

Embroidered Shirts 2023

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It's early, I know, but I've already been working on the embroidered shirts I'll give as gifts this year for the guys on my list. Here are the ones I've finished so far.



DH mainly wears golf shirts nowadays rather than tees, so I'll surprise him with this mini version of his personal geocaching logo. Like most of the guys on my list, he loves a personalized item, and especially likes seeing his avatar on the things I make for him.



I'd digitized the logo previously, but this teeny version is new. He'll be surprised and pleased to see it on the shirt.

My brother-in-law will be receiving this blue shirt with the stylized trillium design -- the provincial flower of Ontario.

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I chose the 1.5" size of this mini design -- it's perfect for the shirt lapel.



My brother collects oddball t-shirts, and when he saw the Christmas ornaments I made with this image of Wile-E, he immediately said he'd like it on a shirt.



I decided to make the design in applique style: cool!

And since Bro will be with us for Christmas, I'll even get to see him open it!



Bruce, a big fan of all things train-related, is going to love this tee that features a Steam Train Schematic design.

I usually use designs from my own digitized collection, but I in this case I could not resist this beautiful design from Urban Threads. The lightweight redwork is perfect for a t-shirt. . . and also perfect for Bruce.

In a previous life, my friend was a professional musician in a bar band. This redwork Raw Rock Border design – another from Urban Threads -- is the ideal choice for his shirt.

Redwork designs are well suited to stitching on a t-shirt, and this one sewed out beautifully. I know my friend is going to love it.



Among her many talents, my sister does palm reading, so imagine my delight to find the perfect design: It's Palmistry, another from Urban Threads.

I know it's only February, but I find that stretching my sewing tasks over the year helps ensure that I'm able to get things made for everyone. As early as it is, it's sure nice to have these gifts complete and ready to go. I so hate rushing around at the last minute!