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## French Garden Trivet ~ 9 1/4" x 9 1/4"

### Locker Hooking Craft Recipe with Ceramic Tile

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#### Ingredients:

- \*36 - 40 yds 1/2" w Color Crazy Hand-Dyed Fabric Strips in Midnight
  - \*36 yds 1/2" w Color Crazy Fabric Strips in Avocado or similar green
  - \*6 yds 1/2" w Color Crazy Rayon Ribbon for framing in Shimmering Olive or Hand-Dyed Cotton Strips in Avocado
  - Locking medium: matching medium weight sturdy yarn to match, or black yarn
  - 4" x 4" French Garden ceramic tile or your own choice in tile design
  - Quick Grip Fast Drying, Permanent Adhesive
  - 5-mesh Canvas: 52 x 52 squares
  - Locker hook and #13 tapestry needle
  - scissors
  - Fabric or felt for backing (optional)
- \*yardage is approximate and may vary depending on loop length

#### Instructions:

1. Fold over cut canvas by creasing gray row according to pattern. Thread color cotton strip or rayon ribbon through tapestry needle and whipstitch edges to frame. Cover corners with a couple of stitches ea. Optional: mark center area where tile will go with permanent marker.
2. Locker hook in Spiral Technique starting at outer row in same square where whip stitched to frame.
3. Locker hook according to pattern. Change colors as needed. Add locking medium as needed.
4. Pull up tails and sew in to finish locker hooking
5. Test tile in center to ensure good fit. Push loops back to create space if needed. Add bead of adhesive around tile and in center. Press into place. Let dry.
6. Optional/recommended: Option 1: Cut heavy fabric square to match, add 1/2" seam allowance. Press seam allowance under and adjust to ensure good fit. Machine stitch a top stitch 1/4" inside outer edge of square. Add bead of glue around underside edge of fabric square and in center. Press in place and let dry. Option 2: Cut a felt square to cover entire backing or just tile area. Add a bead of glue around inside edge and in center area. Let dry.



*New to locker hooking? Watch video tutorials at [colorcrazy.com](http://colorcrazy.com).*

*French Garden Trivet Pattern*

**Tips:**

- Framing corners: Use fingers to ensure good coverage. Whip stitch two or three stitches to cover well.
- Ceramic Tile pieces may vary slightly in size. A 4" x 4" tile should fit in a 20 x 20 square. Add an additional locker hooked row around tile if there is too much space left.
- Choose your own colors to match tile selection
- Arrange on protected area. Place heavy object on tile to hold in place while adhesive dries.

*Locker hook in Spiral starting at edge with  
Color Crazy Hand-Dyed Fabric Strips in  
Midnight Blue color or your choice*

*Fold by  
creasing grey row*

