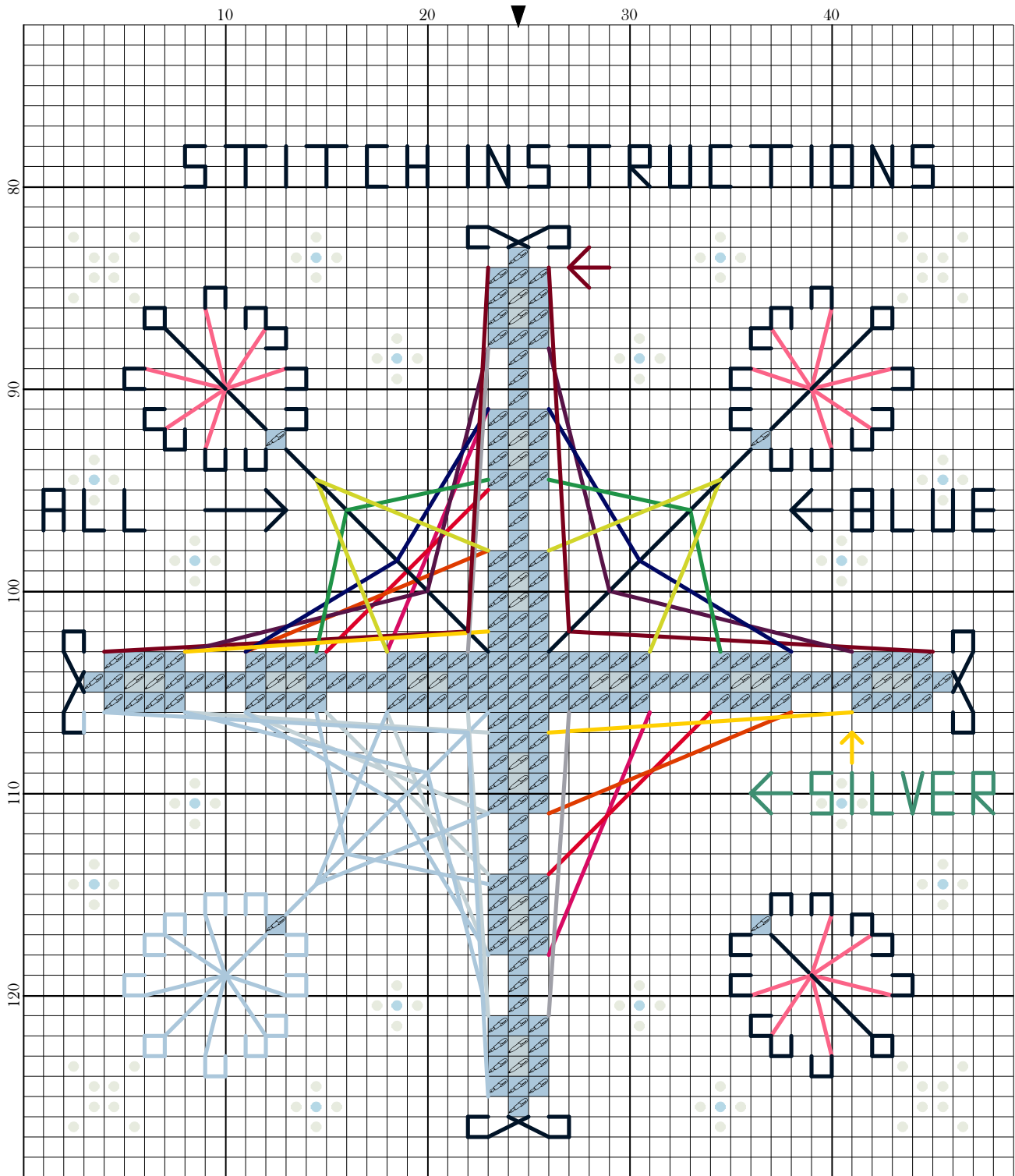


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Legend:

DMC-3325    
  KR4-001HL

Backstitches:

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Beads:

MHG-556    
  MHG-143

# Secret Santa 2017: Christmas Star
















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**Grid Size:** 49W x 129H  
**Design Area:** 2.61" x 7.00" (47 x 126 stitches)

## Legend:

  [2] DMC 3325 baby blue - lt (346 stitches, 0.2 skeins)   [1] KR4 001HL Silver Hi Lustre (48 stitches, 0.1 skeins)

## Backstitch Lines:

 DMC-3325 baby blue - lt (55.62 inches, 0.2 skeins)	 DMC-910 emerald green - dk (1.59 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 KR4-001HL Silver Hi Lustre (18.72 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-166 moss green - md lt (2.04 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-939 navy blue - vy dk (17.55 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-444 lemon - dk (1.83 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-3848 teal green - md (1.69 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-900 burnt orange - dk (1.44 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-956 geranium (3.63 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-666 christmas red - br (1.26 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-814 garnet - dk (4.27 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-600 cranberry - vy dk (1.44 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-327 violet - dk (2.75 inches, 0.1 skeins)	 DMC-318 steel gray - lt (1.67 inches, 0.1 skeins)
 DMC-820 royal blue - vy dk (1.94 inches, 0.1 skeins)	

## Beads:

• MHG-556 Mill Hill Glass Beads-Antique Silver (192 beads) • MHG-143 Mill Hill Glass Beads-Robin Egg Blue (32 beads)

This pattern was created for the ornament I made for the Stitching Pirates Secret Santa ornament exchange.

Thread use: Because of the stitch instructions the thread use shows a lot more colours than you need to make this pattern - the only colours you need to use are DMC 3325 and Kreinik 001HL, you need approximately 0.1 skein/spool of each

Note: I did the single cross stitch at the same time as doing the backstitch (to avoid having to count that far into the middle of nowhere) by just doing each leg of the stitch 2x with the threaded needle.

Backstitch: All the stitches marked with dark blue (939) in the stitch instructions

Span stitches:

- Blue: All the span stitches and the angled stitches in the ball sections marked with pink (956) in the stitch instructions
- Silver: all the span stitches

Stitching order:

- First do all the cross stitch.
- Then do all the backstitch (mostly marked with dark blue [939] in the stitch instructions)
- Next do the blue span stitches, you work them so they start along the cross stitched area and then go to the diagonal backstitched line, which you do in this order, starting at the red arrow:
  - Red (814)
  - Purple (327)
  - Blue (820)
  - Green (910)
  - Lime (166)
- Last of all do the silver span stitches which go from cross stitched area to cross stitched area in this order, starting at the yellow arrow:
  - Yellow (444)

- Orange (900)
  - Red (666)
  - Pink (600)
  - Grey (318)
- Finally add the beads using a full cross stitch that goes through the beads both ways.

For your stitching ease I have done the stitch instructions in 4 sections:

- Top left: both silver and blue span stitches together with the colour coding in place
- Top right: just the blue span stitches with colour coding
- Bottom left: the original colours
- Bottom right: the Silver with colour coding (with part of the dark blue back stitch removed for clarity).

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