## Not Quite a Thousand Leaves

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## A Note of Explanation:

The pattern instructions specify to cut 1" bias strips if using the Clover 1/4" Bias Tape Maker. Please follow the manufacturer's instructions since the 1" may be too wide for that tool.

You might consider using a 1/2" Bias Tape Maker to make 1/4" double-folded tape (make 1/2" then fold in half) for stems with a raised appearance. Also useful are bias bars which come in different sizes and materials but all are heat resistant.

Before cutting any stem fabric, please review manufacturer instructions and make a sample.

## **ALSO**

In the applique instructions, the pattern calls for 12 leaves for each corner. There are 8 corners (not 4) for a total of 96 leaves. This brings the total number of leaves needed to 680 - still not quite a thousand!

