MEMORY ENVELOPE #2
Pattern courtesy Paula Loges, 2018
Approximately 12"w x 11", 1-hour

MATERIALS:

- 1- 30" x 13" rectangle Focus Fabric
- 1- 30" x 13" rectangle Lining Fabric
- 1- 9" x 18" rectangle Pocket Fabric
- 2- 12" lengths of 1/4" or 3/8" Ribbon

DIRECTIONS:

STEP-1: With RIGHT-sides-together, fold Focus Fabric & Lining Fabric lengthwise. Measure 7 ½" down from top, raw-edge-corner. Draw a line from that measure to the top of the folded edge, making a triangle. Cut on the line & remove the triangle.

STEP-2: With RIGHT-sides-together, fold Pocket Fabric in half, making a 9" square. Stitch the three open edges around the pocket, leaving a 5-6" opening on one side for turning. Trim corners, turn RIGHT-side-out & press.

STEP-3: Center pocket on RIGHT-side of Lining Fabric, approximately 10" from the top-point. With fold of Pocket facing toward the top-point, stitch the three sewn sides of the Pocket to the lining, making sure to catch & close the "turned-opening". *(Zig-Zag #4-1.8l / 3.5w)*

STEP-4: With RIGHT-sides-together, stitch lining to Focus Fabric, leaving a 5-6" opening on one side for turning. Trim corners, press seams flat, turn RIGHT-side-out & press.

STEP-5: With inside of envelope facing up, fold bottom of envelope UP approximately 10", depending on how you want the envelope flap to lie. Fold "point" DOWN approximately 10", again, depending on how you want the flap to lie. The portion of the envelope between the folds should measure 12" across, from side to side & 11" up & down.

STEP-6: Attach one ribbon to the RIGHT-side of the envelope flap "point". Attach the other ribbon to the RIGHT-side of the envelope, about 1/2" under where the "point" meets the envelope. Be sure NOT to sew through ALL layers of the envelope.

STEP-7: Fold envelope bottom up to previous mark, with WRONG-sides-together. Leave "flap" flat. Stitch around the entire envelope, making sure to catch & close the "turned-opening". Tie ribbons into a bow. *(Zig-Zag #4-2.0l / 3.5w)*