

# Coloring Bookmarks Project

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## Materials needed:

Card stock – 2 pieces cut to 5X7”

Tear away stabilizer

5X7 hoop

Black thread

Pens or pens for coloring

Ribbon

Scissors

Temporary Spray adhesive

1. Hoop the stabilizer in the 5x7 hoop



2. Bring up the design on your machine
3. Thread your machine with black embroidery thread. You may match the bobbin if you like for a more finished look.
4. Using temporary spray adhesive like KK2000, lightly spray the cardstock on the back side
5. Place the cardstock (at least 80Lb) spray side down on the stabilizer. You can tape if you like, just be sure the tape is not in the design area.



6. Stitch Color 1- **Slow the machine down to 600**
7. When the machine stops, Remove the hoop from the machine, BUT DO NOT UNHOOP. Turn the hoop over gently, and place a second piece of cardstock RIGHT SIDE DOWN on the back side of the hoop. Line it up with the top piece. Spraying it with KK2000 again will help it to stay in place.

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8. Stitch color #2
9. When finished stitching, remove from hoop and using scissors, pinking shears or a rotary cutter with a decorative blade trim the bookmark to within  $\frac{1}{4}$ " of the outline stitching. You can trim it to less, just be careful to not cut the stitching.



10. Color in the design with Pencils, chalk or pens.



11. Punch a hole in the top and attach decorative string or ribbon.



ENJOY!