

Decorate a hessian bookmark with the sign of the cross. The cross is one of the most important symbols of the Christian faith

You will need:

Hessian

Scissors

Needle

Coloured embroidery thread

Pencil

Graph paper

What to do:

- 1. Cut a bookmark shape from hessian.
- 2. On graph paper, work out a design using some of stiches shown here, or ones you make up yourself.
- 3. Thread the needle and work the design on hessian. Leave a long tail of thread when you start to sew and end with a long tail. When completed weave these tails into the back of the stiches on the wrong side of the bookmark.

