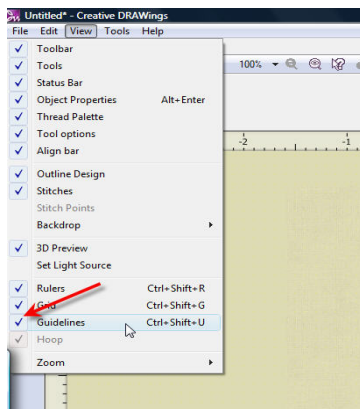
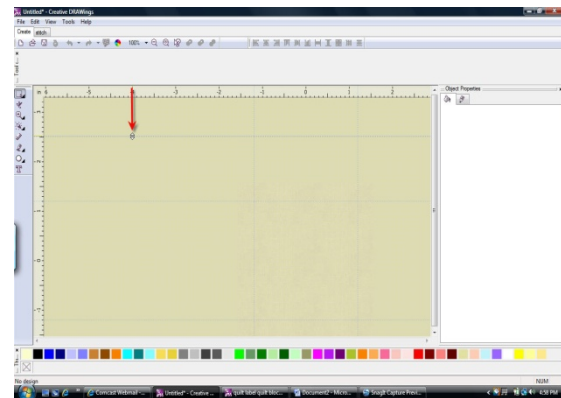


Quilt Label

1. Open Creative DRAWings®
2. Select “create new” on the new design menu. Left click “next”
3. Select “new graphic”
4. Choose fabric type and color (I chose cotton and light tan). Left click “finish”
5. Add some guidelines. First, make sure that “Guidelines” is checked on the View menu on the top toolbar.

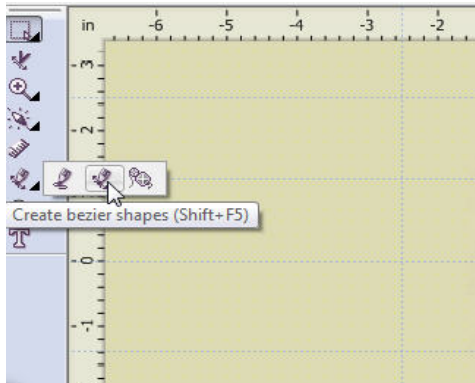


6. Add guidelines at horizontal and vertical centers and at 1 ¼” and 2 ½” on the right, left, upper, and lower parts of the hoop. To add guidelines, simply move the cursor over the ruler grid and left click and drag to the appropriate measurement. You will see the guideline you added.

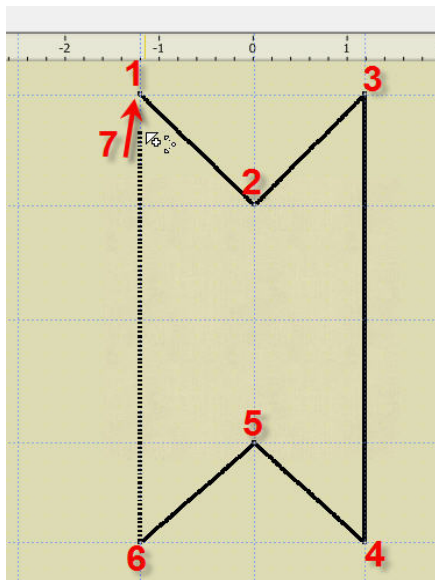


7. You will use the guidelines to create stitches.

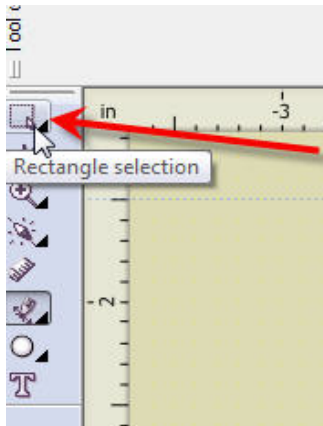
8. Select “Bezier shapes” from the fly out menu on the freehand shapes toolbar on the left.



