

Ananda's Divine Designs – Asian Sunset Free Sample

This free design is an excerpt from the [Asian Sunset](#) coming shortly from [Ananda's Divine Designs](#). As you can see it is part of the 2nd panel and is perfect way to make a mini appliscape square. If you have never tried appliscapes, this free sample shows you how easy it is.

The [Asian Sunset](#) is made up of 7 panels. Each panel is made of three 5x7 inch designs that are stitched together to make a completed panel, measuring 7 x 13 inch in size. This panel can then be used for an individual project, or joined with the rest of the Asian Sunset panels, to make a completed wallhanging measuring 49 x 13 inch in size. You can choose to make a smaller scape using only a few of the panels (as long as they are consecutive panels that join together) Each panel can be purchased individually, or all together for a [special price](#) with great savings!



They use exclusive artwork from Lourdes S McClure from Florida as shown here.

Sewing the Designs

These designs are all made using the applique embroidery method. Following is a step by step guide for doing the applique .

Appliqué Steps

1. Hoop your stabilizer as the base to start each design.
2. Follow the guideline for fabric and thread colors for each design square.
3. Sew the Applique Fabric outline when applicable. This will show you where to place your fabric.
4. Remove hoop from machine and cut fabric slightly larger then the Applique Fabric outline. Spray back of fabric lightly with spray glue, or iron on wonder under. Place fabric with adhesive over Applique Material outline but don't iron down yet. Place hoop back on machine.
5. Sew Applique Position outline and then remove hoop again.
6. Carefully trim the material away from around the outline using fine scissors. Trim as close to the outline as you can but careful not to cut the stitching. (see notes below about only trimming some fabric) Place hoop back on machine.
7. Continue to embroider the design with the thread colors as specified.

Color Chart for Asian Sunset Free Sample



1. Appliqué Material (outline for square, use to stabilize fabric, or put basic layer of white fabric, or extra layer of stabilizer for stability- I didn't use anything)
2. Appliqué Position (trim fabric if you used it)
3. Appliqué Material (marbled orange fabric for sky)
4. Appliqué Position (trim fabric)
5. Appliqué Material (dark brown fabric with gold flecks for hill 1)
6. Appliqué Position (trim fabric)
7. Appliqué Material (light golden brown fabric with gold flecks for hill 2)
8. Appliqué Position (trim fabric)
9. Appliqué Material (olive green fabric for bushes)
10. Appliqué Position (trim fabric)
11. Orange or bright variegated thread for sky
12. Dark Brown
13. Light Brown
14. Olive Green
15. White
16. Black
17. White
18. Black (final satin stitch outline around design)

Remove design from hoop. Trim excess stabilizer away carefully. This appliscape square can then be easily mounted onto a variety of projects like little bags, picture frames etc. Cover the satin stitch edge with gold asian braids.

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Many thanks

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