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Legend:

- DMC-3855
- DMC-3854
- DMC-3853

Backstitches:

- DMC-701
- DMC-3853

Jane Fob Two Sizes

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Grid Size: 72W x 95H
Design Area: 4.00" x 5.22" (72 x 94 stitches)

Legend:

 [2] DMC 3855 autumn gold - lt (1062 stitches, 0.3 skeins)  [2] DMC 3853 autumn gold - dk (638 stitches, 0.2 skeins)
 [2] DMC 3854 autumn gold - md (1036 stitches, 0.3 skeins)

Backstitch Lines:

 DMC-701 christmas green - lt (6.01 inches, 0.1 skeins)  DMC-3853 autumn gold - dk (16.97 inches, 0.2 skeins)

This pattern was inspired by the Mucha princess patterns Pinky the Pink has made, this one uses the colours of Jane which you can find here: <http://tinyurl.com/jwke6lf> (if it hasn't sold out yet as it's a limited edition pattern). Pinky's etsy shop can be found here: <https://www.etsy.com/shop/pinkythepink> with more princesses and much, much more!

On 18ct the smaller pattern stitches up to be a tiny 1 1/8" long x 3/4" high x 3/4" wide humbug fob - stitched on 14ct it will be bigger but I'm not sure by how much as it's difficult to measure an angled pattern. The larger fob is 2 x the width and length so would make either a nice fob or a matching pin cushion depending on the fabric count you choose to use.

The beads I used to finish my version are TOHO TR-11-123 - Opaque Lustered Lt Beige - these are very similar to the beads called for in Pinky's Pattern which is the Mill Hill 00123 - Cream

How to assemble:

- Make the cord: I used about 50" of craft floss to make my cord, this gave me a little extra but that means you can adjust the cord to the length you prefer.
- Using the backstitch lines (the diagonal lines in the pattern - just do the backstitch along them and it will be enough) whip stitch the short sides together adding a bead every other stitch. Don't finish the thread off yet.
- Fold the resulting cylinder flat making sure the seam you just sewed is a side edge.
- Whip stitch along this edge, again adding beads every other stitch. Don't forget to add the cord at the end of this seam!
- Finish the thread off.
- On the unsewn edge mark the fold of the fabric opposite the side seam - this will be the middle of the seam in a moment so take care you make it accurately.
- Now it's time to make it humbug shaped: fold the side seam towards the spot you just marked as the middle and pin so they don't shift.
- Whip stitch the last seam adding beads as you go, remembering to stuff the fob before you close it completely.

If you prefer you can of course always go with a completely different pallet than the one given! Make it yours if you like, I'm all for it :) Please do leave a message on my blog, <http://magicalquilts.blogspot.com/>, if you make this as I'd love to see the results!

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