

# Pastel Easter Eggs

DESIGNED BY JANELLE GIESE

## Materials needed:

- Kreinik Pastel Sampler Metallic Gift Collection, a boxed set of Kreinik metallic threads
- cotton embroidery floss as listed in each instruction
- Zweigart 28-count Jobelan fabric in Honeysuckle Pink, Delicate Pink (which looks like a coral color), and Pewter—9" x 9" cut of each for design, 4" x 5" cut for backing fabric on each design
- For finishing: Stik N'Puffs 2-inch oval shapes and 9-inch length of purchased trim for each ornament

## General instructions:

Each square on the chart represents two fabric threads. Stitch the design in the center of your fabric according to the instructions next to each chart. Use one strand of metallic braid throughout.

For stitching tips or other assistance, email Kreinik at kreinik@kreinik.com or call 1-800-537-2166.

## Honeysuckle Pink Ornament

Frenchknotwith2strandsDMC3688, LazyDaisystitchwithonestrandDMC3364

LazyDaisywithFine(#8)Braid094, Smyrnacrosswith VeryFine(#4)Braid092

ChainstitchwithVeryFine(#4)Braid9194

FrenchknotswithVeryFine(#4)Braid191, Eyeletswith Fine(#8)Braid094

Lay 1/16" Ribbon 032 flat, then work crossstitches with one strand DMC 3688 and one strand DMC 3689

Cross stitch X with Very Fine (#4) Braid 9194, Satin stitch hearts with three strands DMC 3689, Backstitch around hearts with one strand #4 Braid 092

Lay 1/16" Ribbon 032 flat, then work crossstitches (♡) with one strand DMC 3688 and one strand DMC 3689, Cross stitch (ó) with two strands DMC 3689

ChainstitchwithVeryFine(#4)Braid191

Lazydaisystitcheachflowerinaalternatingcolors:one flowerwithVeryFine(#4)Braid092, oneflowerwithFine (#8)Braid9294, Lazydaisybeneatheachflowerwithone strandDMC3364, Frenchknotcenterswith#4Braid191

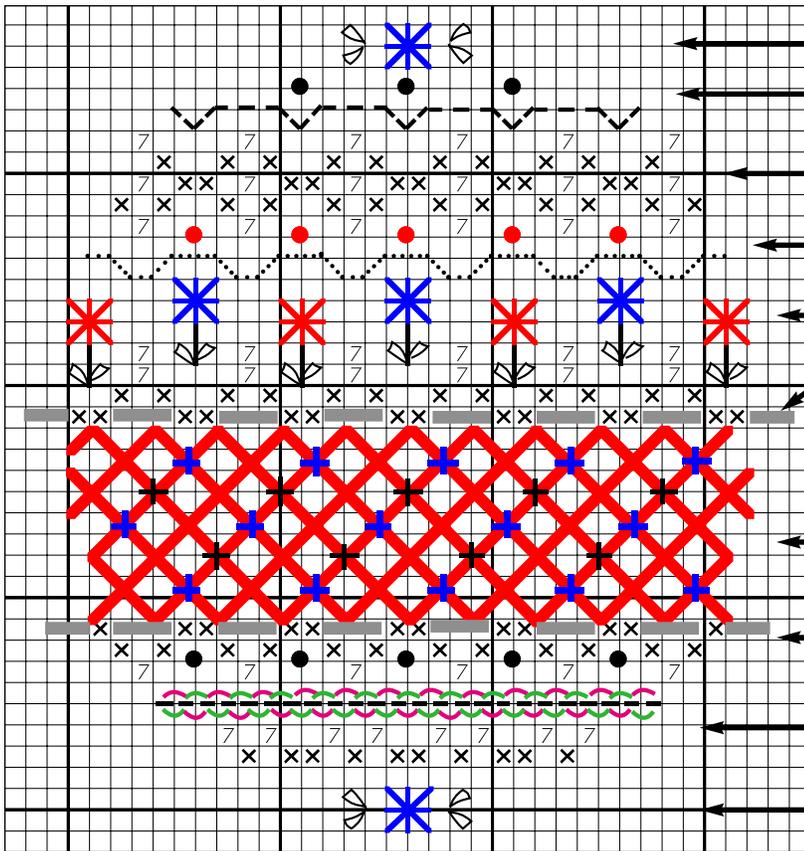
Backstitch with one strand DMC 3688, French knots with Fine (#8) Braid 094, Cross stitch with Very Fine (#4) Braid 9194

Frenchknotwith2strandsDMC3688, LazyDaisystitch withonestrandDMC3364

## Stitches

These designs use the following stitches: Cross stitch, Backstitch, Smyrna Cross Stitch, Chain Stitch, Lazy Daisy Stitch, Fly Stitch, Blanket Stitch, Straight stitch, French Knot, Couching, Satin stitch, Eyelets, Threaded Backstitch, Jacobean Couching. For stitch instruction we recommend the book *Donna Kooler's Encyclopedia of Needlework*, published by Leisure Arts with a retail price of \$24.95. This book contains terrific stitch diagrams. It's an invaluable reference that also explores needlework history, stitching tools, fabric, and threads.

