

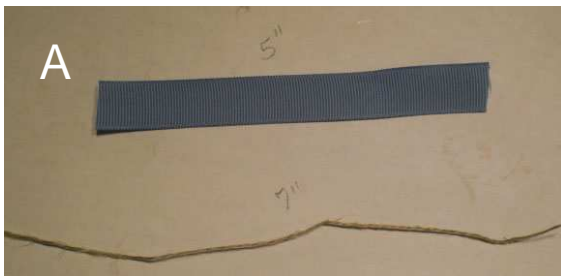
“Suite” Stamping Stitching a Ribbon Rosette

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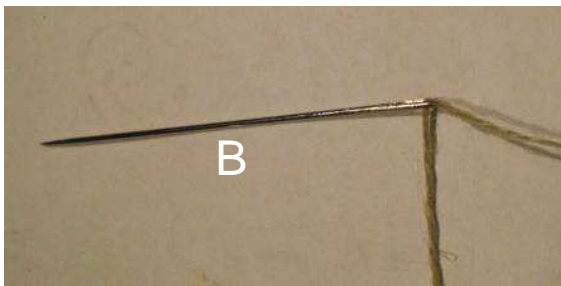
Assemble your supplies:

*ribbon *scissors *needle *thread

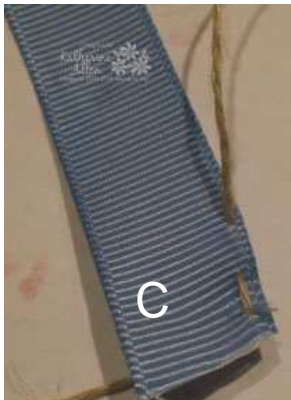
This is a fun technique (especially for you sewers out there!) to add a pretty embellishment to any project. This was taught to us at the 2008 Stampin’ Up! Convention.



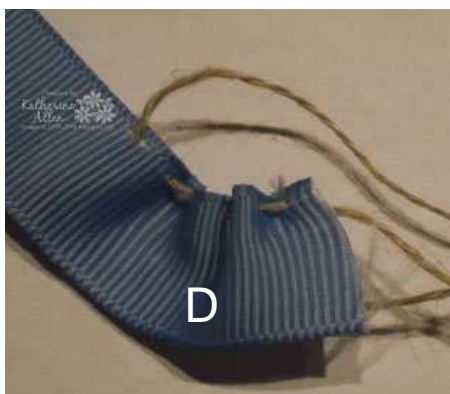
- A. Assemble your supplies. Shown here: 5” Brocade Blue wide grosgrain ribbon and 7” linen thread. You may use any variety of ribbons and threads, I just chose to use all Stampin’ Up! products.
Not shown: needle



- B. Thread your needle. I used the smallest one in the Stampin’ Up!’s crafters tool kit so, yes, it is a much larger needle than you sewers would use! (Just for the record, I can’t sew anything, not even a button!!)



- C. Begin a simple running stitch, leaving just under ¼” of space between stitches.



- D. Continue the running stitch and begin gathering your ribbon as you stitch.



E. Continue stitching and gathering.



F. As you continue stitching and gathering you'll see your rosette begin to form.



G. Put the ends of the ribbon together and do a couple running stitches to attach the ends.



H. Tie a double knot in your thread and trim the ends. (Ends are not trimmed in this picture.)



I. Your finished rosette!

J. Here is a sample project with the rosette on it. I attached the rosette with a pop up glue dot.

