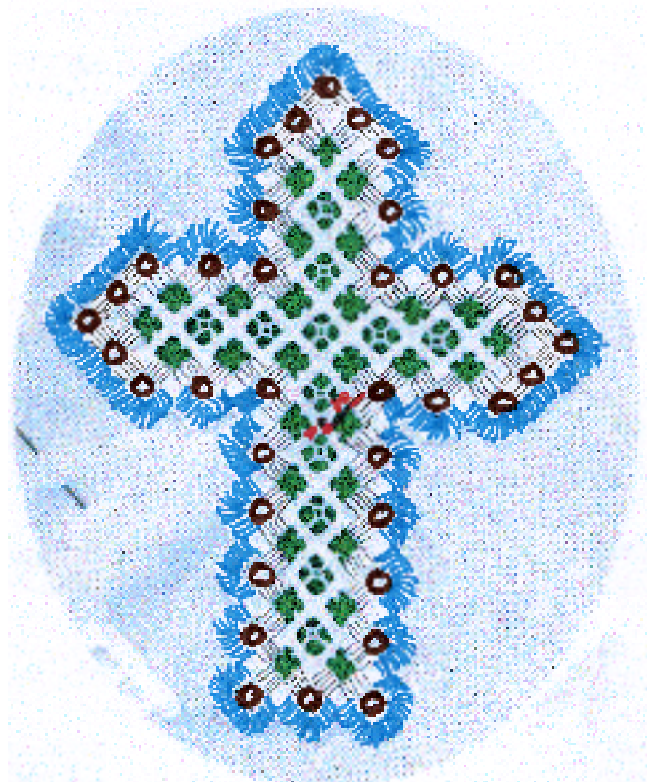


1. Find the center of your fabric (marked with a black pencil dot above). Count 2 threads down and 10 threads to the right to find the starting point of the cross.

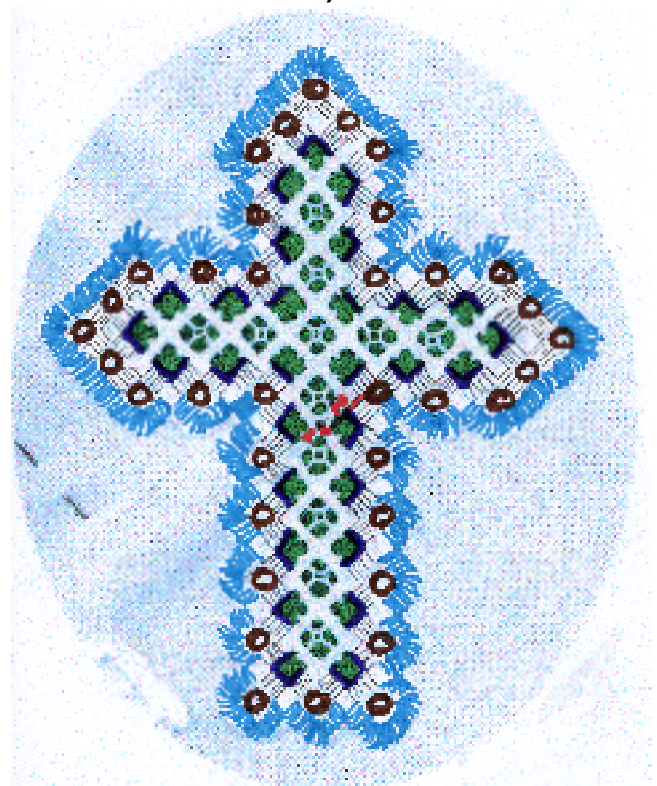
2. Now stitch the 68 pillows to form the foundation of the cross (marked with black pencil lines above)



4. Eyelet stitch in the larger openings left by the buttonhole stitch (eyelet stitch is marked with the brown circles above).



3. Buttonhole stitch around the entire outside edge of the cross, leaving no gaps (marked with the blue lines above).



5. Cut the threads where the pillows go into the fabric (marked with the purple cutting lines above).

6. Pull the cut threads out. Wrap the bars using picots around the outsides and dove's eye inside each diamond formed by the wrapped bars as shown in the photo above.

7. Cut out the cross around the edges made by the buttonhole stitches.