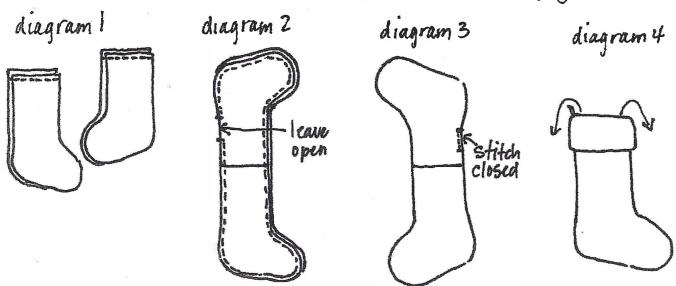
Christmas Stocking Directions

- 1. Using pattern provided, cut a front and back from stocking fabric and a front and back of lining fabric. You can use Christmas, patriotic, or military themed fabrics. Use your imagination and have fun. Your lining will become your cuff in the end, so if it has a one way design on it you need to cut it out with the design going upside down. If you are going to decorate the front of the stocking, (i.e. pocket, appliqué, etc.) do it now.
- 3. If you choose to strip quilt the front of the sock, use another piece of fabric or a piece of warm and natural batting to do so. We want the stockings to stay thin and lightweight.
- 4. Next, lay a lining piece to a stocking front piece, right sides together and sew across the top only. Repeat with the stocking back piece. (diagram 1)
- 5. Open each stocking/lining piece out and press seam open or to one side. Lay each stocking/lining piece, right sides together, and stitch around sock, leaving an opening on straight area above heel for turning. (diagram 2)
- 6. Turn stocking right sides out, and sew lining opening closed. (You can just fold in the seam allowance and top stitch with your sewing machine. No one will ever see it). (diagram 3).
- 7. Press the stocking neatly, then stuff the lining inside the stocking.
- 8. Fold down top about 1-1/2" and iron neatly to make a cuff. (diagram 4) You're done!!

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