## **Lesson 1: Whitework Lace**

## **Open the Software**

- 1. **Open** the software by **double-clicking** on the **Floriani** icon on your desktop.
- 2. When the **My Floriani Today** window appears, select the **Create A New Design** button to open a new design.
- 3. Select **File->Open**. Then, locate, select, and open the **AL\_01\_WhiteWorkLace.waf** file located here: (C:\Floriani\Designs\00\_FTCU LESSONS\02\_Advanced Lessons\AL\_01\_WhiteWorkLace.waf)

## Convert the Artwork to Whitework Lace

- 1. **Select** the artwork shape, then click on the **convert to Whitework Lace** tool. This will convert it to whitework lace and the software will be ready to input the lace bridges. *IMPORTANT if you clicked off the design after clicking the convert to icon, start over. You can click undo or close the file without saving it and opening it again.*
- 2. **Click and drag** from side-to-side creating all the lace bridges. *Click and drag from one side to the other and release the left click, then do it again as many times as needed to place all the lace bridges.*
- 3. **Right-click 2 times** to apply the lace bridges and view them on the design page.
- 4. Make sure the **Cutting area** is selected for the **Whitework Lace Part:** in the Whitework Lace properties box. Then, do the following:
  - Cutting Area zig zag
    - o Width(mm): 2
    - o Density(mm): 1.5
  - Press Apply.
- 5. Select **Bridge** from the **Whitework Lace Part:** in the Whitework Lace properties box. Then, do the following:
  - Bridge Steil Finish
    - Width(mm): 3.5
    - Density(mm): 1.0
  - Bridge run stitch length: 2.5
  - Press Apply.
- 6. Select **Contour** from the **Whitework Lace Part:** in the Whitework Lace properties box. Then, do the following:
  - Contour Steil Finish
    - Width(mm): 4.0
    - Steil Density(mm): 0.4
  - Press Apply.
- 7. Select the **Mesh** tab in the properties box. Then, do the following:
  - Mesh inset: **0.3**
  - Mesh perpendicular density: 0.4
  - Mesh horizontal density: 0.5
  - Press Apply.
- 8. Click off the object to deselect it. Then, make sure the 3D view is turned on so you can see the design in a realistic view.
- 9. Do a **Slow Redraw** to watch the steps.
- 10. Click the **Print Preview** to see the design notes.

## **Save the Design**

- 1. Select File from the menu bar and then select Save As.
- 2. Save the file in the following folder: C:\Floriani\Designs\00\_FTCU LESSONS\02\_Advanced Lessons\
- 3. Name the file **AT\_01**, choose **WAF** for the format, and then click **Save**.

