

# Snap Towel Hangers

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## Supplies:

NOTE: Cut fabric and batting to the size listed in the text files for the hanger you are making.

2 pieces of cotton fabric (Starch until nice & crisp (much easier to trim if starched!))

1 piece of Pellon Thermolam batting (or use Pellon fusible fleece)

1 piece of Vilene (or Aqua Magic) wash away stabilizer to fit your hoop

1 - 3/8" wide x 4 1/2" long popsicle stick

1 - 1/2" or 5/8" button snap (for drawer handle & stove handle hangers)

12" of ribbon 1/4" - 1/2" wide for knob hanger



1. Hoop wash away stabilizer in hoop. 1st outline sewn on stabilizer only. Note: Use same color thread in bobbin as final satin outline so hanger edges match on both sides.



2. Remove hoop. Spray wrong side fabric with temporary adhesive spray, center over outline on BACK SIDE of hoop. Place hoop on machine.



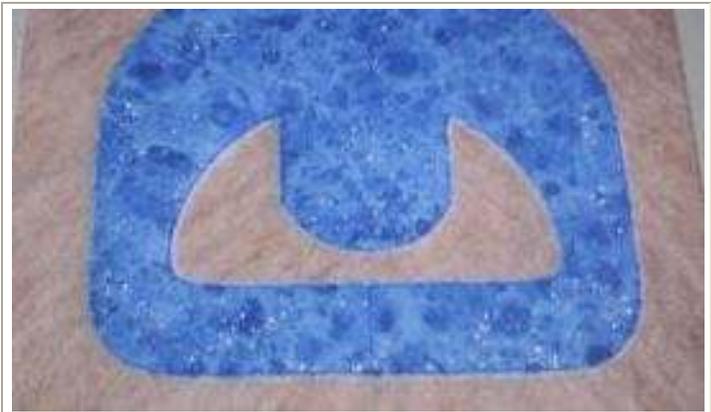
3. The next step tacks fabric down & stitches a small buttonhole in the corner to insert the popsicle stick later!



4. Remove hoop. Center fabric & batting over outline in hoop, tape in place at corners, put hoop back on machine.



5. The next step stitches hanger outline to tack the fabric and batting down. (This picture isn't very clear...sorry!)



6. Trim excess fabric/batting from around outlines on front and back of hoop. (Do not cut into vilene stabilizer!)



7. The next step stitches the satin stitch edge around the hanger to hide the raw edges of the fabric and batting.



8. Finish stitching design on front of hanger. Little circles will also stitch to show where to add the snaps!



9. When finished, trim design from stabilizer and rub a wet rag along edges to dissolve remaining stabilizer.



10. Cut slit in buttonhole on back through one layer of fabric and insert popsicle stick to support weight of towel.



11. Add snap pieces over little circles stitched on hanger following the snap manufacturer's instructions.



12. This picture shows the snaps installed on the hanger.



13. The handle is flipped upside down to show how it wraps around the stove handle and snaps together!

14. This picture shows the hanger on a stove handle.

**For knob hanger:**

Cut slits in small buttonholes at the top and thread  $\frac{1}{4}$ " -  $\frac{1}{2}$ " ribbon through the buttonholes. Tie the ribbon in a bow to secure hanger to the drawer knob. It also gives it a nice festive look!