00</sup>

**Tropical**  
\$ 86<sup>00</sup>



# FUTURE HOME STUDY

## WICKED QUEEN

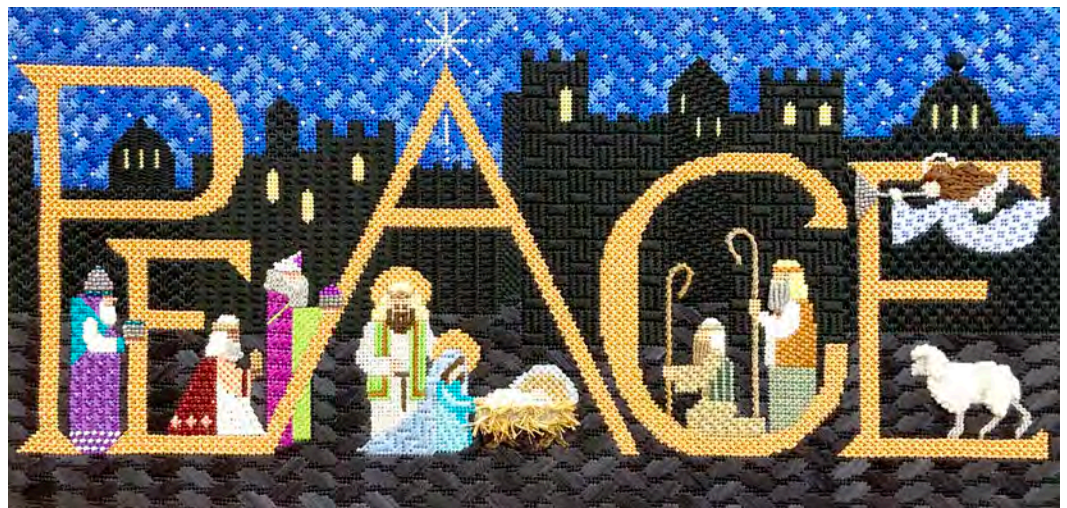


My Winter months of stitching are going to be filled with evil intent. Nothing like a wicked beauty holding a dripping heart to fill my bone-chilling months with nefarious designs. The next in line for Home Study fame is The Wicked Queen from Love You More. This canvas is a needlepoint rendition of Ludovic Salle's artwork and is way too cunning and devilish...I hope that I am up to the challenge to make this needlepoint live up to it's mood and meaning.

We only have 5 spaces available for this Home Study through Amy's Golden Strand and then will be finding a host shop to supply kits after we run out.

# NEW GUIDE AVAILABLE

## FROM LORI CARTER



**PEACE**  
by Shelly Tribbey  
18m  
15.5" x 7"  
Stitch Guide \$125<sup>00</sup>

## MORE CHANGES

### HOLIDAY SHOP SCHEDULE

We'll be closed, but not gone!!!

It has been a challenge this year to figure out how to see loved ones while keeping others reasonably safe. In an attempt to keep our holiday family gatherings safe and also protect our customers from our group activities, I have made the tough decision to close the shop to all walk-in traffic from Friday November 13th until Monday January 11th. We will still be here working, packing and shipping, as well as preparing for pick up, but we will not be open for anyone to come into the shop. We believe that practically everything is on our Website from which you can order or you can call, e-mail or FAX us to work as your virtual shop assistants. Over the last 7 months we have gotten pretty good at using cameras and descriptions to help our distancing customers. We will ship it to you or you can mark your order for "pick up" and we can arrange a time for you to come by to collect your goodies.

Mark your calendar to watch for our December newsletter, which will include closing sale event plans.

## BURMILANA DISTRIBUTION

There's a new home for



Burmilana distribution.

I have used and loved  
Designers Desk) introduced me  
skeins of Amy's Burmilana to our

Burmilana since the day Pat Delp (owner of  
to it. I loved it so much that Bob and I added small  
wholesale business in 1999. Burmilana has been good to  
us over the last 21 years and in my efforts to semi-retire I have found a NEW wholesale distributor  
for Amy's Burmilana who will continue distributing this great thread to shops across the country.  
We hope that you are using Amy's Burmilana and buying it from your local shop, who can order  
from the new distributor immediately. They will be keeping their shelves, hooks and drawers filled  
with product ready to ship to your area.

