## **MOTHER'S HEART**

Jinx Abernathy ~ Time: 15 minutes

Please do NOT wash the fabrics used to make The "MOTHER'S HEART" ~ it is worn against the skin of the mother of a premature baby. The fabric is infused with her scent. After a few days, the HEART is placed under the baby's head so he/she can smell its mom & bond with her.

## **MATERIALS:**

paper for the HEART (copy, freezer, construction, etc.) ruler paper scissors fabric (flannel, fleece, velveteen, satin, etc.) sewing machine & notions



# ANY SIZE HEART PATTERN DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Determine how large you want the HEART to be.
- 2. Fold paper in half.
- 3. Draw a HALF-HEART along folded edge of paper.
- 4. When you are satisfied with the shape & size, cut it out with paper scissors & open.

# MOTHER'S HEART DIRECTIONS – for fabric that ravels:

- 1. Layer 2 pieces of fabric, RIGHT-sides-together & sew a 1/4" seam around the edges, leaving a small opening for turning..
- 2. Turn RIGHT-side-out, top stitch as close as you can to edge.

## MOTHER'S HEART DIRECTIONS – for fabric that does NOT ravel:

- 1. Layer 2 pieces of fabric, WRONG-sides-together.
- 2. Straight stitch or use a decorative stitch, around the entire edge.
- 3. Leave edge as is or cut around edge with pinking shears

NOTE: You can fold your fabric in half & cut out the HEART in the same manner as the paper pattern.

