

Downeast Thunder Farm Sandhill Crane

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Create two mirror images of this bird for a double sided ornament. Position the red over the white face on the body; tack it into place with a black seed bead for the eye. Position the beak and sew a running stitch down the center to hold it into place.

Pin the wing and tack into place by adding the decorative stitching. Fashion legs with a length of wire and tack the wire to the wrong side of one body piece.

Sew the body pieces together with a blanket stitch using two strands of gray floss. Before finishing the blanket stitching, lightly stuff with fiberfill. For this crane, I tucked a bit of toothpick into the neck to give the neck some stability.

Have Fun!