### NEW WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS FOR AMY'S BURMILANA:

#### THE NEEDLE WORKS

(512) 451-6931 Phone

(800) 851-6931 Toll-free

(512) 451-3757 FAX

Info@theneedleworks.com

Call, FAX or E-mail your orders to Annette & Allyson at the Needle Works



# NEW ITEMS FOR SALE

## SHOP MODELS

We have started selecting shop models FOR SALE!!! The models will be added to the Website inventory gradually in a section especially designed for Models. We are starting with smaller, easier to ship items but will be adding more and more models each month, so check the MODELS category under "start shopping" often to see the newest offerings. This might be a great place to find gifts and ready-to-display decorating pieces. Be sure to read the descriptions carefully as some of these well-loved pieces may have wear, dirt or damage. Also be aware that some items may incur extra shipping charges to accommodate size, weight and fragility.



Gazebo/greenhouse  
with gardener pair \$125<sup>00</sup>

Hanukkah Candle Ornament  
\$50<sup>00</sup>



Easter Bunny Pair (stand ups)  
\$100<sup>00</sup>



Pumpkin Candle Ornament  
\$50<sup>00</sup>

Green geometric box \$25<sup>00</sup>



Pulled Embroidery inset in  
white box \$25<sup>00</sup>

# BOOK REVIEW

## THE NEEDLEPOINT NOTEBOOK: STITCHES INSPIRED BY CAROLYN'S TRAVELS

Ha ha ha, I can't believe that we are adding new product to the shop right now but it is a BOOK...how could I resist!?

Carolyn Hedge Baird's new book is ready to go!

The best description of the book is in Carolyn's own words...."The Needlepoint Notebook: Stitches Inspired by Carolyn's Travels is from a notebook I carry with me, drawing stitches that I see on canvases or construct stitches from wall paper, floors, patterns I see when I travel. I also write notes for all kinds of things I see on my travels."

I love reading Carolyn's books and looking at the drawings and margin messages. It is really like curling up with a personal journal, such a fun experience. Even the paper is smooth to the touch, almost as though it knows that the book is rich with rewards. Carolyn's books always include so many "usable" stitches. Not too big, not too many intricate steps and not too difficult to use on any canvas.

Right off the bat on page 7 you will find 4 Way Framed Corners with 8 different suggested fills. This stitch is loads of fun with lots of possibilities...how about one more? Try "bricking" the design. If you shift every other row of square motifs over by 4 canvas threads you get a "bricked" pattern. Fun for walls, backgrounds, packages and more. The Greek Cross on page 27 looks great for a queen's gown or fancy drapes. I loved the section on Blackwork and Lite stitches and saw loads of stitches to use. I am particularly looking for a diagonal lite stitch at the moments. I LOVE Leaf Stitches and eyelets and will be using Hungarian Sideways with Leaf on page 79 any minute now. Don't forget to read the text on each page. David's Strawberry Pattern on page 182 is an example of simple perfection as well as a memoir of a visit to South Dakota.

Thanks, Carolyn, for another fun visit into your world of stitching,

COST \$ 35<sup>00</sup>





## FIND OF THE DAY

### OH SEW EASY PUNCH NEEDLES

There is nothing quite like cleaning out closets for finding lost treasures. There is lots of hysterical laughter in the shop these days as we discover more and more items that have not seen the light of day for a few years. Some we have even spent hours in search of in the past.

Find of the day is the remaining inventory of Oh Sew Easy Punch Needles. These needles come in different sizes and we have

