

7 Square Designs

FLORA

AFGHAN



Michael Sellick

3D Granny Squares

Mix & Match



Tutorials Included





With my fascination with water fountains and symmetry found in old Italian and French Gardens, I give to you my Flora Afghan.

Inspired by one email received in converting a **Yarnspirations Dishcloth** to being a crochet granny square concept. I set forth the ambition to create the dishcloth to a full-size square. With the completion of the square,



Daniel felt the square was missing texture and asked me to rethink the design to give it a lift. With a second attempt, the plan had 3D touches added to it.



Daniel then suggested going a step further in creating a different look altogether. So inspired, the second design was born. It was then, my design bug caught on, and I went on a

mission over two days to design and write the patterns for seven of the squares you see in this design. I was pretty excited, to put it mildly.

I also have a preference for large granny squares versus the smaller ones. There's less sewing involved, and I find I don't get bored with the pattern so quickly. Each of the squares measures approximately 14" x 14".

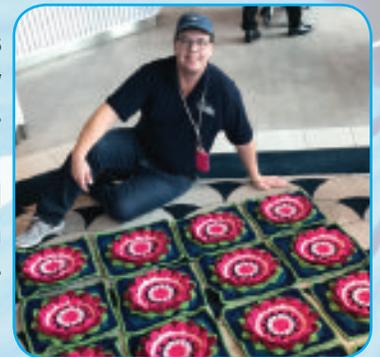
I put the patterns aside and had a personal vacation and decided to go on a mission to just do

one square as a complete finished afghan. I calculated how much yarn one square would take and packed my suitcase. During the off-times on the cruise ship, I crocheted 20 Lilies Squares over a ten-day cruise. Passengers got hooked on watching my progression and were surprised a guy was crocheting to begin with.



With completing a large full-size sample, I knew that it would be possible to allow crocheters to mix and match my squares. Ultimately, I would prefer crocheters to have free choice in their creativity too.

I have designed this entire project to allow you to flex your creativity by giving you information overload to enable you to switch your colours with confidence.





How This eBook Will Work

Usually, a designer will just tell you the number of balls required. I'm going to do that for the finished sample, but I went a step further in the design.

I know from experience that not everyone likes everything I do. Knowing this, I went a step further to think about the colouring changing and get precise information on how much yarn 1 square actually takes.

It really slowed me down to design this project to get very detailed information, but in the end, you have the opportunity to self create your afghan using either all of the squares, a few of the squares or maybe even just one square for your entire afghan.

Conversions

Each of the 7 squares has its own Conversion Table where you can extrapolate the data to change elements of my design.

I used 3 colours in the design to simplify the purchasing process. Where I changed tone are strategic places. So you wanted to add in more colours, I would use the same areas. The table tells

you how many grams/oz were used with the tone I had put into its position. To get the final grams/oz, I added up the same colours and calculated how much of the ball 1 square would use.



Please do not email me to ask me to figure out your specific afghan. I have provided a lot of detail so you can do the calculations on your own.

I also calculated the yarn needed by colour and provided those worksheets for you to use.

For example, let's say you want 6 squares of one type of square and then 6 squares of another to give you an afghan that is 3 x 4 squares. You can look at both conversion sheets to see how many balls you needed for each of the colours.

If White said 53% on the first type of square and said 74% on the second type of square. Add $53\% + 74\% = 127\%$. This means 1 ball and 27% of the second ball of white.





Stitch Along - April to October 2019

- On the 15th of each month, starting April 15th, 2019, I will release 1 square design in both written and video format.
- Six designs of 7 require 3 squares each. 1 design needs only 2. In the final design, I will suggest which one is to be only 2, but you can make up your own mind.
- Each of the designs can be mixed and match with each other. If you wish to omit any of the squares, you can do extra of the other squares that you prefer.

Yarn of Choice

Caron One Pound

454g/16 oz, 742 meters/812 yards.

- White
- Ocean
- Soft Gray Mix

If you wish to change colours, I will encourage it to see where your personal creative tone will take you.

Hook Size

6 mm / J Hook

Flora Afghan As Shown

- White - 2 Balls
- Ocean - 2 Balls
- Soft Gray Mix - 2 Balls

Blanket Stats

- 62" wide x 76"
- Squares are approx 14" x 14"
- 4 Squares Wide x 5 Squares Deep
- 20 Squares Needed
- **Gauge: 14 sc x 13 rows = 4" x 4"**
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Final Border

The final border is determined on the finished sample. I have given information on the yardages for that as well based on the 4 x 5 configuration.

Final border information is given as the last page of this eBook ahead of time in the event you wish to do finish earlier.





Square Summary

If you wish to change colours, I would encourage it to see where your personal creativity will take you.



Chrysanthemum - Make 3



Queen Ann's Lace - Make 3



Hydrangea- Make 3



Flower Clock - Make 2



Posy - Make 3



Water Fountain - Make 3



Lilies - Make 3



Mini Me

For testing prior to filming to run over the pattern again for the 4th time. I am using a different approach because life is short.

Full disclaimer, I don't know how much yarn the mini me version will take as I bought myself a bag of **Patons Grace** yarn in about 9 colours. I bought about 6 balls each. It's probably too much but I want to have more than to run out.

Using **2 mm / 0 (zero) US Hook Size**. It will significantly compress the squares due to the hook size.

Mini Me is 7" x 7" compared to the 14" x 14" in the regular size. They are 1/4 the size.

My Plan

Follow the pattern as written. The colours are not planned in the sense of order. I'm judging each square on the fly and throwing a colour at it. Each square will be unique in the colouring.



I'm following the pattern as written, including the number of recommended squares to make.

When completed, I will sew the squares together and apply the recommended border.

I will add more rows of single crochet to the top of the piece and fold it over so that I can slide in a dowel so the project can be hung.

Ultimately, I'm looking to make a boho themed wall art piece.

Estimated size of the wall art will be about 30" across x 40" deep. I may add fringe to the bottom just because it may be cool that way.

Colour Palette

Colours I am using in Patons Grace are Aquifer, Snow, Ginger, Citadel, Orchid, Blush, Lotus, Fiesta and Cardinal.





Abbreviations Key

The following abbreviations appear in the Flora Afghan Designs. Not all abbreviations are in every design.

- **Beg** = Begin(ning)
- **Beg Popcorn** = Ch 2, 3 dc in same st. Release last loop from hook. Insert hook into top of ch-2. Pull loop through.
- **Mod Bean st** = Modified Bean Stitch. Insert hook into st. Yoh, pull through st. *Yoh, insert into same st, yoh and pull through st. Rep * once more. Yoh and pull through 5 loops. Yoh, pull through last 2 loops.
- **Bet** = Between
- **Ch** = Chain
- **Dc** = Double Crochet
- **Dcbp** = Double Crochet Back Post
- **Extdc** = Extended Double Crochet - Double Crochet as usual but give some extra slack on the first pull through.
- **Exsc** = Extended Single Crochet - Single Crochet as usual but give some extra slack on the first pull through.
- **ModTRfp** = Yoh twice and wrap around post on front side, yoh and pull through loop. Yoh pull through 2 loops - twice. Yoh twice and wrap around next fp as instructed, yoh and pull through loop. Yoh pull through 2 loops - twice. Yoh and pull through all 3 loops on hook.
- **Popcorn** = 4 dc in same st, release last loop from hook. Insert hook into top of 1st dc. Pull loop through.
- **Rep** = Repeat
- **Sc** = Single Crochet
- **Scfp** = Single Crochet Front Post
- **Sp** = Space
- **Yoh** = Yarn Over Hook



Example: *Exsc* - Some slack is given to let the single crochet fit into position correctly.