9. Using the guidelines, draw the closed shape shown by left-clicking on the guideline intersections as shown.

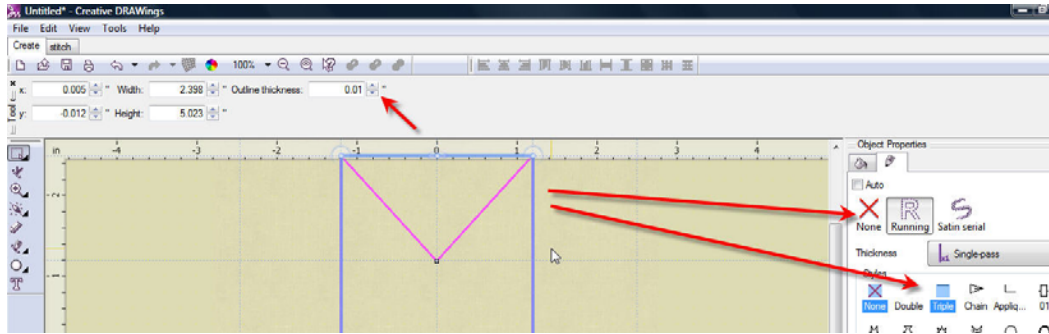


10. Right click to de-select Bezier tool. You will see a shape filled with stitches.
11. To remove the inner fill stitches, left click on the X in the bottom left color block area. The fill stitches will disappear.
12. Select the rectangle selection tool from the top of the left toolbar.



13. Set the outline width to 0.01, as shown on the top object properties.

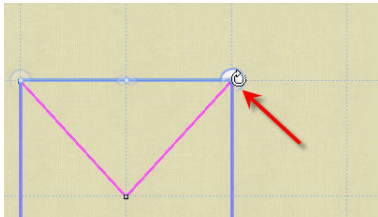
14. Set the running stitch style as “triple”



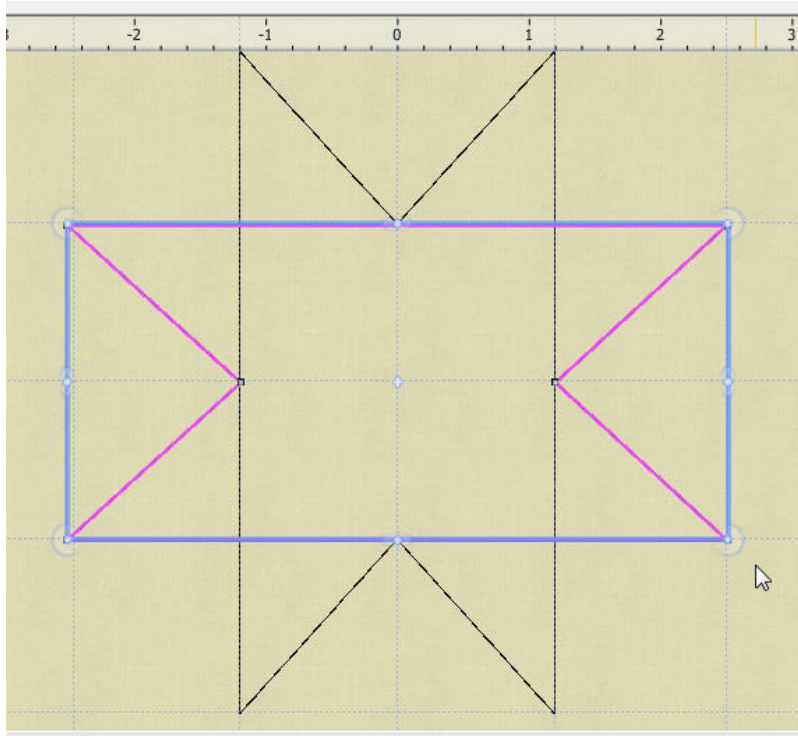
15. To copy the shape, press “Ctrl” then “C” on the keyboard.