## Delicate Pink/Coral Ornament



Lazy Daisy stitch with one strand DMC 3363, Smyrna Cross with Fine (#8) Braid 9294

French Knots with Fine (#8) Braid 9294, Chain stitch with Very Fine (#4) Braid 9194

Cross stitch X with one strand DMC 758 + one strand DMC 3778; 7 with two strands DMC 758

French knot with 1/16" Ribbon 032 (wrap once), Chain stitch with Very Fine Braid 9194

Red Smyrna Cross with Fine (#8) Braid 094, blue Smyrnas with #8 Braid 9294, Lazy Daisy petals and backstitch stem with 1 strand DMC 3363

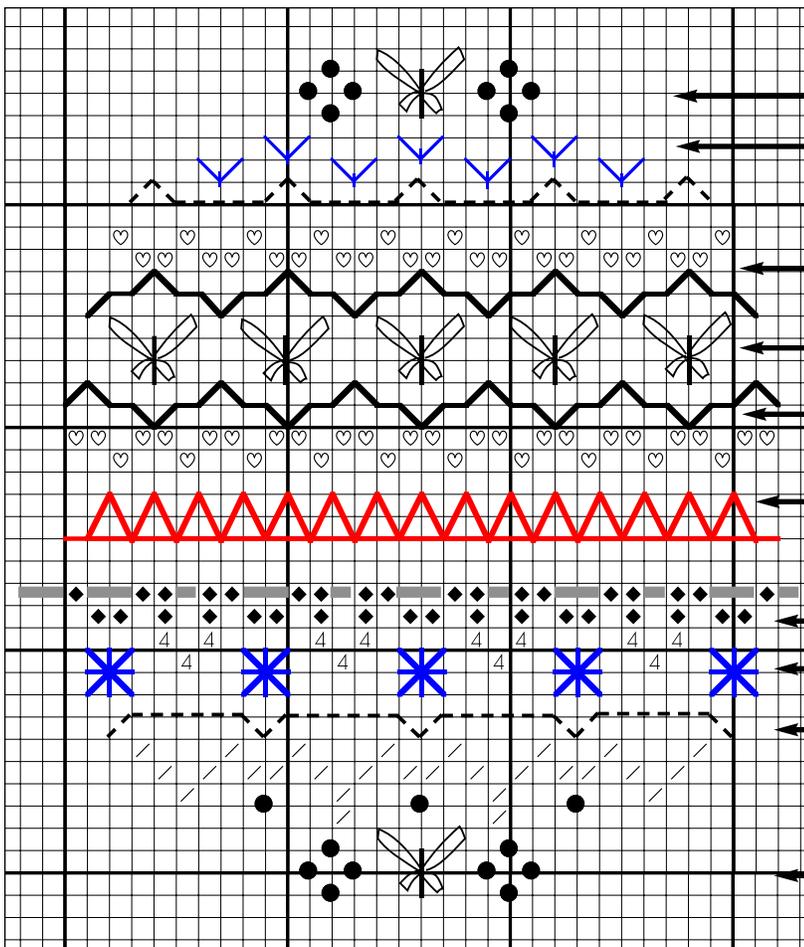
Lay 2 strands Very Fine (#4) Braid 9194, then cross stitch X over top with one strand each DMC 758 + 3778

Jacobean Couching: Lay 1/16" Ribbon from left to right, then work back. Then go over ribbon with #4 Braid 092 (it will lay on top of ribbon), To couch this combo, work blue upright cross stitch with #4 Braid 9194, work black upright cross with #4 Braid 191 same as above, French knots #8 Braid 9294, cross stitch 7 with 2 strands DMC 758

Threaded backstitch: foundation row #4 Braid 191, Lacing threads: #4 Braid 092 and 9194, cross stitch X with one strand DMC 758 + one strand DMC 3778; 7 with two strands DMC 758

Lazy Daisy stitch with one strand DMC 3363, Smyrna Cross with Fine (#8) Braid 9294

## Pewter Ornament



Lazy Daisy wings with #8 Braid 094, then straight stitch with 1 strand DMC 414, French knots #4 Braid 9194

Fly stitch with 2 strands #4 Braid 191, Chain stitch with #8 Braid 9294

♡ Cross stitch #4 Braid 092, Dark line is backstitch with one strand DMC 931

Lazy Daisy wings with #8 Braid 094, then straight stitch with 1 strand DMC 414

same as above

Blanket stitch with #4 Braid 9194

Lay silver Facets and couch by cross stitching ◆ with 2 strands DMC 932, then cross stitch 4 with 2 strands DMC 931

Smyrna stitch with Very Fine (#4) Braid 092

Chain stitch with #8 Braid 9294, cross stitch / with #4 Braid 191, French knot with #4 Braid 9194

Lazy Daisy wings with #8 Braid 094, then straight stitch with 1 strand DMC 414, French knots #4 Braid 9194