



Basil

Instructions:

Cloth: 14 count white Aida Cloth
Grid Size: 95 x 78 stitches
Design Area: 6.79" x 5.57"
Floss: DMC – Use 2 strands for all full stitches and 1 strand for all back-stitches.

Legend:

- ◆ 598 Turquoise - Lt
- 747 Sky Blue – Vt Lt
- ▲ 905 Parrot Green - Dk
- ▲ 937 Avocado Green - Med
- ⊕ 964 Sea green - Lt
- 3051 Green Gray - Dk
- 3347 Yellow Green – Med

Back-stitches:

- 598 Turquoise (Lt) – This is shown as a dotted line around the ribbon. This is to be stitched as standard back-stitch – no gaps.
- 905 Parrot Green (Dk) – These are depicted as ‘tracks’ at the end of the stems, but they are to be stitched as solid straight lines.
- 3051 Green Gray (Dk) – This color outlines the leaves and stems and is depicted as a solid line. These are to be stitched as shown.
- 904 Parrot Green (Lt) – These are shown as dashed lines in the center of the leaves (veins). These are to be stitched as straight lines.

Photocopy the pattern and enlarge at least 200% for better legibility. Begin at the center and work darker colors first. Once all full cross-stitches have been completed, then the backstitched can be added on top of the full x-stitches. Block to frame, or stuff to create door pillow. Add tassels or fringe as desired.