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 Pattern Designs by Michael Sellick.
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Chrysanthemum Square

Make 3

Revision 4

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: With C, ch 4 (counts as dc). 11 dc in 4th ch from hook. Join with sl st to top of beg ch. - 12 sts

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), dc in same st as join. *2 dc in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 24 sts

Rnd 3: Sl st to next sp bet sts. Ch 3, dc in same sp. Ch 1. 2 dc in same sp. *Skip to 2nd gap sp bet sts (2 dc. Ch 1. 2 dc) in sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch 3. - 48 sts

Rnd 4: Sl st 2 sts over to next ch-1 sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. Ch 1. 2 dc in same sp. *Skip to next ch-1 sp. (2 dc. Ch 1. 2 dc) in sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 48 sts

Rnd 5: Sl st 2 sts over to next ch-1 sp. Ch 3, 2 dc in same sp. Ch 1. 3 dc in same sp. *Skip to next ch-1 sp. (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc.) in sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 72 sts

Rnd 6: Sl st 2 sts over. Ch 3. (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next st. *Skip 4 sts, 1 dc in next. (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp, 1 dc in next st. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 96 sts

Rnd 7: Sl st 2 sts over. Ch 3. 1 dc in next st. (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc.) in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next 2 sts. *Skip 4 sts, 1 dc in next 2 sts. (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in next ch-1 sp. 1 dc in next 2 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 120 sts

Rnd 8: (For this round, you will skip over the first dc and last dc of each petal.) With B, join with sl st to 2nd dc in petal around the back post. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp), 1 dcbp in next 7 sts. 1 sc in sp bet next 2 shells, [ch 2, 1 sc in sp next row down]



4 times. Ch 2, sc in sp bet dc sts in rnd 2. [Ch 2, 1 sc in sp next row up] 5 times. *Skip 1st st of **rnd 7** in petal, 1 dcbp in next 8 sts. 1 sc in sp bet next 2 shells, [ch 2, 1 sc in sp next row down] 4 times. Ch 2, sc in sp bet dc in rnd 2. [Ch 2, 1 sc in sp next row up] 5 times. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg dcbp. Fasten off B. - 96 dcbp sts



Mini Me Version

Rnd 9: With A, join with sl st to 1st dc in petal around back post. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp), 1 dcbp in next 7 sts. 1 tr in sp bet shells in rnd 7. *1 dcbp in next 8 sts, 1 tr in sp bet shells in rnd 7. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off but keep A for rnd 10. - 108 sts

Tip: Conversion to square begins in the next round.

Rnd 10: With A, join with sl st to any tr st. Ch 4 (counts as tr), 1 tr in same st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr] in next st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg sp, join with hdc to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 11: Ch 3, dc in same hdc join. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in

corner. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in beg sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 12: With C, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last corner sp. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 13: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. 5 sc in same sp. Sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts



If I give up on crocheting, I will just have to find a new hobby to keep me busy in waiting rooms.

- Monica



Knowing that I have a month to complete the squares is a great way to keep from stressing!

- Diana



A few years back when my kids were really big into Star Wars (they still are, but not as much), I thought I would make a graphghan of Chewbacca. I ordered a ridiculous amount of dark brown yarn. in the picture...glaring at me on the petal at 9 o'clock in the first picture. I made a mistake!!! Seriously freaked out, did not want to frog it! I figured I could put in a standing single crochet and close the gap, weave in the ends.

- Jenny



Crocheting is my "down-time" as I'm a busy mom of three teenage boys, work full-time and a full-time wife!

- Aurelie



- Todd



Nancy



Elizabeth



Rachelle



Gail



Charissa



Jessica



Tina



Virginia



Christina



Sandy



Carole



Chrysa



Patricia



Kendall



Eunice



Mary



Tiffany



Holly



Jenie



Julia



Joan



Denise



Julie



Heshani



Lydia



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Mary



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Stephanie



Janette



Rose



Michelle



Chris



Cindy



Jessica



Lauren



Mandy



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Pamela



Karla

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Crocheters who decided to do the Chrysanthemum as a complete afghan.



Lauren Wolf



Sheila Wilson



Nancy Elliott



Helen Diaz Hilton



Tiffany Tolbert



Patricia Kufra

Flower Clock Square

Make 2

Revision 1

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: With B, ch 4. 11 dc in 4th st from hook. Join with sl st to beg ch-4. Fasten off B. - 12 sts

Rnd 2: With C, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, 1 dc into the same st. 2 dc into each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 24 sts

Rnd 3: With A, join with sl st in the back loop of same st as join. Ch 3. Working in back loops only for this round. 2 dc into next st. *1 dc into next. 2 dc in next st. Rep * around. Join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 36 sts

Rnd 4: With B, join with sl st same st as join. Ch 3, 2 dc into same st. *Skip next st, 3 dc in next st. Rep * around. Skip last st and join with sl st into top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 54 sts, 18 groups of 3 dc

Rnd 5: With A, join with sl st to a middle st of the group of 3 dc. Ch 3, 3 dc into same st. *Skip next 2 sts, 4 dc into next. Rep * around. Join with sl st to the first ch-3. Fasten off A. - 72 sts, 18 groups of 4 dc

Rnd 6: With B, join with sl st to 1st dc of a group of 4 dc. Ch 1, 1 sc in same st as join. 1 sc in next 3 sts. *1 extdc down in sp bet groups of 3 dc sets in rnd 4. 1 sc in next 4 sts. Rep * around. 1 extdc down in sp between groups of 3 dc sets in rnd 4. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 90 sts

Tip: I have advice for the slip stitching. See video tutorial as it's more of manipulation than to the crochet standards. Cheating but not cheating.

Rnd 7: With C, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, 1 dc in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 90 sts



Rnd 8: With B fasten onto back post of joining st. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp), 1 dcbp in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 90 sts

Rnd 9: With A, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, 1 dc in same st. 1 dc in next 4 sts. *2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 4 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 108 sts



Mini Me Version

Tip: Next round, we start converting to a square.

Rnd 10: With C, join with sl st to any st. Ch 4 (counts as tr), 1 tr in same st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr] in next st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next st. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, hdc join to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 11: Ch 3, dc in same hdc join. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in ch-2 corner. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next ch-2 corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in beg corner sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 12: With B, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp.

Ch 3, 1 dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in ch-2 corner, 1 dc in each st to next ch-2 corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last ch-2 sp. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 13: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. 5 sc in same sp. 1 sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, 1 sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts



One of the things I love about doing CALs is that I actually finish them!! I have a closet full of WIPs but with CALS, I actually do them! - Tina



I only learnt to crochet via YouTube in February, so I am learning so much from making this Afghan, I've had to frog a few bits a couple of times, but it's all a learning curve.
- Christina



My 4 month old son is currently at Phoenix children's hospital for his kidney surgery. Doing crochet and keeping my hands busy helps me from pacing the floors. This flower clock is helping to pass the time.
- Elizabeth



Every night, I work on my crochet WIPs for a bit after work. Many nights, I tote my WIP to my neighbor's house to catch up on our day and watch a little tv. - Angel



I went on line to order the yarn I needed, but when I went to look for grey the Claret keep popping up and since red was one of my favorite colors I ended up with red. - Cloye



Cloye



Gail



Elizabeth



Ruth



Michele



Joan



Tina



Sarah



Donita



Charissa



Tiffany



Rachelle



Kristin



Emily



Kelley



Renee'



