Claudia's Coaster Collection

In the Hoop
Thanksgiving Coasters

These coasters are completely embroidered and finished in the hoop!
Stitch field required 5" x 5"
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Thanksgiving Coasters

Supply List

These 8 Thanksgiving coasters are completely embroidered and finished in the hoop!

Fabric Supply List:

1/3 yard	Cream or Beige tone on tone starched Background Fabric (cut into 6"x6" squares)
1/3 yard	Holiday Fabric for the backing (cut into 6"x6" squares)
½ yard	Fusible Fleece

Embroidery Supply List:
Minimum Stitch Field Required 5" x 5"
Aqua Mesh Stabilizer (water soluble mesh) or Aqua Mesh Plus (water soluble & sticky backed)
Basic embroidery kit including small doubled curved scissors & pointy tweezers
Embroidery Needles 80/12
Applique scissors

Threads: (Isacord Thread Colors Listed)
0015 White
0824 Liberty Gold (medium gold)
1344 Coffee Bean (brown with red cast)
5933 Grasshopper (medium green)
1911 Foliage Rose (deep red)
1304 Red Pepper (orange with red cast)
1703 Poppy (red with orange cast)
2910 Grape purple (medium purple)
1154 Penny (copper brown with red cast)
1366 Mahogany (dark brown could use Black)

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FABRIC PREPARATION

Wash the fabric to remove extra dye.
Background Fabric: (Top side of Coaster)
> Starch the fabric.
> Cut the prepared **Background Fabric** into 6" x 6" squares (one for each coaster)

Fusible Fleece:
> Print the circle shape from the **Image Folder** on cardstock or heavier paper. Use this as your template. Place the paper template on several layers of the fleece and cut the circle shape out. The template is slightly smaller than the actual size needed. Make 4 circle shapes for each coaster: 2 circles for the top and 2 circles for the bottom.

Backing Fabric:
Cut the prepared **Backing Fabric** into 6" x 6" squares (one for each coaster)

Embroidery Instructions: (Background Fabric)
- Sew Color #1 the Placement Line on the Aqua Mesh Stabilizer (no fabric in the hoop just the stabilizer).
- Center two cut circle shapes of **Fusible Fleece** over the circle shaped placement line.
- On wrong side of the **Background Fabric** spay a dot of adhesive spray in each corner.
- Flip the **Background Fabric** right side up and center it over the circle fleece shapes.
- Carefully hold the fabric in place while you embroider the tackdown stitch so the fabric doesn't shift.
- Embroider the top of the coaster following the instructions.

Embroidery Instructions: (Backing Fabric)
- Remove the hoop from the module and flip to the wrong side
- Center two cut circles over the outline of the coaster design
- On wrong side of the **Backing Fabric** spay a dot of adhesive spray in each corner
- Cover the fleece circles with the **Backing Fabric** right side up.
- Re-attach the hoop to the module and continue following the embroidery instructions.

Note:
1. Use as many or as few layers of the Fusible Fleece to get the thickness you desire.
2. Cutting the fleece first will make trimming the fabric much easier.
3. I do not have you "pre-cut" the circle shape because of the amount of embroidery on the top of each coaster will likely pull the fabric to the center causing the satin cover stitch to "miss the edge of the Background Fabric.
4. I use Fusible Fleece because of the texture and thickness of the product and it is easy to cut. You may choose to use what you like!

FINISHING TOUCHES

When the embroidery is complete:
Remove the aqua mesh stabilizer from the hoop and trim away the excess aqua mesh stabilizer staying ¼" away from the satin stitches. Fill a sink half full of water and soak the coasters for 5-10 minutes to remove the aqua mesh inside the coaster. I like to gently rub the back of the coaster to help make the aqua mesh dissolve. Rinse & drain the water and squeeze out the coasters. Lay flat on a counter (ha! they will curl up). Let them dry. Whey dry, trim any wild threads you may have missed. Be careful not to cut the satin stitches. Place each coaster upside down on the ironing board and cover with a pressing cloth. Press flat as a pancake with a **hot steam** iron.

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(Before beginning embroidery please check my website for updates: claudiascreationsaz.com)

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module. Open the **Thanksgiving** Coasters folder
Select the folder with the format your machine reads.

Full of Nuts

Open #1 Full of Nuts!
Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                The color on the screen is black but you will be using Liberty gold.
Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown, Decorative Border and body of the Acorns:
                Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                tackdown then the decorative border and the acorns.**DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle
                shape it may pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Coffee Bean # _____
Color #3   Embroider the tops of the acorns.
Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #4   Embroider the words.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #5   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design.

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #6   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line. Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #7   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

Refer to **Finishing Touches** on page #3.

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Gratitude

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#2 Gratitude**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                  Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                  Color on the screen is black you will be using Grasshopper Green.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown and Decorative Border:
                  Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will sew the double run tackdown and
                  the decorative pattern run border. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle shape It may pull
                  away from the edge and the satin cover stitch will not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Penny # _____
Color #3   Embroider the stem.
Thread Color Foliage Rose # _____
Color #4   Embroider the top of the leaf.
Thread Color Poppy # _____
Color #5   Embroider the bottom left part of the leaf.
Thread Color Red Pepper # _____
Color #6   Embroider the bottom right part of the leaf.
Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #7   Embroider the words.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the words & outline of the design.