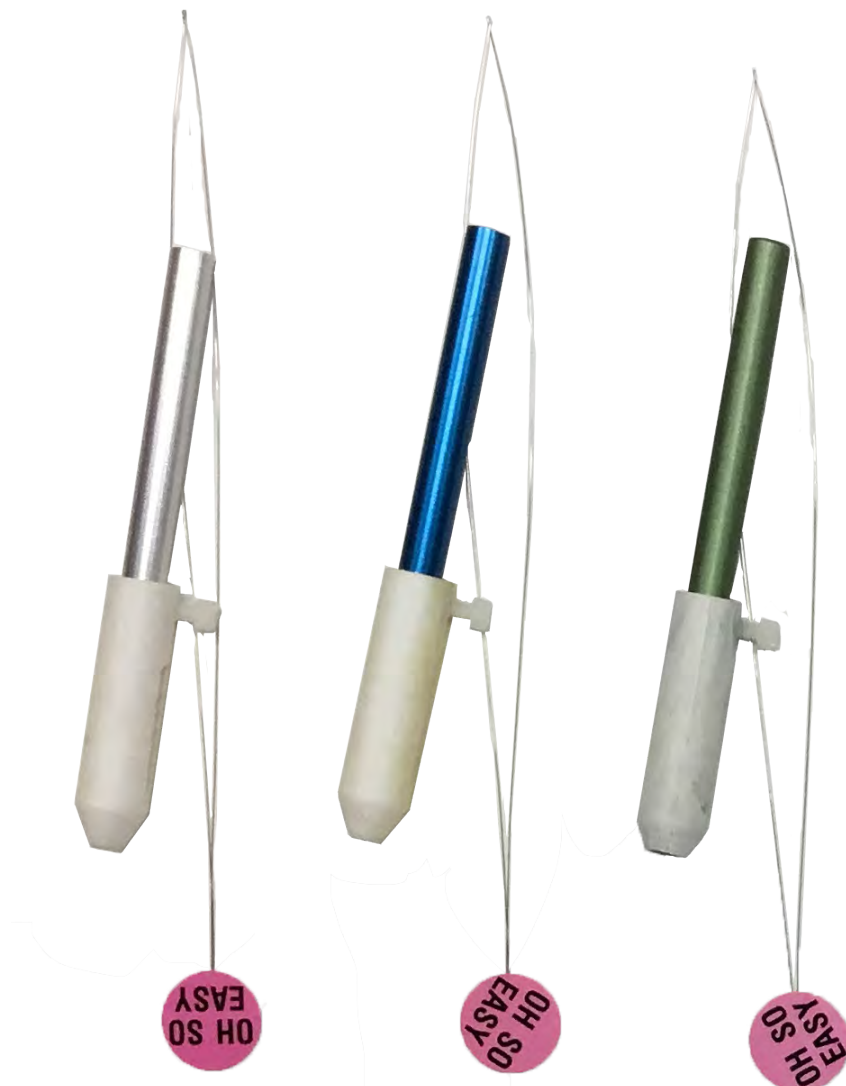
Silver = for Punch Needle on congress cloth or fabric (heavy-weight, like denim)

Blue = for Punch Needle on #14, #13 or #12 mesh canvas

Green = for Punch Needle on rugs (larger mesh of #10 or #7)

We will include a package of extra threaders while supplies last at no charge with each punch needle purchased.

COST \$ 9<sup>50</sup> each



# NEW GUIDES AVAILABLE

## BY AMY BUNGER

### Santa Round

by Raymond Crawford

18m

5"R

Stitch Guide \$ 52<sup>50</sup>



### Tribal Metal

by Machel Somerville

18m

10" x 10"

Stitch Guide \$140<sup>00</sup>



### Queen Bee

by Melissa Shirley

18m

9" x 7"

Stitch Guide \$87<sup>50</sup>



# NEW GUIDES AVAILABLE

## BY AMY BUNGER



### Roadrunner

by Dominic Borbeau  
from Tapestry Fair  
18m  
10" x 13.5"  
Stitch Guide \$140<sup>00</sup>



### Autumn

by Penny MacLeod  
18m  
11" x 11.25"  
Stitch Guide \$140<sup>00</sup>



### Elderberry

by Marie Sansone  
from Maggie  
18m  
8" x 11"  
Stitch Guide \$105<sup>00</sup>



# NEW GUIDES AVAILABLE

## BY AMY BUNGER



### Squid & Whale

by Charley Harper  
from The Meredith Collection

18m

20" x 7"

Stitch Guide \$122<sup>50</sup>



### Circus Strong Man

by Colors of Praise

18m

??" x ??"

