



Today has been a good day.

We've been treated to a day of warm temperatures and soft winds. Even though it was grey and snowing I found myself smiling and realized part way through the afternoon that it was because the warm temperatures were making it feel a bit like spring and that is just the best feeling you can get in the cold dark months. As I walked home I had to loosen my scarf and the ties on my hat to keep from overheating. I'm sure I could have taken my mittens off too.

I had a parcel in the mailbox. Inside was some linen for my Dessert of the Month sampler and three skeins of hand dyed floss that I'd picked at random off the colour card while I was on the phone ordering the linen. It turns out they are Easter egg colours so there was some more spring in my day. The other colours I've got are all sort of earthy so they don't really go together but it is nice to expand my collection a bit.

When I was putting my new floss away I came across this tiny sampler I started years ago. I think it is from when I was at university. I didn't bother to check just now but I'm pretty sure this is 32 count linen and my goal was to see just how tiny I could make cross stitch. All those perfect, tiny exes make me smile. I pulled out my new lens to take some pictures of them.

I got a nice picture of Abby while I was playing with my camera.