Sheri



Carolyn



Crystal



Jenny



Karen



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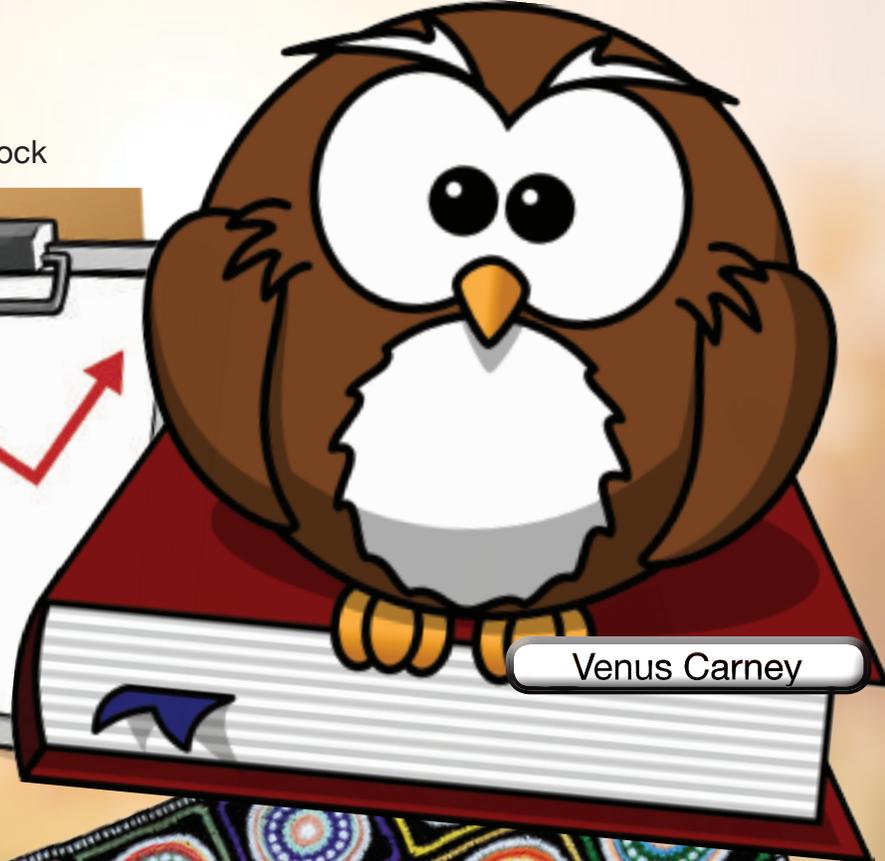
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Crocheters who decided to do the Flower Clock as a complete afghan.



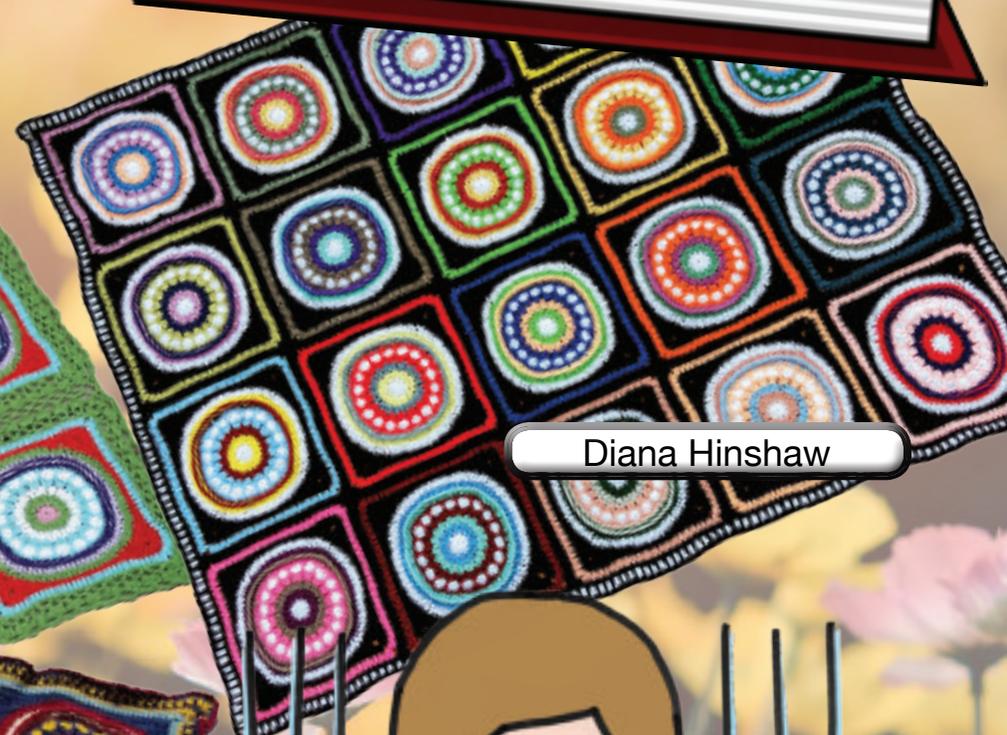
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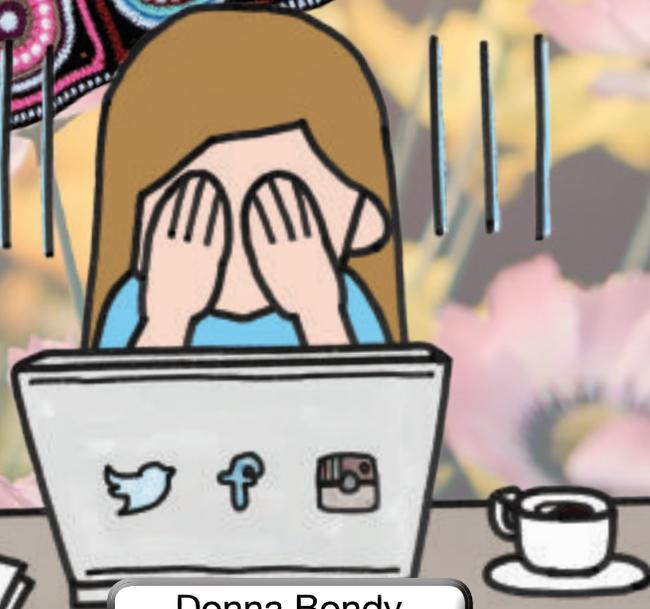
Nancy Elliott



Diana Hinshaw



Patti-Jo Dietz



Donna Bondy

Hydrangea

Revision 2

Make 3

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Beg Popcorn = Ch 2, 3 dc in same st. Release last loop from hook. Insert hook into top of ch-2. Pull loop through.

Popcorn = 4 dc in same st. Release last loop from hook. Insert hook into top of 1st dc. Pull loop through.

Look for the Red Box

For the Mini Me test version being more vibrant in colours, I determined that keeping certain round colours the same for best presentation is vital.

Rounds inside the red box should be the same colour for best looking results.

Photo to the upper right is **slightly different** than



the written instructions. During testing, I found it was best to have every petal pinned into position as the gapping holes behind it can be troublesome for presentation.

The white petals in the original are not pinned with a single crochet. In tutorial, I will share more about this as you can make up your own mind.

Rnd 1: With A, ch 4 (counts as dc), 11 dc in 4th ch from hook. Join with sl st to top of beg ch. - 12 sts

Rnd 2: Beg popcorn. Ch 2. *1 popcorn in next st, ch 2. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg popcorn. - 12 popcorn



Rnd 3: Sl st to next ch-2 sp. Ch 1, 3 sc in same ch-2 sp. *3 sc in next ch-2 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 36 sts

Rnd 4: Ch 3 (counts as dc), popcorn in next st, ch 1, 1 dc in next st. *1 dc in next st, popcorn in next st, ch 1, 1 dc in next st. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 36 sts, including 12 popcorn

Rnd 5: Ch 1, 1 sc in same st as join st. 1 sc in 1st gap bet dc and popcorn, ch 2, 1 sc in gap on other side of popcorn, 1 sc in next st. *1 sc in next st. 1 sc in 1st gap bet dc and popcorn, ch 2, 1 sc in gap on other side of popcorn, 1 sc in next st.



