Follow this pattern to create your cake design. We used Rainbow Twizzlers sliced into pieces, but it can work with M&Ms or any other small colored candies.

**INGREDIENTS**
- Cross-stitch pattern
- 3½ cups white frosting
- Blue food coloring
- 2 8-inch square cakes, baked
- 10 Rainbow Twizzlers

1. Mix frosting with 1 to 2 drops food coloring to tint it blue. (We like to use the all-natural dyes from colorkitchenfoods.com.) Set aside.
2. Trim domes from tops of cakes. Transfer one cake layer to serving platter, and spread with about 1¼ cups frosting. Top with second cake layer and coat with remaining frosting, spreading smooth.
3. Cut licorice crosswise into scant ¼-inch pieces. Arrange candy pieces following the pattern.