What is a Stitch?

A stitch is a wonder
Not often proclaimed,
Trusted by millions
From the poor to the famed.

First there is a stay stitch,
Then one called back,
Top stitch, under stitch,
And maybe a tack!

A stitch may be blind,
Catch, zigzag, or gather,
It holds a fine hem
In all sorts of weather.

Learning to stitch
May not be of necessity,
But 'tis a great invention,
For creative destiny!

- Adapted from a poem by Louise Spilker