

Near invisible knee repair to these True Religion denim jeans



Large rip/tear to rear of denim jean jacket, discreetly repaired to a near invisible standard



'crutch blow out' repair/restoration work to these Levi 501 denim jeans



Before, large hole to crutch After, repaired using new denim and over stitching

This is the stages i go through to take in the waist and seat on a Edwin pair of jeans



Start, try on customer to get the right amount needed Chalk up and strip down top waist band of the jeans for alteration



Open up the jean double center seam Chalk up again and remove old stitch thread

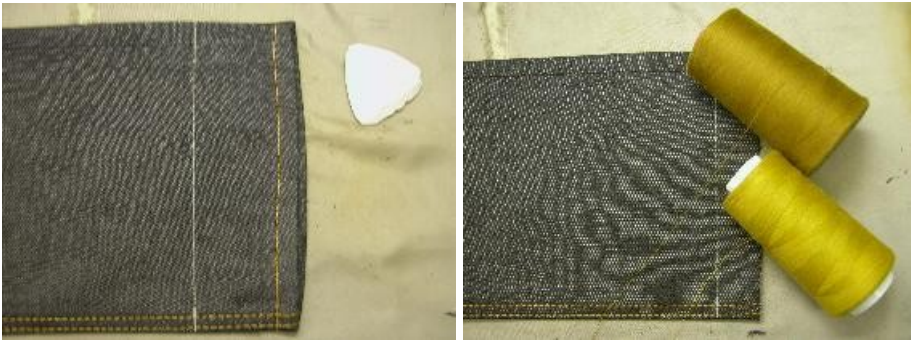


Press seam flat and leave with wood to set a crease Compare different cotton colours to get right match
(would also have overlocked inside denim edges to stop fraying in the future)



Double stitch center seam(used orange thread at Re stitch the waistband back together and stitch belt

customers request, as jean had orange and yellow loop back on. Press and now finished. cotton thread)



Start, chalk up finished length Compare cotton thread colours (again you have choice)



Press flat and leave with wood for few mins, to get Finished extra flat crease



Before: large hole to thigh area.....After: fully repaired using designer paisley shirt material

This is an original Wrangler denim jacket from 1969, the gentleman who brought it to me has had this since new and was his most favourite item of clothing he owns. Being 41 years old ! and worn every year and pretty much every day of its life, its had the following issues, collar had serious wear, also the front edges and upper shoulders along with the bottom front parts. Below is the before and after pictures. He was amazed by the results, it was a joy to work on this jacket for him.

Before in what looks like un-repairable condition



Before with two darts in waist line



After, I removed what had been carried out with the darts, carefully removed the stitching and took in with the original double stitch center seam, it needed taking in by around 4" (from a 38" to a 34") so the pockets did get closer together, but the customer was fine with this and it was a much better fitment than before. Inside view shows the new finish.



After, fully repaired to a near invisible outcome.

Quick patch repair, fused and stiched to repair. This is an extreme example, but was the customers favourite Abercrombie and Fitch jeans. Customer just wanted a quick and cheaper repair carried out and was very happy to quote ' thank you for saving my favourite jeans, ive had them for 5 years and they fit me perfect, they just look even more retro now

Back split repair work, again using new denim behind and then overstitch on top to hide the 'white' spilt threads



Before, large split to rear After, new denim and overstitch work for a decent repair



Before, Large hole in knee area Fused from inside the jean, thread colours compared



After, Repair work finished From a short distance, barely noticeable



Cotton pocketing has worn away Trimmed away worn pocketing and stitched with over locked edge, for a more robust finish

Tidying up type repair/alteration to these vintage levis



Before, very tatty bottoms due to wearing too long..... After, shortened and tidy up type alteration