

***LL233 – Retro Christmas Bulb
“Ginger Bread Man”***

Stitch Guide by Mark Young

Thread List

Madeira Cotton Floss

1205 – Dark Green
2213 – Golden Brown

Petite Silk Lame’ Braid

SP42 - Mint

Fyre Works Soft Sheen

FT56 – Vintage Gold
FT59 – Tawny Gold

Kreinik

#8 Braid 005 - Black
#12 Braid 022 – Brown
#16 Braid 9032 – Easter Grass
1/8” Ribbon 9032 – Easter Grass
Blending Filament 9032 – Easter Grass

Sundance Beads

Size 14 Color 327N - Maze
Size 14 Color 470 – Light Gold
Gold Beading Thread

DMC Memory Thread

6040 - Red



Screw Cap

Stitches:

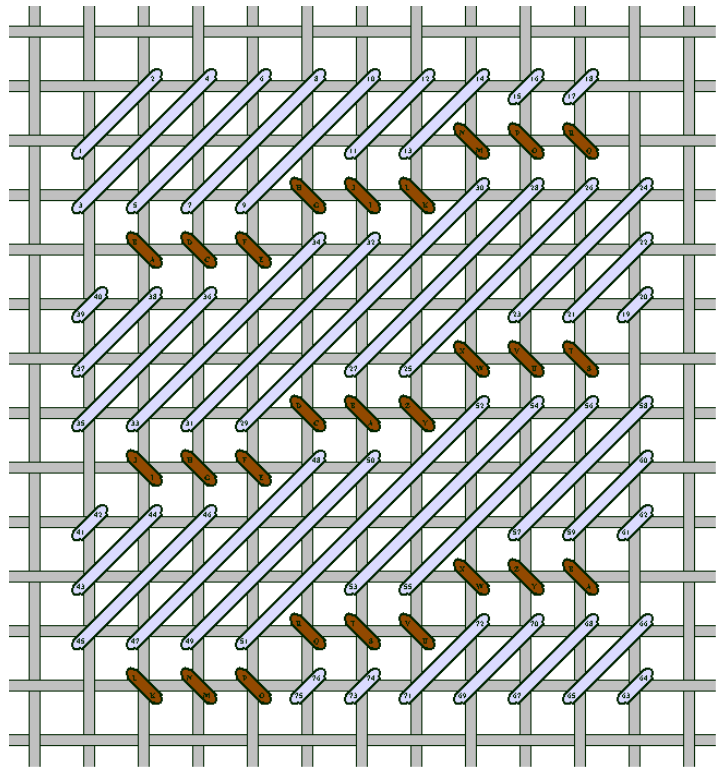
Basketweave
Slanted Satin Stitch
Continental

Using Kreinik #8 Braid 005, stitch the black bump at the top of the screw cap in Basketweave.

Using Fyre Works Soft Sheen FT56 Vintage Gold, stitch the four wide bands in Slanted Satin Stitch as diagrammed.

Using Fyre Works Soft Sheen FT59 Tawny Gold, stitch the three thin bands in reverse slant Continental as diagrammed.

Using a white silk or cotton floss, fill in the open stitch at the ends of each of the three thin bands.



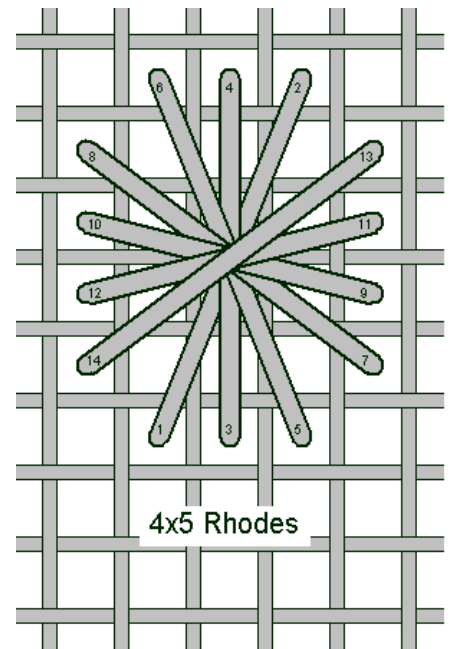
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Stitches:

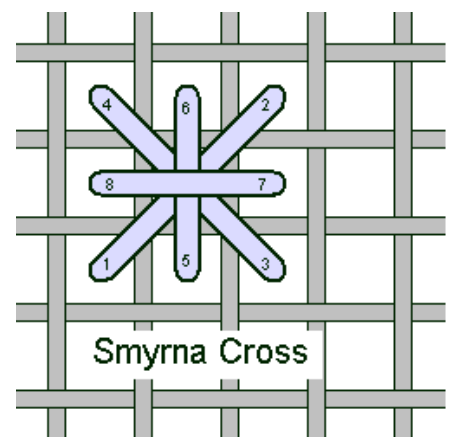
Rhodes
Smyrna Cross
Couching

Using one strand of Kreinik #12 Braid 022 Brown, stitch the eyes in 4x5 Rhodes and the mouth in Smyrna Crosses.

Cut a 4-5" length of DMC Memory Thread 6040 Red. Leaving a 1" tail, form a flat coil large enough to cover the red nose. Using a large needle, laying tool or other pointed object, widen a canvas hole in the center of the red nose and sink the tail of the memory thread. Adjust the coil for proper coverage and determine the location of the canvas hole to widen and sink the end of the memory thread. Using a single ply of red floss, couch the memory thread coil in several places to secure. On the back of the canvas, bend the tail and end of the memory thread flush against the canvas, securing them with a running whip stitch.



