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A SuZy Murphy Design for Rainbow Gallery

This design will fit in a 5" x 5" Sudberry Box.

Material List (Finished Size: 5" x 5")
9" x 9"—#18 Mono Canvas (white)
Stretcher bars to fit; #22 & #24 Tapestry Needles;

1 card—Nordic Gold® ND1-Pale Gold
1 card—Splendor® S864-Dark Periwinkle
1 card—Splendor® S882-Lite Periwinkle
1 card—Splendor® S1003-Very Dark Lavender

Note: Splendor is made with three bundles of four plies each. To separate into individual plies for stitching, pull out one bundle at a time and ply it.

1. CENTER—The Master Chart shows the top half of the design. Start at the center (see large circle on Master Chart), work Multiple Rice Stitch. Use 2 strands of Nordic Gold (ND1) for the large crosses (over 8 threads). There are 8 crosses in each direction. Cross the legs as shown on the Master Chart with 4 ply Splendor (S864 and S882).

2. INNER BORDER—Work 1 row of Greek Stitch with 4 ply Splendor (S1003). See Diagram #1. With the same Splendor, work 1 row of Long-Armed Cross outside the Greek Stitch. See Diagram #2 and Master Chart.

3. COUCHING ROW—Lay long stitches (2 groups of 3) around the entire area with 4 ply Splendor (S864). Lay them carefully and do not pull too tight. See Master Chart. Place a row of running stitch (over 2, under 2) between the two groups. Couch down with Cross Stitches (over 4 threads) using Nordic Gold (ND1).

4. OUTER BORDER—Work 1 row of Greek Stitch with 4 ply Splendor (S1003). See Master Chart for placement and Diagram #1 for count.

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