A Witch's Homestead Door Hanger

Finished size: 17" x 30"

Please read all instructions prior to starting. All seams are ¼" unless stated otherwise.

LOF – Length of Fabric WOF – Width of Fabric

Supplies Required

.40m	Moda Grunge	Item # 530150-278	Grey	Background
.10m	Moda Grunge	Item # 530150-422	Yam	Pumpkins
.10m	Moda Grunge	Item # 530150-421	Butterscotch	Pumpkins
.10m	Bella Solid	Item # 1000-99	Black	Rug
.15m	Bella Solid	Item # 1000-239	Pewter	Hat rack
1-FQ	Wool	Item #F5000W	Black	Witch Hats, spider, broom

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1-FQ Wool Item #F5020W Goldstar Broom

1-FQ Wool Item #F5019W Mustard Plaid Broom Handle

3" x 3" Batik scrap Pink Small Hat band

5" x 5" Batik scrap

Blue
Large Hat band
5" x 5" Batik scrap
Green
Pumpkin Stems

.50m Backing

2.5m Moda Marble Bias Binding Item # AQB24124 Jet Black

3 spools 100% Seta Bozzolo Silk Thread Item #C624240-429 Black Spider Web

1m Steam-a-Seam Lite™ Schmetz™ topstitch needle 90/14

Hand Embroidery Needle

Black thread 50 wt.

Cutting Instructions

Grey Grunge Cut 1 18" x 32" rectangle Background
Grey Bella Solid Cut 1 5" x 12" rectangle Hat rack
Mustard Plaid Wool Cut 1 3-3/4" x 19" rectangle Broom Handles

Trace the appliques on to the steam-a-seam[™].

- Roughly cut out the shape leaving a ¼' around the outside of the traced lines. Before pressing it to the back of the fabric remove the centre of the shapes out using the donut hole method as shown by cutting out ¼" away from the inside of the drawn lines. Do this for the *pumpkins*, *hats*, *broom*, *rug* and *hat* rack. Press the appliques cut-outs to the corresponding fabrics then cut out shapes on the drawn lines.
- Broom Handles press the 3-3/4" x 19" mustard plaid rectangle to a 3-3/4" x 19" piece of steam-a-seam. Cut (3) 11/4" x 19" strips.
- Pumpkin stems, spider and broom ribbon, trace and press
 To the steam-a-seam and cut out. (to small to do the donut hole technique)

Prepare the background for quilting

Fold the background fabric in half lengthwise matching edges. Press and unfold. To make the panel look, draw on the pressed fold line and then 2½" from either side of the pressed fold across the fabric lengthwise. Sandwich and stitch down each line with a 2.5 stitch width and black thread as shown.

Trim background to measure 17½" x 31"



Quilt Layout.

Place your appliques as shown but do not press into place.

Spider Web

Place a ruler from the top of the broom handles down to the pumpkin and draw a line with an iron off marker. Draw the remaining lines on an angle from the spider.

Freehand draw the curved lines of the web.

Once completed, remove the appliques and Stitch the spider web by machine using the 100% Silk thread.

(Note: it's easier to use a free motion foot for the curved lines)

Prepare Appliques

Broom Handles

Trim 2 of the broom handles to measure 16 1/2" and 18". With a small sharp pair of scissors trim the strips here and there to create a worn look on both sides of each strip as shown and round off one end (as shown on the top of broom handle)

Pumpkins

Draw with an iron-off marking pen the lines of the pumpkins.

Broom

With an iron-off mark, draw lines to mark the broom. Stitch on the lines with the 100" Silk thread to mark the shape of the brooms.

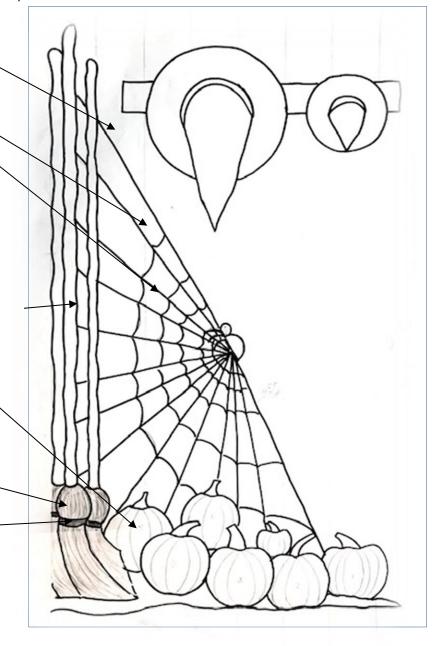
Remove the release paper from the back of thebroom ribbon and iron it into place and stitch it into place.

Hat & Hat Bands press the hat top to the hat brim, press the hat bands onto the hat top and stitch into place.

Applique placement and stitch order

- <u>Press the spider</u> in the centre of the web and hand embroider on his legs with a back stitch using the 100% silk thread and embroidery needle. Sew down the spider by machine with a straight stitch using 50wt thread and a topstitch needle.
- Rug Place the rug down first, press and stitch into place.
- <u>Place pumpkins</u> and stems into place and press. Free motion stitch the stems into place and the drawn lines on the pumpkin.
- <u>Broom and handles</u> place the broom handles as shown in layout and stitch down. Next, place the broom on the end of the broom and free motion stitch with a straight stitch and black thread the broom to give the look of bristles.
- Hat Rack press the hat rack into place and stitch a ¼" seam around the inside edge as shown





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• Witch hats – press and stitch down the hats with a blanket stitch.

Square up the quilt to measure 17" x 30" and sew on binding.

Add a sleeve and label and your done!



Applique templates (all templates are in reverse)

Trace 1 of each template onto Steam-a-Seam™, roughly cut them out then use the donut hole technique to cut out the centres. Place onto the corresponding fabrics and press, let cool and cut

out on the drawn line.

