

Waterfall Scarf

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Pokey Bolton on set with Diane Gloystein

This scarf creates a magical illusion of suspended fabrics floating on air!

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Determine the length and width of the scarf. Draw lines 2" apart both horizontally and vertically on Ultra Solvy using a permanent black marking pen. You will need to mark enough pieces of Ultra Solvy to make up the dimensions of your scarf.
2. Cut 1½"-wide bias strips out of silk dupioni, chiffon, or cotton. Cut the strips into 1½" squares. By cutting on the bias, you will have a controlled fray.
3. Using a serging tweezers, dip the 1½" squares into water. Dab the moistened square on a towel to remove excess moisture. Position the moistened square on your marked piece of Ultra Solvy, aligning the squares with the lines drawn on the stabilizer.

4. With black rayon thread in the top and bobbin, couch over fine black cording with a satin stitch. A sewing machine foot with a hole to thread the black cord through will make it easier to guide the cording.
5. Satin stitch horizontal rows, couching over the cording. Use a stitch length of .3 and a stitch width of 2.0.
6. Satin stitch vertical rows, couching over the cording.
7. Put your completed waterfall scarf into a lingerie bag and wash in the washing machine to remove the Ultra Solvy stabilizer. Line dry. Press lightly as needed. ■

Materials

- Schmetz embroidery needle, size 12/80
- Sulky® #40-weight rayon thread
- Sulky Ultra Solvy™ water soluble stabilizer
- Chiffon, silk, or cotton fabrics in desired colors (they must have color on both sides of fabric)
- Pearle cotton (cording)
- Permanent black marking pen
- Serging tweezers
- Lingerie bag

