

**Sewing tips/suggestions for creating the Birds-and-Lace-DS-NLS designs.**



Since all Free Standing Lace is pretty stitch intensive, it is recommended that designs be stitched on a double layer of water soluble stabilizer.

After the designs have been immersed in water to remove the stabilizer blot them with paper towels and then place them between clean, white fabric. They should be placed under a book or something with weight to make sure the designs dry flat-otherwise they will curl.

Ribbon can be used to create hangers. These designs can be hung “anywhere”, placed in a card, used to decorate a tree, used as bookmarks, etc. The only limitation is your own creativity.

***Sew and enjoy.***

