

Between needles transcript

Sharps are needles used for hand piecing and applique. They come in different sizes; the larger the number the smaller the eye.

Between needles are needles that are used for hand quilting. They also come in different sizes based on the eye. The shorter shaft is stronger. It doesn't bend like the longer shaft on the sharps. So that when you're loading this; this (sharps) has a tendency to bend. So that when you're loading fabric onto the needle; when you're hand quilting (I don't have this threaded). When you're loading onto this and you're putting all these layers and you're going back and forth, back and forth; what happens is needle bends. So even though the shaft is shorter on the between needles, you eventually have to replace this bent needle with a new one.