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Funky Chick Embroidery

Flares, platforms, Saturday Night Fever and funky
stitching - we all love the 1970s vibe!

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Funky 1970s bird stitched in electric melon colours makes a wonderful centre panel for this simple patchwork cushion cover.

The cushion has a simple envelope closure at the back and you will need 9 x 6 ½" squares of cotton fabric to create your patchwork front. (including plain fabric for embroidery)

Materials

- Cotton squares as described above.
- DMC floss colours 166 (yellowish green), 552 (purple), 702 (grass green), 727 (yellow), 970 (orange), 996 (turquoise) and 3832 (pink)



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Notes

- Two strands of floss are used throughout.
- Stitches used are back stitch, satin stitch and French knots.
- The pattern transfer is shown actual size (5 ½" wide) but you may need to adjust it depending upon your printer settings. It is also given both ways round to suit your preferred method of transfer.
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Why do we love to stitch? After all you can purchase mass-produced textile items at many high streets stores for very little cost. These days handmade means something special - a unique item created with love, a gift from the heart, not one that can be bought. Hand stitching is also a great way to personalise an item, or perhaps to breathe new life into an old favourite that has seen better days.

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Helen xx

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