

Template Tasting Easter Table Topper

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Fabric:

1 – 18” square of backing fabric, batting, two reveal fabrics, and top fabric

Templates and Tools

Westalee Design Circles and Straights Tool

Westalee Design 6-point cross hair ruler

Circles on Quilts Set 3 (you will be marking a 10” circle) or you may use the Circleworks Outer Rim Tool to mark a 10” circle.

MultiArc 2 circles

MultiArc 3 deep ovals

Back to Back set 1.5

12” arc

Marking Pen/Chacoliner

Sew Steady TempLee Fuse

These instructions are to augment the videos in the March Template Tasting Table Topper class in the Sew Steady University.

Marking

Using the 6-point cross hair ruler mark 12 rotations. Number the rotations from 1 to 12 beginning at the top of the vertical cross hair line.

Using the Circles on Quilts Set 3, mark a 10” circle

Stitching

1. Using the Universal Circles and Straights Tool, stitch a circle at 16”.
2. On lines 1, 4, 7, and 10, line up the 3” arc so that the tip of the straight line is on the 10” circular drawn line and the circular portion is facing the outside of the quilt sandwich.
3. Stitch from 10” line around the half-circle to the 10” line.
4. Place the Multiarc 3, 3” deep oval so that the tip of the straight line is on the 10” circular drawn line and the oval portion is facing the center of the quilt sandwich.
5. Stitch from the 10” line around the half-oval to the 10” line. Eggs are formed.
6. Using the Multiarc 3, 3” deep oval, place the template so that the foot will sit between line 2 and 3, (5 and 6, 8 and 9, 11 and 12) as shown on the video. The deep oval should be facing the center of the quilt sandwich. Stitch from line 2 to line 3.
7. Using the straight side of the 12” arc, stitch a line diagonally from the tip of the half oval to the opposite side of the oval. As shown in video
8. Travel to the tip of the oval on the side you stitched to. Using the straight side of the 12” arc, stitch a line diagonally from the tip of the half oval to the first diagonal line.
9. Stitch diagonally toward the outside of the quilt sandwich. Stop when you reach the top of the half-oval and the center point of the half-oval.

10. Stitch back down diagonally until you reach the opposite diagonal line. Repeat between the lines as directed in step 6. You will have four tulip shapes.
11. I used the back to back template to stitch “stems” from tulip to tulip.

Now that all your shapes have been made it is time to templee the shapes and/or add decorative stitching or free motion.

Enjoy your Easter table topper.