Mini Me Version
Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 48 sts

Rnd 6: Sl st 2 sts over to next ch-2 sp. Ch 1, 1 sc in same ch-2 sp, ch 5, 1 sc in same ch-2 sp. *Ch 1, 1 sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 5, 1 sc in same sp. Rep * around. Ch 1. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 12 ch-5 sps

Rnd 7: Ch 1. *(1 sc. 1 hdc. 3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc. 1 hdc. 1 sc) in next ch-5 sp. 1 sc in next ch-1 sp. Rep * around. Sl st to beg sc. **Fasten off colour to change.** - 12 petals

Rnd 8: Use new colour, use standing double crochet and start in same st where you finished. Ch 5. Sl st to top of dc. 1 dc in same sp. *Ch 3, 1 dc in next sc bet petals, Ch 5. Sl st in same dc st - *picot made*, 1 dc in same st. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg standing dc.. **Must fasten off to restart in different location for rnd 9.** - 12 ch-5 sp

Rnd 9: With same colour as rnd 8, join with sl st to any ch-3 sp. Ch 1, 1 sc in same sp. (2 dc. 3 tr. Ch 2. 3 tr. 2 dc) in next ch-5 sp. *1 sc in next ch-3 sp. (2 dc. 3 tr. Ch 2. 3 tr. 2 dc) in next ch-5 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 12 petals

Rnd 10 With Pinning (Recommended): Picture below showing in **RED**. Use different colour, ch 1, insert hook through ch-1 sp of the top of petal in rnd 7. 2 sc in same st as join. *Ch 5, insert hook through ch-2 sp of top of petal in rnd 7, 2 sc in next sc bet petals. Rep * around. Join with sl st to



top of beg sc. Fasten off B. - 12 ch-5 sp
In tutorial, you will see me doing this. The ch-5 will be tighter so that the petal created in rnd 9 (shown in blue) will rest in front of the ch-5.

If you don't want pinning, skip inserting the hook into the top of the rnd 7 petal and it will naturally lift up. Be warned though, it will create a gapping space where the petals can slip into the hole and rest on the backside of the afghan.

Rnd 10 Optional Without Pinning: Use different colour. Fasten on to last stitch used to join. Ch 1, 2 sc in same st as join. *Ch 5, 2 sc in next sc bet petals. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg sc. Fasten off B. - 12 ch-5 sp

Rnd 11: Join C, join with sl st to ch-5 sp. Ch 3, 8

dc in same sp. *9 dc in next ch-5 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 108 sts

Rnd 12: Ch 1, sl st around back post of same post. Ch 3. 1 dcbp in next 3 sts. 1 hdc in next st with ch-2 of middle of petal in rnd 9 tog, 1 dcbp in next 8 sts. *1 hdc in next st with ch-2 of middle of petal in rnd 9 tog, 1 dcbp in next 8 sts. Rep * around. 1 dcbp in last 4 sts. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 108 sts

Tip: Next rnds, we are going to start to convert to a square.

Rnd 13: Sl st 4 sts over to next hdc. Ch 4 (counts as tr), 1 tr in same st. (1 tr. 3 dc. 5 hdc. 8 sc. 5 hdc. 3 dc. 1 tr) to next corner st. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr] in next st. (1 tr. 3 dc. 5 hdc. 8 sc. 5 hdc. 3 dc. 1 tr) to next corner st. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, join with hdc to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 14: Ch 3, 1 dc in same hdc join. (3 dc. 3 hdc. 18 sc. 3 hdc. 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc] in corner. (3 dc. 3 hdc. 18 sc. 3 hdc. 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last corner sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 15: With B, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3, 1 dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last ch-2 sp. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 16: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 1, 5 sc in same sp. 1 sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, 1 sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts



Brittney



Kathy



Kate



Elizabeth



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Bridgette



Amanda



Angel



Christina



Barby



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Nancy



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Susan



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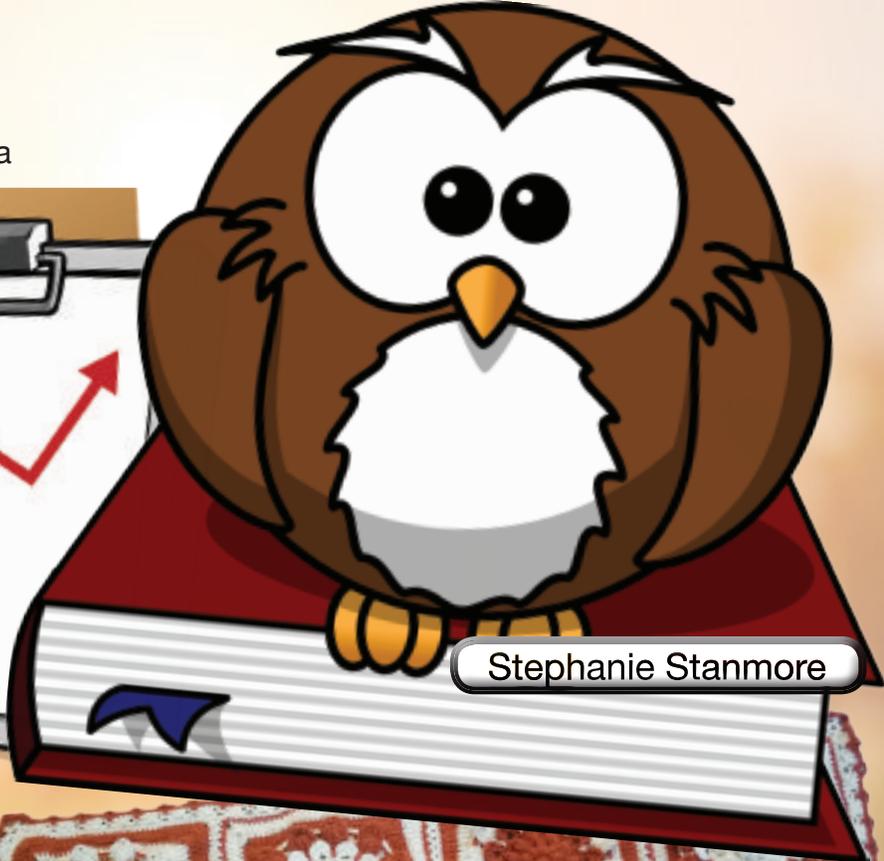
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Crocheters who decided to do the Hydrangea as a complete afghan.



Valerie Torr



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Nancy Elliot

Sally Swaine

Tami Spearman

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Posy Flower Square

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Make 3

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: With C, ch 4. 11 dc in 4th st from hook. Join with sl st to beg ch-4. Fasten off C. - 12 sts

Rnd 2: With A, join with sl st to same st as join. (Beg popcorn, ch 2, popcorn) in same st. Ch 2. *Skip next st, (popcorn, ch 2, popcorn) in next st. Ch 2. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg popcorn. Fasten off A. - 12 popcorn around

Rnd 3: With B, join with sl st to next ch-2 sp. Ch 1, sc, ch 1, sc in same sp. 1 sc in top of next popcorn st. *1 sc, ch 1, 1 sc in next ch-2 sp. 1 sc in next popcorn st. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 36 sts

Rnd 4: Sl st to next ch-1 sp. Ch 4, dc in same ch-1 sp. Ch 1. *(1 dc. Ch 1. 1 dc. - V-st) in next ch-1 sp. Ch 1. Rep * around. Join with sl st to 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off B. - 12 V-sts with ch-1 sp between

Rnd 5: With A, join with sl st to ch-1 sp in any V-st. Ch 1, sc in same sp. 7 tr in next V-st. *Sc in next V-st. 7 tr in next V-st. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off A. - 48 sts

Rnd 6: With C, join with sl st around back post of any sc st. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp), *1 dcbp in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 48 sts

Tip: Next 2 rounds exercises tapestry techniques of switching yarns and hiding the unused yarn under the other colour's stitchwork.

Rnd 7: Tapestry Technique use colours A and B. With A to start, join with sl st to any st. Ch 1, 1 sc in same st and next st, be sure to switch to B when finishing second sc. With B, 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next. *With A, 1 sc in next 2 sts. With B, 2 sts in



next, 1 sc in next. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc with A. - 60 sts

Rnd 8: Continue to use Tapestry Technique. With A, Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, 1 sc in next. With B, Sc in next 3 sts. *With A, 2 sc in next st, 1 sc in next. With B, 1 sc in next 3 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off A and B. - 72 sts

Rnd 9: With C, join with sl st to same st as join. Ch 3, dc in same st. 1 dc in next 5 sts. *2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 5 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 84 sts

Rnd 10: With B, fasten onto back post of joining st. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp), 1 dcbp in each st around. Join with st sl to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 84 sts

Rnd 11: With A, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, dc in same st. 1 dc in next 6 sts. *2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 6 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 96 sts

Rnd 12: With C, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, dc in same st. 1 dc in next 7 sts. *2 dc in next st, 1 dc in next 7 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 108 sts

Tip: We are going to convert to a square starting in next round.