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #9   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                  Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                  the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.** Do not
                  leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line. Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color 10   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

Refer to **Finishing Touches** on page #3.

Humble Pie

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#3 Humble Pie**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                 Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                 The color on the screen is black, you will be using Grasshopper Green.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown and Decorative Border:
                 Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                 tackdown then the decorative border. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle shape it may
                 pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Red Pepper (reddish orange) # _____
Color #3   Embroider the pumpkin pie filling and the words.
Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #4   Embroider the top & bottom of the pie crust.
Thread Color Penny # _____
Color #5   Embroider the top curly edge of the pie crust.
Thread Color White# _____
Color #6   Embroider the whipped cream.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #7   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                 Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                 the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                 leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
                 Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #9   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

Refer to **Finishing Touches** on page #3.

Pumpkin Spice

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#4 Pumpkin Spice**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
               Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
               The color on the screen is black you will be using Grasshopper Green!!

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown, Decorative Border and leaves.
               Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will sew the double run tackdown then
               the decorative border and leaves. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle shape it may pull
               away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Red Pepper (orange with a red cast) # _____
Color #3   Embroider the pumpkin and the words.
Thread Color Coffee Bean # _____
Color #4   Embroider the stems.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #5   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #6   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
               Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
               the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.** Do not
               leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
               Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #7   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

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Wagon

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#5 Wagon**

Thread Color Red Pepper (orange with red cast) # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                  Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                  The color on the screen is black but you will be using Red Pepper.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Red Pepper # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown, Decorative Border and pumpkin:
                  Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                  tackdown then the decorative border and pumpkin. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle
                  shape it may pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #3   Embroider the wagon.
Thread Color Coffee Bean # _____
Color #4   Embroider the stems.
Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #5   Embroider the words.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #6   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #7   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                  Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                  the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                  leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
                  Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

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Turkey Day

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#6 Turkey Day**

Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                  Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                  The color on the screen is black but you will be using Grape.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background
Fabric right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown, Decorative Border and feathers:
                  Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                  tackdown then the decorative border and feathers. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle
                  shape it may pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Red Pepper # _____
Color #3   Embroider the feathers.
Thread Color Coffee Bean # _____
Color #4   Embroider the feathers.
Thread Color Penny # _____
Color #5   Embroider the feathers.
Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #6   Embroider the head & feet.
Thread Color Poppy # _____
Color #7   Embroider the gobble.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the words & outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #9   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                  Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                  the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                  leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
                  Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #10   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

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Hfarvest Time

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#7 Harvest Time**

Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                 Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                 The color on the screen is black but you will be using Grape.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown & the Decorative Border:
                 Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                 tackdown then the decorative border. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle shape it may
                 pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Red Pepper # _____
Color #3   Embroider the pants & words.
Thread Color Coffee Bean # _____
Color #4   Embroider the hat & post.
Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #5   Embroider the shirt and grass.
Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #6   Embroider the straw.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #7   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                 Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                 the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                 leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
                 Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #9   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

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Thankful

Follow the **Fabric Preparation & Embroidery Instructions for All Coasters on page #3.**
Hoop one piece of Aqua Mesh stabilizer. (No fabric just the Aqua Mesh)
Attach the hoop to the module.

Open **#8 Thankful**

Thread Color Poppy # _____
Color #1   Placement Line:
                Embroider the placement line on the Aqua Mesh.
                The color on the screen is black but you will be using Poppy.

Center two fleece circles over the placement line. Cover with the Background Fabric
right side up. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.**

Thread Color Poppy # _____
Color #2   Double Run Tackdown, Decorative Border and veggies:
                Embroider Color #2 making sure the fabric lays flat and smooth. It will embroider the double run
                tackdown then the decorative border and veggies. **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC!!** If you cut the circle
                shape it may pull away from the edge and the satin cover stitch may not catch the fabric.

Thread Color Penny # _____
Color #3   Embroider the turkey.
Thread Color Red Pepper # _____
Color #4   Embroider the carrots.
Thread Color Grasshopper Green # _____
Color #5   Embroider the leaves.
Thread Color Liberty Gold # _____
Color #6   Embroider the drumsticks.
Thread Color Grape # _____
Color #7   Embroider the serving platter.
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #8   Change the bobbin thread color to Mahogany. Embroider the outline of the design

Remove the hoop and flip wrong side up. Center two fleece circles over the outline of the coaster. Cover with the
Background Fabric (right side up). **DO NOT TRIM THE FABRIC IN A CIRCLE SHAPE.** Re-attach the hoop.

Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #9   Embroider the Double Run Tackdown.
                Remove the hoop from the module (not the fabric from the hoop) and turn the hoop upside down and trim
                the excess fabric **right up to the stitch line on the back then turn over and trim the front.**   Do not
                leave any extra fabric showing outside the stitch line.
                Return the hoop to the module
Thread Color Mahogany (or Black) # _____
Color #10   Embroider the cover stitch around the coaster.

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