

Linda Mae's Feathered Heart #2

This feathered heart template is different from the first feathered heart template in that it has a curved "tail" that helps to fill those bottom triangles created when you stitch a heart in a square block. Makes a fuller block without so much negative space.

Mark your block with vertical and horizontal center lines. The lines on the template below will use that crossed line for centering.

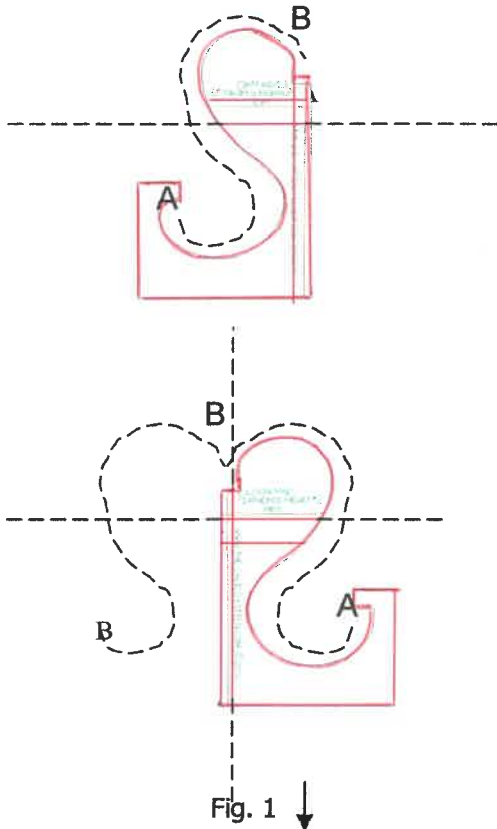
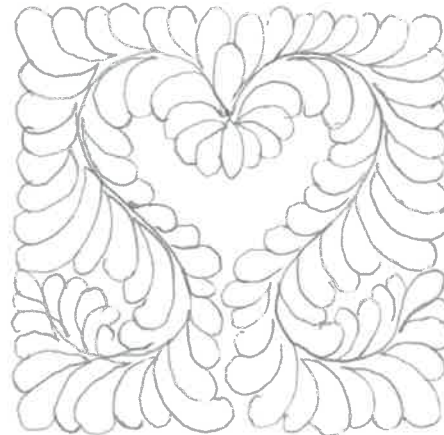


Fig. 1 ↓

Fig. 2 ↓



Feathered Heart No. 2 Template—Medium 8"

Place template on the crossed lines as at left. Stitch from A to B.

Stop with needle down in the quilt and flip the template horizontally as below.

[You will notice that there are 2 horizontal lines on the heart template. Use the top line for stitching the heart with no feathers under the tail (fig. 1). Use the lower dashed line for stitching the heart with feathers above and below the tail. (Fig. 2).]

Continue stitching the spine from B back to A. Since you start feathering at B, double stitch back along the template to point "B". (You can double stitch perfectly when using a template to stitch against.)