Hungarian Tape Lace—Mixed (Beginner to Advanced) (Louise Colgan)

Hungarian Tape designs are formed with a graceful and elegant blend of stitches. Elaborate pieces can be made with relatively few pairs of bobbins. Tape sections are formed with combinations of basic Bobbin Lace stitches. Plaited Fillings are often used to decorate open spaces surrounded by the Tapes. Other techniques include Pivots, Tight-Point Turns and Scalloped Edges. Once the basic elements have been mastered, the lacemaker can apply them to a variety of traditional designs. A series of projects will be offered to suit all skill levels. Basic Bobbin Lace skills are required. NOTE: Milanese students taking part in the morning session who are wanting 24 hours of instruction time are welcome to continue with their projects during P604; space may be limited, so register early.

LIST OF SKILLS NEEDED FOR HUNGARIAN TAPE LACE CLASS
Basic Bobbin Lace skills, including Cloth-Stitch, Half-Stitch, Whole (Double)-Stitch; Sewings; and understanding Diagrams.

Supply List:
Pillow: 18-20” cookie pillow
Bobbins: Style: Square or Continental Bobbins recommended. Spangled East Midlands Bobbins accepted ~ Do Not mix Styles!
Quantity: Range of Pairs: 7 to 11. Specifications for recommended number of pairs will be given with each Pattern
Bobbins must be wound in connected pairs
Thread: DMC Cordonnet Special Cotton #50
DMC Cordonnet Special Cotton #80
Brok or Egyptian Cotton #36/2
Presencia Finca #40
Gütermann’s Silk #100/3 (S303)
Appropriate Thread recommendations will be given with each Pricking
Pins: Size 26 x .65 mm. or Size 22 x .65 mm. or Size 26 x .55 mm. Similar sizes may be substituted based on availability
Misc.: Cover Cloths for Pillow (~ 2 or 3) or a Circular Cover Cloth with a Central Hole
Pincushion; Separator Pins; Scissors; Pricking supplies (Card, Contact Paper, Pricker) as needed; Pin Pusher/Lifter; Crochet Hook Size 14 or Lazy Maid for Sewings

Note: Instructor will send a full pattern packet and supply list to each student before Convention.