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**Collection**

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SPREAD A LITTLE CHRISTMAS JOY  
WITH OUR FRENCH-STYLE SAMPLER  
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# Christmas Joy GIANT CHART



Your **FREE**  
giant chart





## Bonus Giant Chart

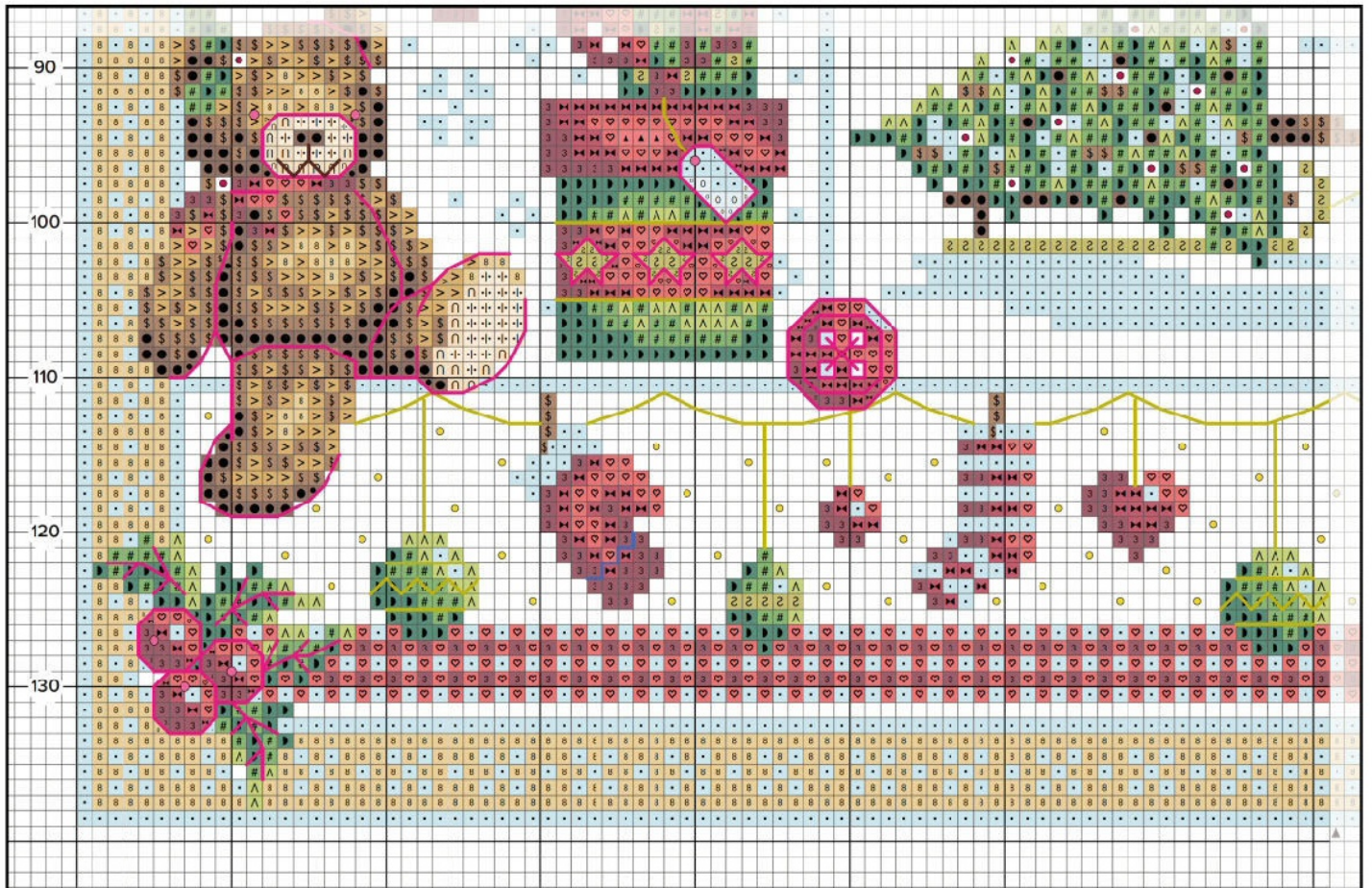




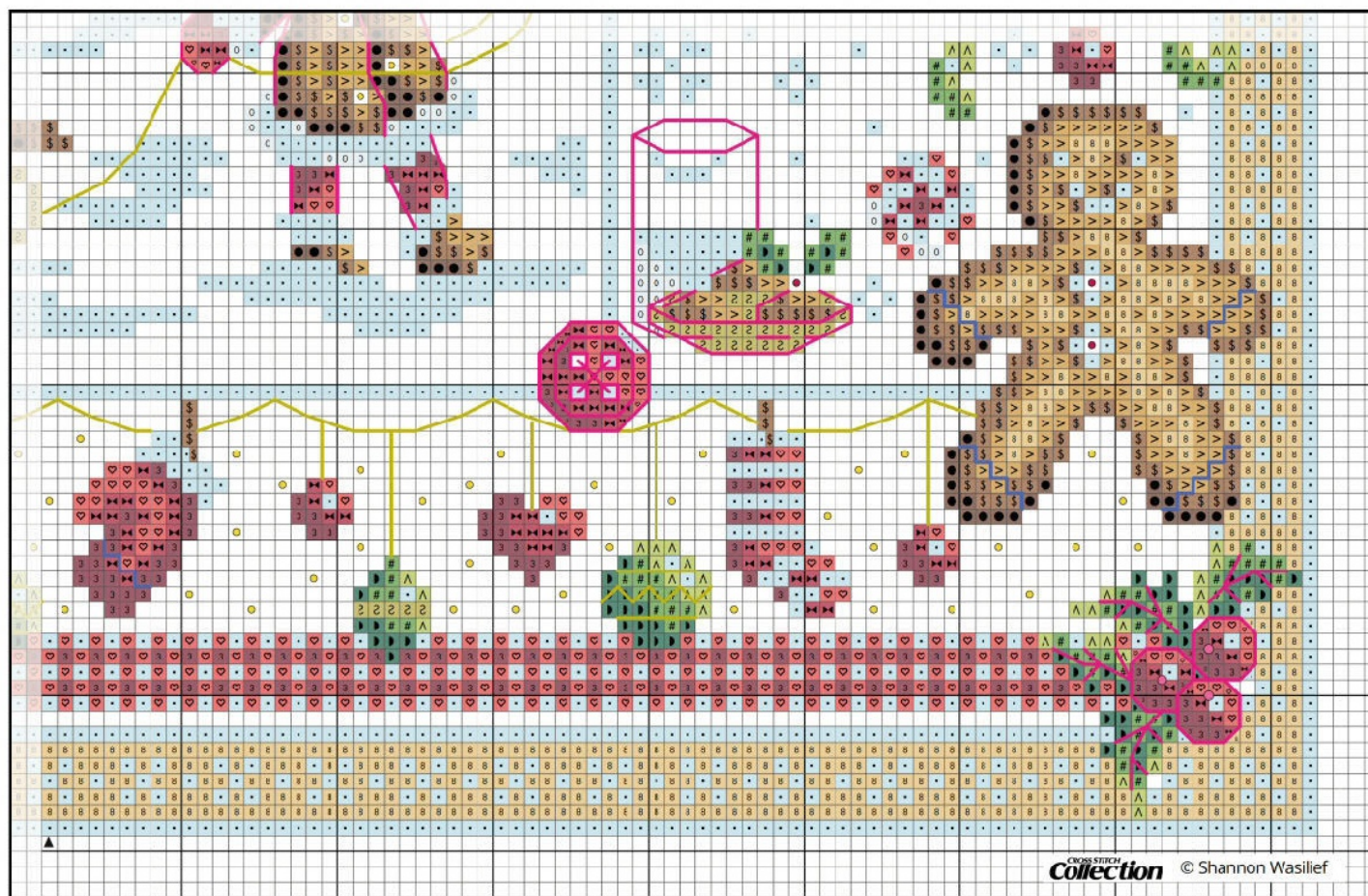




## Bonus Giant Chart







# Sparkling Christmas sampler

## You will need...

**Zweigart 32 count Belfast linen** natural/silver,  
ref: 3609/17, 43x53.5cm (17x21in)

**Stranded cotton** as listed in the key

**Blending Filament** as listed in the key

**Mill Hill beads** as listed in the key

**Size 26** tapestry needle

**Frame** with a 25.5x30.5cm (10x12in) aperture

**For stockist details see page 58**

## Stitching the design

**FOLD** the fabric both ways to find the centre and start stitching at this point. The cross stitch is worked in two strands of stranded cotton, the backstitch in one strand and the French knots in one strand.

Two bead colours are used. Please refer to the chart for placement and use sewing thread to sew them on to your design. It will be best to use a frame when working this design, as a hoop may rest on the stitches and distort them.

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*This delightful sampler is sure to become  
