

Highlights

Supplies for Holiday Napkin Rings:

Each napkin ring requires:

- 1 - 12inch pipe cleaner
- 3 yards wired ribbon 1 1/2" wide
- 1 9x11 green felt rectangle
- Spangle or other decorative yarn
- 1 wide covered ponytail holder

Equipment:

- Sewing Machine
- Cording foot



Setting for spangle yarn with use of cording foot:

Stitch setting for cording approximately, test on your brand of machine: zigzag width 1.5mm with length at 3.0mm

Flower Highlights:

- Gather the ribbon by pulling on the wire gently on one side.
- Once gathered begin to roll the ribbon up (you can tuck the starting end into an accordion pleat to hide the beginning raw edge).
- As you roll, stitch through all the layers. (This keeps the center in it's proper place). When it gets too dense to push that needle through the center then you may start stitching each new row to the previous row. (At this point the center base is very stable so it doesn't matter).

Leaf Highlights:

- From felt, cut out 3 pairs of leaf shapes, the example uses leaves that are 3 1/2" in length by 1 1/2" in width.
- With 2 layers together, leave one end open and add cording around the leaf edge and our sample uses two rows of spangle yarn.
- Fold a pipe cleaner in half, insert into leaf, stitch the vein of the leaf securing the pipe cleaner into position. Leave the remaining pipe cleaner tails, you will need them later.
- Repeat the process with the other 2 pairs of leaves.
- Take the three leaves and twist the tails together to join the leaves.
- Wrap the excess tails into a circular base.
- Attach pony tail holder (cut to needed size) to form napkin ring.

Glue or preferably stitch completed flower to leaves.

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