4x5 Rhodes



Smyrna Cross

Shirt and Pants

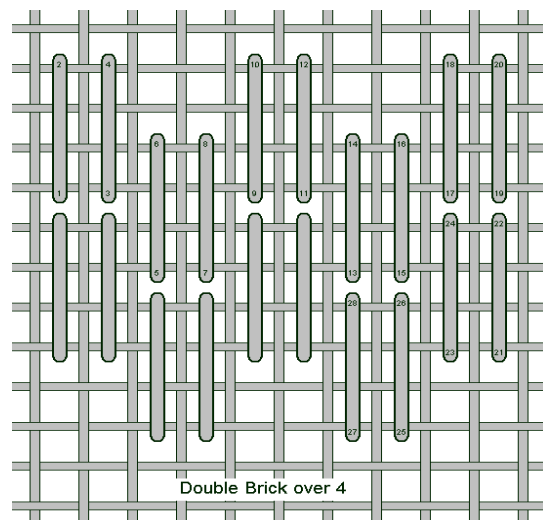
Stitches:

Double Vertical Brick over 4
Hungarian Stripe Variation

Using four strands of Madeira Cotton Floss 1205 Dark Green, stitch the pants in Double Vertical Brick over 4. Stitch over the icing outline.

Using one strand of Petite Silk Lame' SP42 Mint, stitch the shirt in Hungarian Stripe Variation. Stitch over the icing outline and silver buttons.

Using one ply of the silk stripped from the Petite Silk Lame' Braid SP42 Mint, stitch on Sundance #14 Color 470 Light Gold beads for the buttons.



Body and Icing

Stitches:

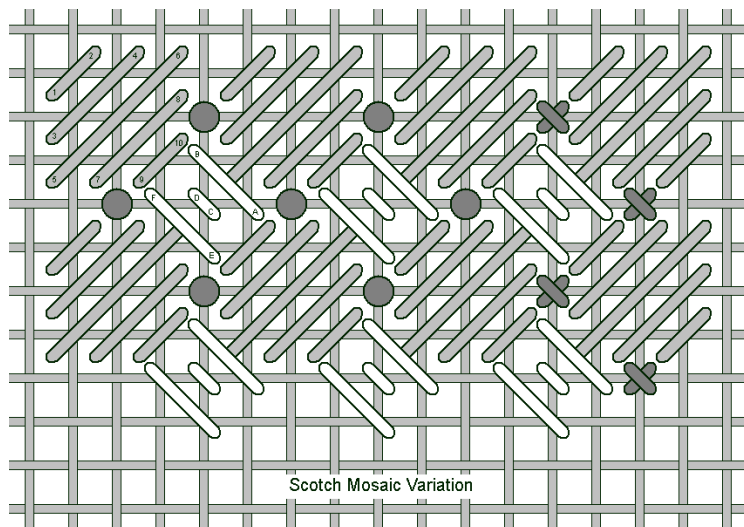
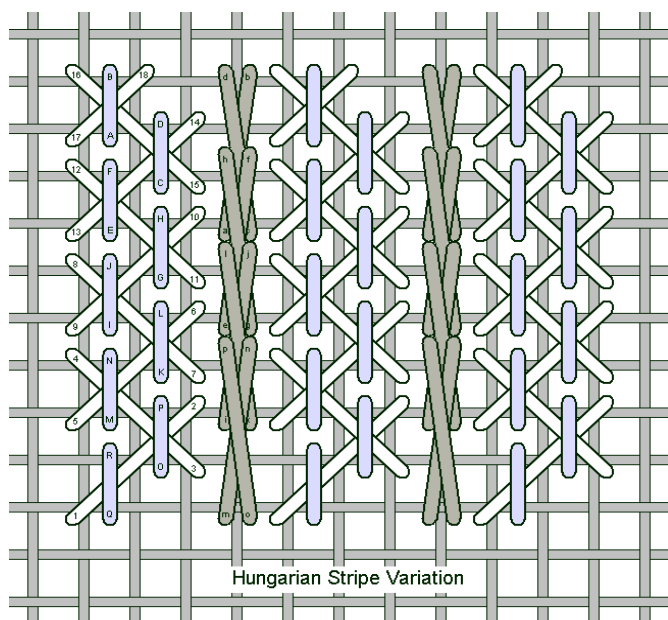
Scotch Mosaic Variation
Couching
Slanted Satin Stitch
Cross Stitch
Beading

Using three strands of Madeira Cotton Floss 2213 Golden Brown, stitch the body in Scotch Mosaic Variation. The open intersections will be filled later. Stitch over the icing outline.

Using one strand of Kreinik Blending Filament 9032 Easter Grass, couch one strand of Kreinik #16 Braid 9032 Easter Grass over the icing outlines.

Fill the open intersections of the Scotch Mosaic Variation stitch (body) inside the icing outline with Sundance #14 Color 327N Maze beads using gold beading thread.

Fill the open intersections outside the icing outline with 1x1 Cross Stitches using 2 strands of Madeira Cotton Floss 2213 Golden Brown.



Using one strand of Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon 9032
Easter Grass, stitch the icing collar in Slanted Satin
Stitch.