16. To paste the shape, press “Ctrl” then “V” on the keyboard.

17. Rotate your new pasted shape 90°. Move the cursor over the corner until you see a curved arrow.

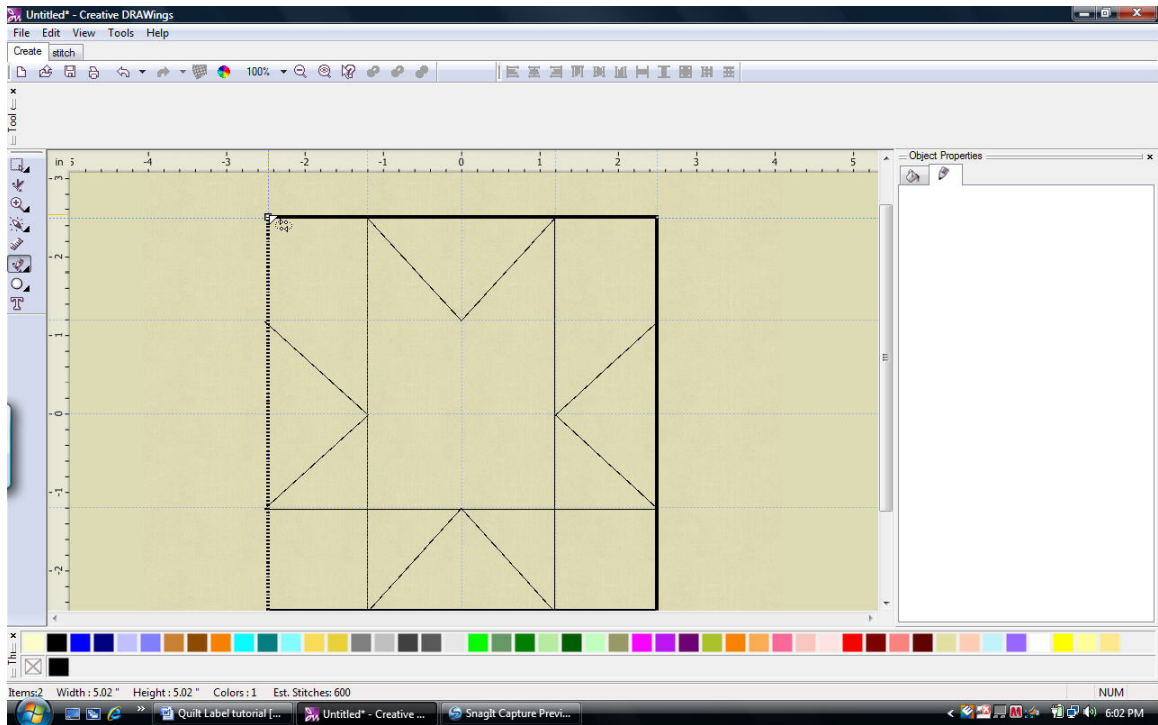


18. Hold down the “Ctrl” key and left click and drag the mouse. Drag until the shape rotates perpendicular to your original shape.

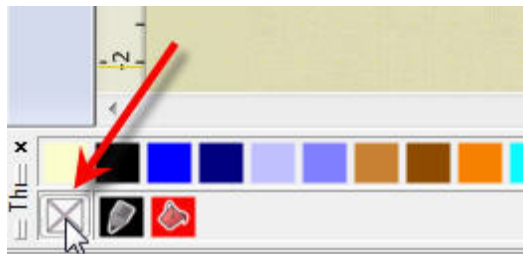


Release the left click button.

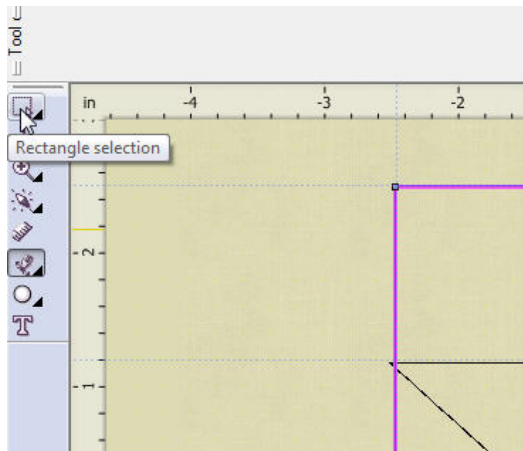
19. Select the Bezier tool again. With left clicks, create the outer rectangle.



