

Jane's Bookmark Cross

This cross is based on Jane's Bookmark, by Jane McLellan; instructions for it can be found here:

<http://janeeborall.freeservers.com/JaneMBookmark.pdf>

<http://www.keepandshare.com/doc/4233509/jane-s-bookmark-pdf-july-2-2012-3-55-pm-163k?da=y>

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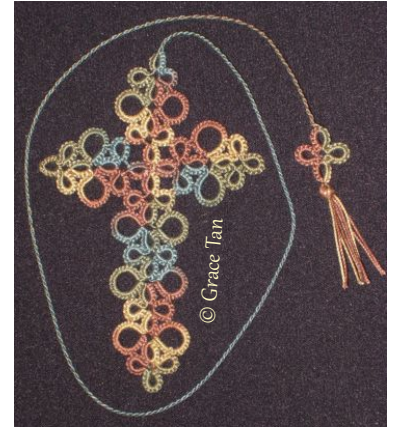
You are free to tat and sell the cross, but please acknowledge the designers.

Abbreviations:

r	ring	RW	reverse work
sr	split ring	SS	switch shuttles
p, -	picot	/	stitches on other side of split ring
+	join	CTM	continuous thread method

This cross is made in two L-shaped pieces. Both L-pieces start at the end of a side arm, then they end at either the bottom or the top, where you can add a tail.

For the lower L, wind two shuttles CTM with 2.5-3 m on each (for Lizbeth Size 20). For the upper L, again wind two shuttles CTM with 2-2.5 m on each (Lizbeth Size 20), plus extra for the tail you choose.



Lower L (rings with numbers):

- r1: 12
- r2: 8-4 RW SS
- r3: 8-4
- sr4: 6/6
- r5: 5+ (p r3) 14-5 RW SS
- r6: 5+ (p r4) 14-5
- sr7: 6/6
- r8: 4+ (2nd p r6) 4-4 RW SS
- r9: 4+ (2nd p r5) 4-4
- sr10: 6/6
- sr11: 6/6
- r12: 4-4-4 RW SS
- r13: 4+ (2nd p r8) 4-4
- Rings 4' to 9': as rings 4 to 9 (2 times)
- Rings 4' to 7': as rings 4 to 7 (once)
- r14: 4+ (2nd p 6') 8 RW SS
- r15: 4+ (2nd p 5') 8
- r16: 12 — then cut and tie. (Or do as a double-core SSSR to hide the ends.)

Note: If there is a problem with gapping between rings, you can reinforce them with extra joins, e.g.,

- r1: 1-10-1
- r2: 1+ (2nd p r1) 7-4 RW SS
- r3: 1+ (1st p r1) 7-4

Upper L (rings with capital letters):

- rA: 12
- rB: 8-4 RW SS
- rC: 8-4
- srD: 6/6
- rE: 5+ (p rC) 14-5 RW SS
- rF: 5+ (p rB) 14-5
- srG: 6/6
- rH: 4+ (2nd p rF) 4-4 RW SS
- rI: 4+ (2nd p rE) 4+ (2nd p r12) 4
- srJ: 6/6

Join to middle of cross: Pull one of the threads up through the false picot between sr10 and sr11, and pass the other shuttle through the loop.

Snug up and continue with srK.

- srK: 6/6
- rL: 4+ (2nd p r9) 4-4 RW SS
- rM: 4+ (2nd p rH) 4-4
- Rings D' to G': as rings D to G (once)
- rN: 4+ (2nd p F') 8 RW SS
- rO: 4+ (2nd p E') 8
- srP: 6/6 — then make tail with threads.