Stitch Guide \$192.<sup>50</sup>



### Ginkgo Leaves

by Brenda Stofft

13m

14" x 14"

Stitch Guide \$140<sup>00</sup>



# NEW GUIDES AVAILABLE

## BY AMY BUNGER



**Les Tournesols**  
by Eleanor Grosch  
from Ruth Schmuff  
18m  
8.5" x 12.5  
Stitch Guide \$105<sup>50</sup>



**Ladies**  
by Penny MacLeod  
from the Collection  
18m  
9" x 14"  
Stitch Guide \$70<sup>00</sup>

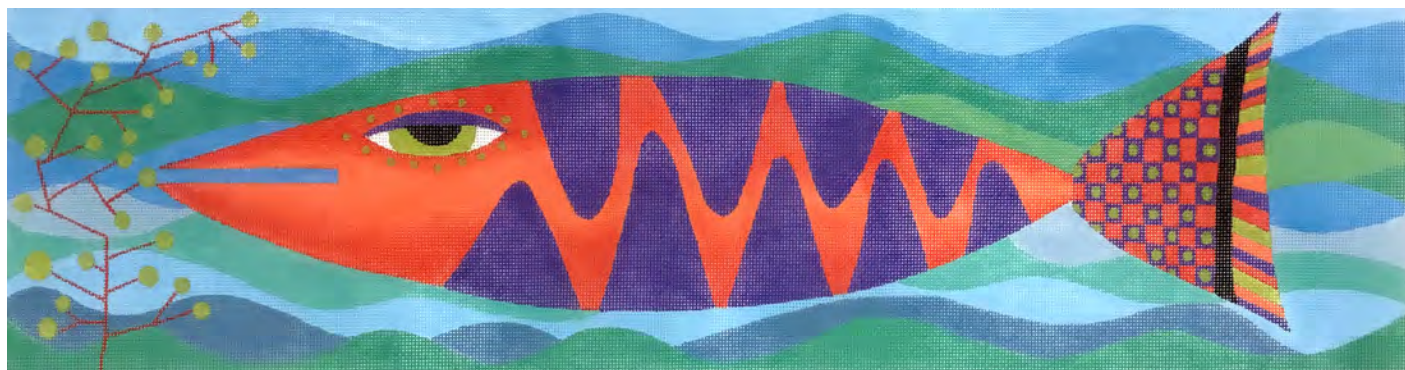


**Alpacas**  
by Terry Runyan  
from Maggie  
18m  
9" x 9"  
Stitch Guide \$ 87<sup>50</sup>



# GUIDES COMING SOON

## BY AMY BUNGER



### Long Fish

by Zecca

18m

24" x 6"

Canvas \$ 187<sup>00</sup>

Stitch Guide TBD



### Fireflies

by Cindy Lindgren  
from 3K Needlearts

18m

8.25" x 11"

Canvas \$119<sup>00</sup>

Stitch Guide TBD

### Goldfinch Sunflower

by Cindy Lindgren  
from 3K Needlearts

18m

8.5" x 10.75"

Canvas \$119<sup>00</sup>

Stitch Guide TBD





# CUSTOMER GALLERY



**Tree Row Red/Green**  
from Melissa Shirley  
stitched by Karen Jetton  
stitch guide by Amy Bunger



**Harlequin Birdhouse**  
by Kelly Clark  
stitched by Polly Vaughan  
stitch guide by Amy Bunger



**Embalming Fluid**  
by Cheryl Schaefer and Annie Lee  
stitched by Kathy Brewer  
stitch suggestions from Rent Amy Day



# CUSTOMER GALLERY



## Nutcracker Series

by Rebecca Wood

stitched by Karen Jetton

stitch suggestions from Robin King



## Downhill Dogs

by Tango & Chocolate

from Chris Lewis Distributing

stitched by Cindy McCuiston

stitch suggestions from Rent Amy Day



# CUSTOMER GALLERY



**Blanton's**  
by The Point of It All  
stitched by Jessica Tew  
stitch suggestions from Rent Amy Day



**Basil Hayden**  
by The Point of It All  
stitched by Jessica Tew  
stitch suggestions from Rent Amy Day



## CUSTOMER GALLERY



### **Cow Hide**

by Raymond Crawford  
stitched by Jeanna Camp  
stitch guide by Amy Bunger



### **Luella Fairy Tale Witch**

by Melissa Shirley  
stitched by Maude Mack  
stitch guide by Amy Bunger