## **Lesson 3 - Multiple Applique Pieces**

## **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 **TL\_02\_MultipleApplique.waf** file located here: (C:\Floriani\Designs\00\_FTCU LESSONS\03\_Technique Lessons\TL\_02\_MultipleApplique.waf)

## **Convert Artwork Letters to Applique**

- 1. You will see the letters **USA** on the screen. In the sequence view, notice the 3 letters are separate objects.
- 2. Next, select all the letters and then click the convert to Applique icon.
- 3. This will convert the letters to applique.
- 4. In the sequence view, notice the three letters were combined and are one applique piece.
- 5. Do a slow redraw to see how this applique will stitch out. You will notice it will do a placement stitch for each letter first, a tack down for each letter second, and a border for each letter third.
- 6. Select the Applique and click **Undo** to get it back to 3 separate artwork letters.
- 7. Next, select just the **U** and then convert it to applique.
- 8. Then, do the same to just the letter **S**. Lastly, convert the **A** to applique.
- 9. You will now see in the sequence view that each letter is its own applique piece. This is helpful if you want to use a different fabric for each letter.
- 10. Do a slow redraw to see that each letter is stitched with the placement, tack down, and border before going to the next letter.

## 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\03 Technique Lessons
- 3. Name the file **TL 02**, choose **WAF** for the format, and then click **Save**.