

LINDA MAE'S LEAF TEMPLATES

Thank you for purchasing Linda Mae's Leaf template/set. With this template you can create the illusion of leaves blowing in the wind as an overall design on your quilt. OR – you can quilt leaves end to end or staggered as a border treatment.

To use the template, place the split in the template over the needle above the foot of your machine. Slide the template down onto the quilt with the foot inside of the cut-out area (the leaf).

Stitch around the leaf shape starting and ending at the bottom of the leaf shape. Move the template to the next area where you want to place a leaf and stitch another one. Continue until you have leaves stitched over the area of the quilt exposed between your rollers.

Remove the template from the foot. Now go in and stitch swirls and curls up to each leaf, going inside the leaf and stitch the veins, back stitching over the center vein back to the bottom continuing onto the next leaf. Repeat this procedure filling the spaces between leaves until the entire area is quilted.

If you wish, you can trace around the inside of the template with plain old chalk board chalk. Then you can stitch the entire area continuous line, leaves, veins and swirls and curls.

When you are finished, the area will look like the photo below.

ENJOY YOUR NEW LEAF TEMPLATE/SET!!

