

COLLECTIONS

BOM for March

- A Background square – solid or textured light yellow
- cut at 13 1/2” because the satin stitching sometimes causes it to shrink a little. It will be trimmed to 12 1/2” later.
- B For the ball or globe pattern piece, use a fabric that indicates something that you might collect – (fish, insects, food, stars, dolls etc.) Use your imagination.
1. Trace the 3 pattern pieces on paper backed fusible web – such as “Wonder Under” or Steam –a –seam 2
 - Be sure to trace on the smooth paper side – not the fusible side of the paper.
 2. Cut out the paper pattern pieces leaving a margin of 1/8” to 1/4” on all edges.
 3. Fuse the pattern pieces to the **WRONG SIDE** of your fabric, then cut on the drawn lines.
 - This assures that the edges are completely fused.
 4. Position the pieces on your background fabric centering on the 13 1/2” square of background fabric and fuse in place.
 5. Using a satin stitch or zig zag stitch on your machine, stitch around all raw edges.
 - It is helpful to back the fused design with paper, such as adding machine tape, when using a satin stitch to give stability and a smooth stitch.