Rnd 13: With B, join with sl st to any st. Ch 4 (counts as tr), 1 tr in same st. (1 tr. 3 dc. 5 hdc. 8 sc. 5 hdc. 3 dc. 1 tr) to next corner st. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr] in next st. (1 tr. 3 dc. 5 hdc. 8 sc. 5 hdc. 3 dc. 1 tr) to next corner st. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, join with hdc to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 14: Ch 3, 1 dc in same hdc join. (3 dc. 3 hdc. 18 sc. 3 hdc. 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc] in corner. (3 dc. 3 hdc. 18 sc. 3 hdc. 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last corner sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 15: With C, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3, 1 dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last ch-2 sp. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 16: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 1, 5 sc in same sp. 1 sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, 1 sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts

No revisions at this time.



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Venus



Jennifer



Carol



Aubrey



Cindi



Amanda



Shelly



Jan



Myra



Meitrya



Steven



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Liz



Jodi



Gerry



Lori



Terri



Teresa



Melinda



Marcie



Debbie



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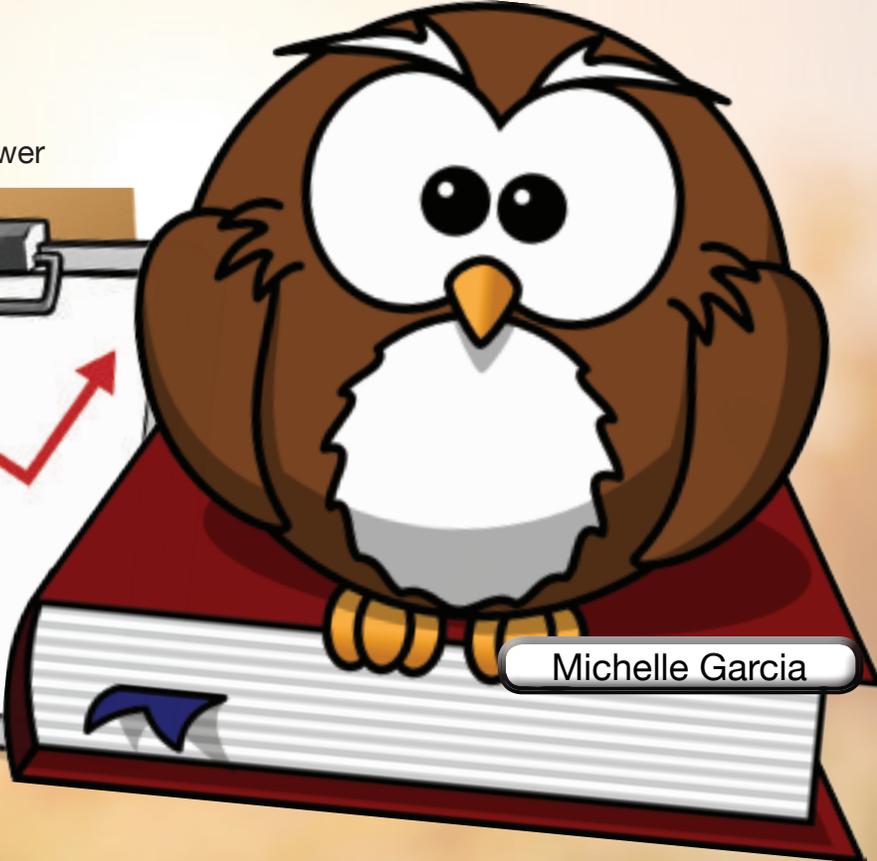
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Crocheters who decided to do the Posey Flower as a complete afghan.



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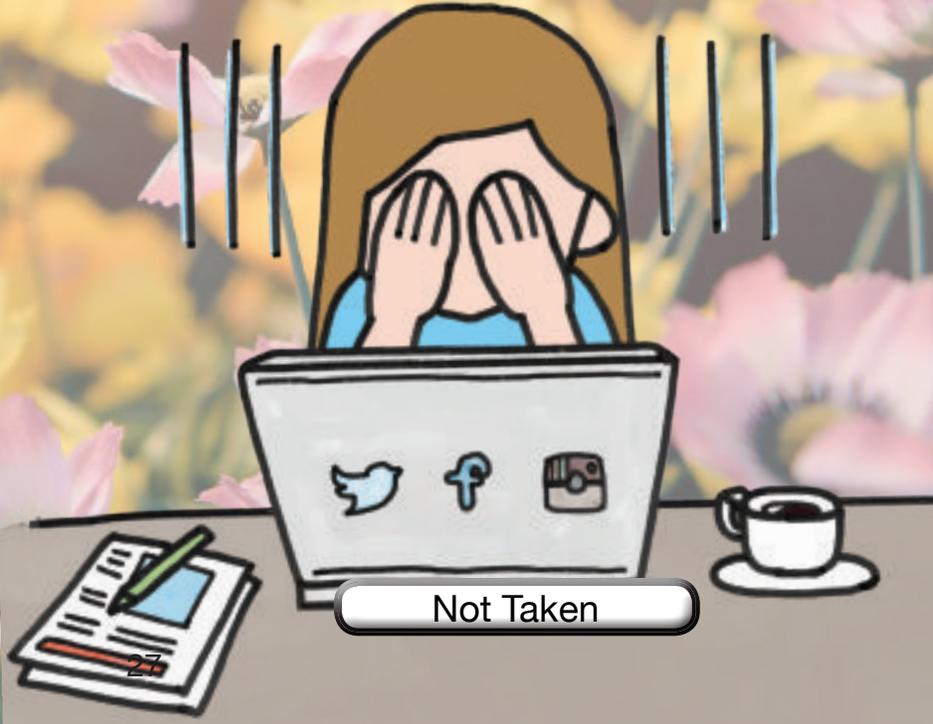


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Michelle Payne-Mena

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Lilies in August

Revision 3

Make 3

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

The original didn't have the petals pinned back. In firming up the design, I decided to try to pin back the petals to remove a potential problem. The problem can be that if you don't pin them back, you have large gaps of space where the petals can fall to the wrong side. In spreading out the afghan, you can manually fix the petals for best staging. I'm calling this as untucked petals.

In the tucked version, I pinned back the first petal in circle. I have also pinned back the 12 final petals in the 2nd last round to keep the flower centered. This prevents any of the petals from falling to the back side. This is called the tucked petals version.

Follow the pattern as is but deviate depending on the version you want for yourself. Both versions will be the same size for your afghan.

Crocheter, **Granny Jedi**, has figured out an alternative that is much better than my tucked version and gapping version. I am providing her changes at the end of the article. If you want her version, jump to the end of the pattern and pick up from rnds 11 - 16 using her changes.

Rnd 1: With A, ch 4. 11 dc in 4th ch from hook. Join with sl st to the first ch-3. - 12 sts

Rnd 2: Ch 3, 1 dc into the same st. *2 dc into each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 24 sts

Rnd 3: With B, join with sl st to any sp bet a 2 dc group. Ch 3, 2 dc into the same sp. *Skip 2 dc, 3 dc into the sp bet next 2 dc group. Rep * around. Join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 36 sts

Rnd 4: With C, join with sl st to any sp bet a 3 dc group. Ch 1, sc into the same sp, ch 3. *Skip next 3 dc, sc into the sp bet 3 dc group, ch 3. Rep * around. Join with sl st into the beg sc. Fasten off C. - 12 sc sts

Rnd 5: With A, join with sl st to any ch-3 sp. Ch 1, 5 sc into the same sp. *5 sc into next ch-3 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st into the beg sc. Fasten off A. - 60 sts

Rnd 6: With C, join with sl st to the middle sc of a 5 sc group



in rnd 5. Ch 3, 4 dc into the same st, exsc around front post of sc in round 4. *Skip to middle sc of next 5 sc group in rnd 5, 5 dc into st, exsc around front post of sc in round 4. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 72 sts