a cherished family heirloom*



## Bonus Giant Chart



You could stitch a gorgeous cake band using the beautiful beaded poinsettias.

### Christmas joy

DMC Anchor Madeira Colour

#### Cross stitch in two strands

● ●	300	357	2304	dk mahogany
✕ ✕	321	019	510	xmas red
8 8	676	891	2208	med yellow (2)
4 4	775	1031	1001	lt baby blue
\$ \$	780	309	2214	v dk topaz
> >	783	306	2211	med topaz
3 3	815	043	513	m garnet
# #	906	256	1411	med green
■ ■	938	381	2005	coffee brown
∩ ∩	951	1010	2308	lt tawny
▲ ▲	3705	035	410	dk melon
0 0	3756	1037	886	lt baby blue
· ·	3770	1009	978	v lt tawny
♥ ♥	3801	1098	411	xmas red
▶ ▶	3818	211	2704	dk emerald
∧ ∧	3819	278	2703	lt moss green
· ·	b5200 001	white	bright white (3)	
2 2	kreinik	028	citron gold (2)	

#### Backstitch in one strand

—	300	357	2304	dk mahogany
				teddy nose

DMC Anchor Madeira Colour

#### Backstitch in one strand

—	938	381	2005	coffee brown
				outlines
—	b5200 001	white	bright white	
				details
—	kreinik	028	citron gold	
				string - baubles, tags and sledge

#### French knots in one strand

● ●	938	381	2005	coffee brown
				berries, eyes, tags

#### Mill Hill seed beads

● ●	02011	victorian gold	
			decoration
● ●	02063	crayon crimson	
			decoration

Stitched using DMC threads on 32 count evenweave fabric.  
Stitch count: 138hx162w  
Design size: 22x25.5cm (8¾x10in)  
Stitch time: 75hrs

2/3 indicates more than 1 skein is needed