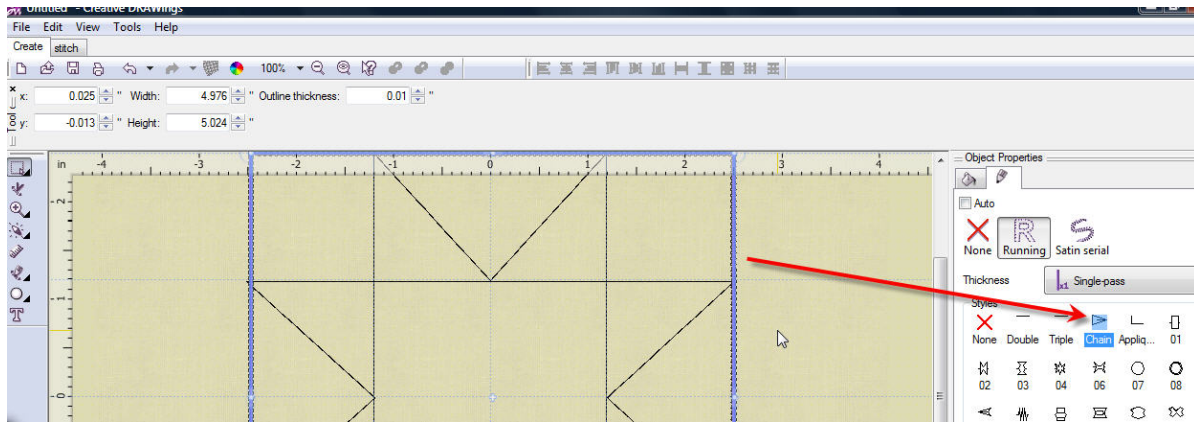
20. Left click on the X box in the color block corner to remove the fill.



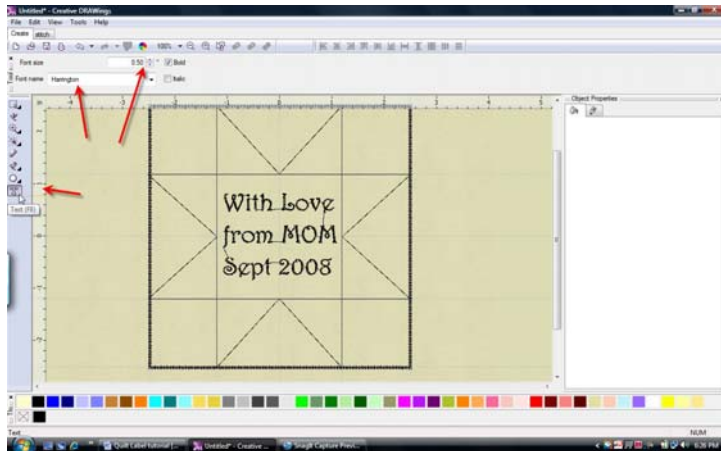
21. Left click on the rectangle selection box in the upper left toolbar.



22. In the object properties menu on the right, choose a chain stitch style. You can choose many of the stitch styles and see which one you like.



23. Add lettering. Select the text tool, which is the large “T” on the left toolbar.
24. Choose text style and size.
25. Type in your message.



26. To remove outline stitching on your lettering, select the rectangle selection tool on the left toolbar, then left-click on the X at the bottom of the screen while holding down the shift key.
27. Move the lettering to the center of your block label.
28. Save the design as a .draw file. From “File” on the top menu, choose “save as”. Name and save your design. You can open the .draw file and edit it to create many different labels.

Embroidery Instructions: use an 8” X 10” piece of muslin

1. Hoop sticky stabilizer sticky side up.
 2. Center the 8” x 10” muslin in the hoop with the long sides on the top and bottom.
 3. For additional stabilization, slide a piece of tear-away stabilizer below the hooped fabric.
 4. Embroider the design.
 5. Remove the hoop from the embroidery arm. Remove the embroidery from the hoop.
 6. Trim ½” outside of the stitched border.
- It is now ready to stitch onto your quilt