Rnd 7: With A, join with sl st around the front post of the exsc of rnd 6. Ch 3, 4 dcfp around the same st. *Sc into the middle st of the next 5 dc group. 5 dcfp around post of exsc. Rep * around. Join with sl st in top of ch-3. Fasten off A. - 72 sts

Rnd 8: With B, join with sl st in sc st. Ch 1, sc into same st and each st around. Join with sl st into the beg sc. - 72 sts

Rnd 9: Ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc in same st). 1 sc in each of the next 5 sts. *(Sc, ch 3, sc in next st), 1 sc in each of the next 5 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 84 sts around with **12 ch-3 loops**

Rnd 10: With C, join with sl st to middle sc of a group of 7 sc. Ch 1, sc in same st. *(5 dc, ch 2, 5 dc) in next ch-3 sp. Skip 3 sc, sc in next. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 12 petals and **12 sc sts**

Crocheter, Granny Jedi's Version picks up here. Go to the end of the pattern and do her rnds 11 - 16 and then pick my pattern up again from rnds 17 to the end.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 4. *Skip to next sc. (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 4. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off C. - 24 sc with **12 ch-4 sps, and 12 ch-3 loops**

Rnd 12: With A, join with sl st to ch-4 sp. Ch 1, sc around same ch-4 sp. *(6 dc, ch 2, 6 dc) in next ch-3 sp. Skip to next ch-4 sp, 1 sc in same ch-4 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 12 petals and **12 sc sts**.

Rnd 13: Ch 1, (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 5. *Skip to next sc. (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 5. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off A. - 24 sc with **12 ch 3 loops and 12 ch 5 sps**

Untucked Version: Rnd 14 will leave all petals untucked and linked to each other. This is how the original Lilies in August Afghan looks and the original Flora Afghan example.

Tucked Version: Rnd 14 will fasten the petals together to link them to prevent the petals from sinking below the gap spaces.

Rnd 14 Untucked Petals: Fasten on to any ch-5. Ch 1, 1 sc around same ch-5 sp. (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. *1 sc around next ch-5 sp. (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. Repeat * around. Join with sl st to beg sc.

Rnd 14 Tucked Petals: With B, join with sl st by inserting hook from behind to ch-3 sp of rnd 11. **Ch 1, 1 sc in same sp.** Insert hook from front of first ch-2 in petal 1 (rnd 10) (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. *1 sc over top of the ch-5 from rnd 13 and from the back. Insert hook from front of first ch-2 in petal 1 (rnd 10) (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 12 petals

Rnd 15: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 7. *Sc in next sc, **ch 7.** Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 12 sc in circle with 12 ch-7 spaces.

Rnd 16: With C, fasten on to ch-7 sp. Ch 3, 8 dc in same sp. *9 dc in next ch-7 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 108 sts

Tip: Transitioning to corner starts here.

Rnd 17: Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in same st. 1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr.] in next st. 1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, hdc join to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 18: Ch 3, dc in same hdc join. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in corner. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. - 34 sts per side. Fasten off C. - **136 sts**

Rnd 19 Tucked Version: As you complete Rnd 19. The last petal will align 4 times to the centre middle of the square. When completing Rnd 19, the middle stitch of 1 double crochet will be inserted through the ch-2 of the tip of the petal and regular stitch of rnd 18. With B fasten onto corner sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 19 Untucked Version: With B fasten onto corner sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc.

Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 20: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. 5 sc in same sp. Sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 172 sts

Crocheter, **Granny Jedi**, has suggested a way for the petals to rest without having the pinned look. This will prevent the petals from falling back and make the petals rest naturally. I will put Granny Jedi's suggestion in as I wish I had thought of it and I think it's better than my original thought. The tutorial doesn't match Granny Jedi's suggestions.

Rnds 11 - 16 Granny Jedi Style

Granny Jedi's version doesn't require tucking and there are no gaps to fight with at the end. If you were to ask me bluntly which version is better, Granny Jedi's version is the best. The tutorial will not match this.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 2, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 10, ch 2. *Skip to next sc. (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 2, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 10, ch 2. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off C. - **12 ch-3 loops and 24 ch 2 sps**

Rnd 12: With A, join with sl st to sc between loops. Ch 1, sc in same sc. *(6 dc, ch 2, 6 dc) in next ch-3 sp. Skip to next sc between loops, 1 sc in next sc. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 12 petals **and 12 sc sts**

Rnd 13: Ch 1, (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 3, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 12, ch 3. *Skip to next sc. (1 sc, ch 3, 1 sc in same st), ch 3, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 12, ch 3. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off A. - 24 sc with **12 ch 3 loops and 24 ch 3 sps**

Rnd 14: Fasten on to any with sl st to sc between loops. Ch 1, 1 sc around same . (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. *1 sc in next sc between loops. (2 tr, 3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc, 2 tr) in next ch-3 sp. Repeat * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. 12 petals and 12 sc sts

Rnd 15: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 4, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 14, ch 4. *Sc in next sc, ch 4, 1 sc between centre petal of rnd 14, ch 4. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 24 sc and 24 ch 4 sps

Rnd 16: With C, fasten on to sc between petals. Ch 3, 4 dc in next ch-4 sp. 1 dc in next sc. 4 dc in next ch-4 sp. *4 dc in next ch-4 sp, 1 dc in next sc. 4 dc in next ch-4 sp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 108 sts

Return to Rnd 17 of existing pattern.

Noted Revisions

Rnd 9: Ending stitch count updated from - 84 sts around with **12 ch-5 sps to 12 ch-3 loops.**

Rnd 14:

Ch 3 (counts as dc). Updated with **Ch 1, 1 sc in same sp.**

*1 dc over top of the ch-5 from rnd 13 and from the back.
Updated with **1 sc over the top of ch-5.**

Rnd 15: *Sc in next sc, ch 5. Rep * around. Updated with
*Sc in next sc, ch 7. ***Sc in next sc, ch 7.**



