

Holiday Glass Slippers

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Here is a fast and fun holiday project that you can make in just a few minutes! These 'slippers' are designed to cover the stem of a wineglass so they have a 'built-in' coaster. Perfect for parties where your guests wander around with their drinks; they'll prevent those rings on your good coffee table when things get boisterous! Make a set with different fabrics and they can be used as glass identifiers too. Make several sets and tie them up with a ribbon; great to slip into a Christmas stocking.

Materials & Equipment Required:

- Batting: one 4" square – I use cotton/poly blend
- Fabric: five 4" squares – 3 of one print, 2 of a second print
- Thread and sewing machine

(Note: If your wineglasses have large bases, you may need to use larger squares.)

Method:

1. Fold two squares of each print in half, wrong sides together, to form triangles. Press.



2. Place the remaining fabric square on the batting square, right sides up. Place one triangle on top, matching the raw edges.



3. Place the other three triangles on top, alternating the fabrics. When you place the last triangle, flip up the corner of the first one and slide it underneath. Align all the raw edges and pin each side to hold everything in place.



4. Sew all around with a 1/4" seam allowance. I like to sew across each corner with one stitch. This helps to reduce bulk at the corners. Trim off the corners after sewing.



5. Turn the slipper right side out so the triangles are on the outside.



6. Slip in the stem of your wineglass. It is easiest if you twist it a bit to place the stem under each fold.



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