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## **MATERIALS NEEDED:**

Kreinik Heavy (#32) Braid in 008 Green Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon in 100 White and 005 Black **DMC** Embroidery floss in 809, 310 and 435 Quick-Count® 10-ct plastic canvas by Uniek Fabri-Tac<sup>TM</sup> Permanent Adhesive by Beacon<sup>TM</sup> scissors plastic canvas needle (No. 18) Backing material: fabric, perforated paper or card stock pinback

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Cut canvas according to graphs, and as follows: Base—18 x 18 holes Background—16 x 16 holes Fir Trees—13 x 13 holes Log Cabin—10 x 8 holes
- 2. Using three strands of color 809 Delft floss:

Work the background piece completely in cross stitches. Overcast the edges with Delft, using 2 stitches per hole. Work the log cabin in cross stitches in colors indicated. Add black back stitches for the door, windows and to define the front of cabin.

Matching colors, overcast edges, using 2 stitches/hole — black for roof, brown very light for chimney and cabin.

- 3. Work fir trees in Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon 100 White and Heavy (#32) Braid in 008 Green in continental stitches. Overcast edges of trees with white, using 1 stitch/hole.
- 4. Holding background piece like a diamond, tack fir trees to background, 3/8" from the top corner with white 1/8" Ribbon, over existing white continental stitches.
- 5. Place log cabin about 5/8" from bottom corner of background, over fir trees. Using 3 strands of very light brown DMC floss, tack log cabin to background along bottom edge and left side of cabin and right side of chimney (through fir trees).
- 6. Using 3 strands of delft DMC floss, whipstitch background to unstitched base, leaving one hole around all edges.
- 7. Overcast edges of base with Kreinik 1/8" Ribbon 005 Black using 1 stitch/hole.
- 8. Cut a 3" piece of white 1/8" Ribbon. Glue with Fabri-Tac<sup>TM</sup> to background, below log cabin, tacking at intervals while twirling/winding ribbon to make snowy drifts. Glue backing material to back of pin. Glue pinback to center of backing material.

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