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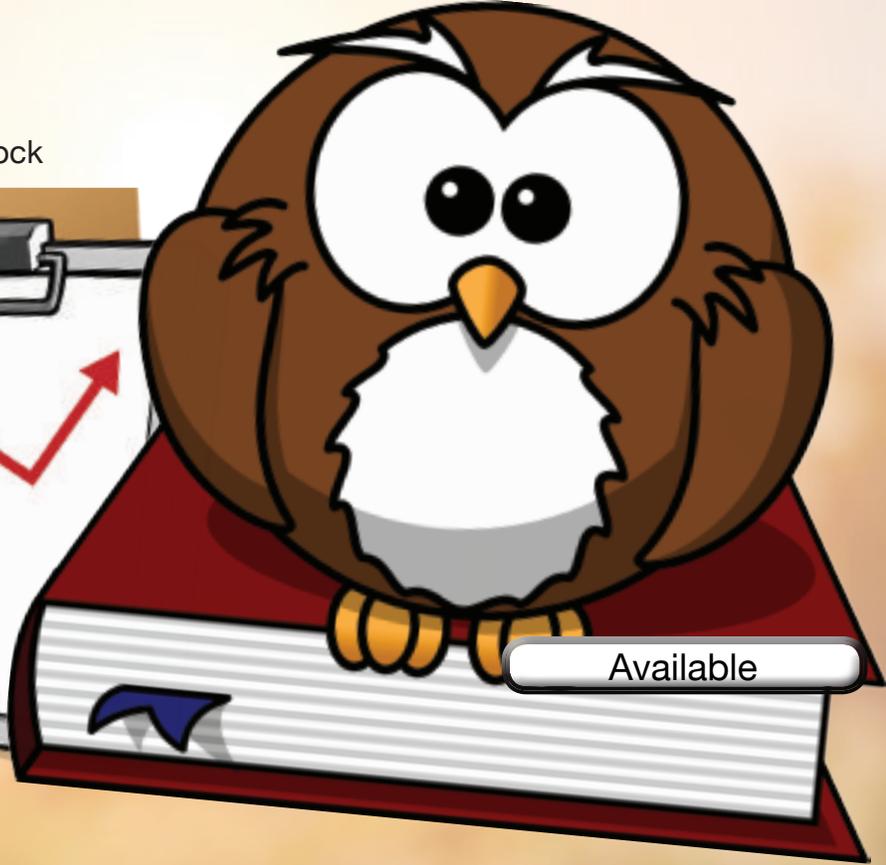
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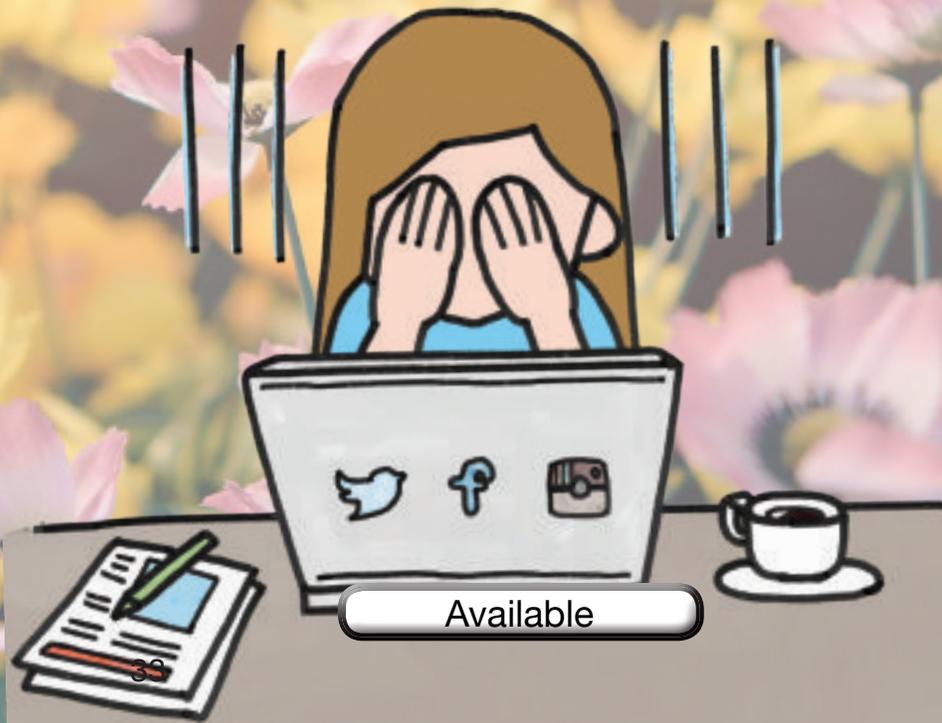


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Water Fountain

Revision 2

Make 3

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: With B. Ch 4 (counts as dc + ch 1). Into 4th ch from hook, *1 dc, ch 1. Rep * 10 times. Join with sl st to top of beg ch. Fasten off B. - 12 sts and 12 ch-1 sp

Rnd 2: With C, join with sl st to any ch-1 sp. Ch 1, 2 sc into the same sp, 1 scfp around post of next dc. *2 sc into the next ch-1 sp, 1 scfp around post of next dc. Rep * around. Join to beg sc. Fasten off C. - 36 sts

Rnd 3: With A, join with sl st around front post of the scfp. Ch 3, 2 dcfp around the same post as joining. *Skip 2 sc, 3 dcfp around next scfp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 36 sts

Rnd 4: With B, join with sl st to any sp bet groups of 3 fpdc. Ch 1, 1 sc into the same sp. *1 sc into next 3 sts, 1 sc into next sp bet groups. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 48 sts

Rnd 5: With C join with sl st to next st from join. Ch 1, 1 sc into the same st, 1 sc into the next 2 sts, 1 trfp around scfp st in rnd 2. Sk the sc behind trfp. *1 sc into each of the next 3 sts, 1 trfp around scfp st in rnd 2. Sk the sc behind trfp. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 48 sts

Rnd 6: Ch 1, 1 sc into same st and each st around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off C. - 48 sts

Rnd 7: With B, join with sl st in same st **directly above a trfp used in rnd 5. Ch 1, 1 sc into the same st as join and next st, 1 modTRfp before trfp in rnd 5 and next trfp in rnd 5.** *Sk the sc behind modTRfp, 1 sc into each of the next 3 sts,



1 modTRfp before trfp in rnd 5 and next trfp in rnd 5. Rep * around. **1 sc in last st.** Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 48 sts

Rnd 8: With A, join with sl st to top of any modTRfp in row below. Ch 3, 1 dc into the same st, 1 dc into each of the next 3 sts. *2 dc into modTRfp st, 1 dc into each of the next 3 sts. Rep * around. Join to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 60 sts

Rnd 9: With B, join with sl st to next st after join. Ch 1, 1 sc into the same st and the next 4 sts. *1 trfp around the modTRfp from round 7, 1 sc starting in first sc behind trfp into each of the next 5 sts. Rep * around. Join to beg sc. Fasten off B. - 72 sts

Rnd 10: With C join to same st as join. Ch 3, 1 dc in next 4 sts. 2 dcfp around trfp st below. *1 dc in next 5 sts, 2 dcfp around trfp st below. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 84 sts

Rnd 11: Ch 2 (doesn't count as hdc). Using front loops only, 1 hdc in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg. - 84 sts

Rnds 12 - 13: Ch 2 (doesn't count as hdc), 1 hdc in each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg hdc. Fasten off C. - 84 sts

Rnd 14: With A, Folding back last row to the remaining back loop of rnd 11. Join with sl st. Ch 1, 1 sc each st through rnd 13 and rnd 11 together to

make fold permanent. Join with sl st to beg sc. - 84 sts

Rnd 15: Ch 3, 1 dc in same st as join. 1 dc in each of the next 6 sts, *2 dc in next st. 1 dc in each of the next 6 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. - 96 sts

Rnd 16: Ch 3, 1 dc in same st as join. 1 dc in each of the next 7 sts, *2 dc in next st. 1 dc in each of the next 7 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-2. Fasten off A. - 108 sts

Rnd 17: With B, join with sl st to any st. Ch 4 (counts as tr), 1 tr in same st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr.] in next st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, hdc join to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 18: Ch 3, dc in same hdc join. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc] in corner. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last corner sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 19: With C, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc in last corner sp, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 20: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. 5 sc in same sp. Sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts

No revisions at this time.

Rnd 7: Marked with bold writing.



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Revision 1

Make 3

Materials

6 mm / J Hook, Caron One Pound

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: With B, ch 4, 11 dc in 3rd ch from hook. Join with sl st to the first ch-3. – 12 sts

Rnd 2: Ch 3, 1 dc into the same st. *2 dc into each st around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. – 24 sts

Rnd 3: With A, join with sl st to back loop of any st. Ch 3. Working in back loops only for this round. *2 dc into next st, 1 dc into next st. Rep * around. 2 dc in last st. Join with sl st in top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. – 36 sts

Rnd 4: With C, join with sl st to any st. Ch 3, 2 dc into same st. *Skip 1 st, 3 dc into next st. Rep * around. Skip last st and join with sl st into top of ch-3. Fasten off C. - 54 sts

Rnd 5: With A, join with sl st to the back loop (BLO) of 1st dc in any group 3 dc. Ch 1, working in BLO, 1 sc in same st and next 2 sts. 1 trfp around the post of the skipped dc from rnd 3. *1 sc in next 3 sts using BLO. 1 trfp around post of skipped dc from rnd 3. Rep * around. Join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off A. - 72 sts

Rnd 6: With B, join with sl st to the back loop of the trfp. Working into the BLO, ch 1, 2 sc into the same st. 1 sc in next 7 sts. *2 sc in the next trfp. 1 sc in the next 7 sts. Rep * around. Every other trfp has 2 sc. Join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off B. - 81 sts

Rnd 7: With C, join with sl st in BLO. Working into the BLO, ch 1, sc BLO into the same st and each st around. Join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off C. - 81 sts



Rnd 8: With B, join with sl st in the BLO. Working into the BLO around, Ch 1, 2 sc into the same st, 1 sc in each of the next 8 sts. *2 sc in the next st, 1 sc into the next 8 sts. Rep * around. Join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off B. - 90 sts

Rnd 9: With A, join with sl st into the middle st by looking down to rnd 8 between trfp from round 6. Ch 4, 4 tr. Trfp into trfp from round 5, *skip 4 sts, 5 tr into the next st, trfp into next trfp from rnd 5. Rep * around. Join with sl st into top of ch-3. Fasten off A to have best results using same colour for next round. - 108 sts

Tip: As you crochet round 10, the 5 trebles will want to bowl away from you. As you crochet around, flip the 5 tr to bowl towards you.

Rnd 10: With A, join with sl st to top of trfp. Ch 1, sc in same st. Ch 3. *Sc in next trfp st. Ch 3. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off A. - 18 ch-3 sp

Rnd 11: With C, join with sl st to any ch-3 sp. Ch 3, 5 dc in same sp. *6 dc in each ch-3 sp around. Join with sl st to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off C for best results to continue this colour for rnd 12. - 108 sts

Rnd 12: With C, fasten on to back post of joining st. Ch 3 (counts as dcbp). 1 dcbp in each st around. Fasten off C. - 108 sts

Tip: We begin to convert to a square in the next round.

Rnd 13: With A, join with sl st to any st. Ch 4 (counts as tr), tr in same st. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. *[2 tr. Ch 2. 2 tr.] in next hdc. (1 tr, 3 dc, 5 hdc, 8 sc, 5 hdc, 3 dc, 1 tr) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 tr in beg st, hdc join to top of ch-4. - 30 sts per side. - 120 sts

Rnd 14: Ch 3, dc in same hdc join. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. *[2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc] in corner. (3 dc, 3 hdc, 18 sc, 3 hdc, 3 dc) to next corner. Rep * around. 2 dc, join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off A. - 34 sts per side. - 136 sts

Rnd 15: With B, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. Ch 3, dc in same sp. 1 dc in each st to next corner. *(2 dc. Ch 2. 2 dc.) in corner, 1 dc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with hdc to top of beg ch-3. Fasten off B. - 38 sts per side. - 152 sts

Rnd 16: With A, join with sl st to ch-2 corner sp. 5 sc in same sp. 1 sc in each st to next corner. *5 sc in ch-2 corner, 1 sc in each st to next corner. Rep * around. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off. - 43 sts per side - 172 sts

No revisions at this time.



Layout

I spent a great deal of time moving around the squares to appear random in the afghan. If you prefer a more uniform look or symmetrical appearance, my conversion sheets will help you figure out the yarn quantities as you may need to do different counts of squares.

The afghan is whip stitched together using White on the back loops of each of the squares to provide the invisible seam look.

I kept the border look being simple to not take away from the project. The border will work for any size you make it to be.

Border Instructions

6 mm / J Hook

A - White

B - Ocean

C - Soft Gray Mix

Rnd 1: (RS) Fasten onto the middle st of 5 in the corner of afghan. Ch 1. 3 sc in same st. 1 sc evenly

spaced to next middle st of 5 in next corner. *3 sc in corner st, 1 sc evenly spaced to next middle st of 5 in next corner.. Rep * 2 more times. Join with sl st to beg sc. Break A.

Mod Bean st - Insert hook into st. Yoh, pull through st. *Yoh, insert into same st, yoh and pull through st. Rep * once more. Yoh and pull through 5 loops. Yoh, pull through last 2 loops.

Tip: *When you do the bean st across to next corner, you skip 1 st between the bean sts. The goal is to get to the middle st of next corner. If you have to skip 1 extra st to keep the balance, do it. It will keep you in balance and it's not very noticeable.*

Rnd 2: With B, fasten onto the middle sc of a corner. Ch 1. [(Mod bean st. Ch 2. Mod bean st. Ch 2. Bean St. Ch 2) in middle st of corner - corner. Skip next st. **Mod bean st in next, ch 2. Rep ** to after next corner.] Rep [] around. Join with sl st to beg bean st. Break B.

Rnd 3: With C, fasten onto any mod bean st. Ch 1. 1 sc in same st. *1 dc going over the ch-2 trapping it underneath into next st in rnd 1. 1 sc in next bean st. Rep * around. 1 dc going over ch-2 trapping it underneath in next st in rnd 1. Join with sl st to beg sc. Fasten off.

Suggested Layout

The computerized layout was theoretical. In the end, I moved a few squares around in the final sample that you will see on the page before.

This is your afghan, so be creative and make it personal. Whether you have chosen a unique colour scheme or even just added extra squares or omitted squares.

As a finished afghan, it fits the top only of a queen size bed with no drape. If you want drape, you need to add 16 more squares to have the 14" drape over the edge of the bed. **6 x 6 squares = 36 squares.**

As shown, it will drape beautifully over a twin size bed.





Share Your Stories & Pictures

Throughout this book there is empty space. Like many of our crochet projects, it's a WIP (work in progress).

At the end of this Stitch Along, you will be able to submit us finished photos to qualify for for 1 of 5 giveaways.

However, as we surpass each month, we will be adding more to the eBook which may include your photos and stories.

Your Mid Stitch Along Challenge

Your challenge is simple.

- Take photos of your WIPS as you go.
- This may include going to the yarn store to get more yarn.
- You may include yourself crocheting the project.

Gather the photos up for each month and send them to us at inquiry@thecrochetcrowd.com. Title your email as Flora Afghan WIPs.

When you include your photographs, be sure to tell us your full name and also include a story or two. Answer questions like:

- What obstacles did you face and how did you overcome it?
- What did you enjoy about the square?
- What was your color inspiration?
- Tell us about your strategies.

We will be collecting these photos and will include some of them into this finished edition of the eBook.

Giveaway Guidelines

There is no sign up required to participate. Complete the project and email your photo when you are finished. This challenge is open to all Crochet Crowd Community Members.

You may use any yarn you wish. You may create any colour scheme. Use as many or as little colours as you prefer.

You may do as many projects as you wish. If multiple entries are identical, a picture is showing the projects together to prove there are numerous.

We require your photo to show the entire project, so we know the whole project is complete. Ensure your project is completely finished with yarn tails and etc not showing. It's like giving it out as a gift, and we want to see the photo showing as if you were gifting us the finished product.

If you are changing your hook size or yarn, we are still looking for the pattern to be the same.

All photos must be received during the challenge time frame only.

Your Choice: Post your finished project on The Crochet Crowd Facebook Page to show everyone your finished work so we can drool over your

creativity.

When you email your finished photo to us, we respect your privacy and will only post your first and last name on the picture in our gallery with the photo so we can identify the winner at the end.

To qualify for the challenge and be fair to all, you need to complete 4 squares x 5 squares. You are allowed to omit squares you don't like but need to crochet substitute squares that are in the pattern to make up for the squares spaces to get your 4 x 5 configuration.

You may use any border for attaching the squares together and/or the final border for these squares.

Featuring on Facebook is dependent on you. We do not upload your emailed photos to Facebook. You have to do that yourself if you want to Show N Tell your creativity.

We are not responsible for undelivered email and late entries to qualify for the prize.

Due to the many technology platforms and services, we are not responsible for any of our challenges if mobile devices or technology that isn't compliant to being able to read our website, view our videos and get access to the free patterns. All applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations apply — void where prohibited or restricted by law.

Please verify your entry is in our gallery before our draw. We need up to 4 days to get your entry into our gallery. We upload it ourselves as part of our review process. If you do not see your listing, we most likely haven't received your email. Do not wait until after the draw to check if your entry is entered.

This is intended for a fun community challenge only. We each are deserving of the highest praise possible for our creativity. Let's have fun.

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The final book will be approximately 30 - 35 pages. If you going to a print shop to print this book and are printing it. Request from the print shop to have it bound with **Cerlox**. The print shop can reopen the Cerlox and insert the additional pages you will get in the future.

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Final Copy of this Book

Final copy will be available in November 2019. We will be collecting photography from you through the stitch along and final photos at the end. The final book will include random photos and stories from those participating in this challenge.

The final copy of the book is not available ahead of time as the Stitch Along is just that, a stitch along together with all of us.

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