



Hugs & Kisses Starshine

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Intermediate



Caron® Big Cakes™
(10.5 oz / 300 g; 603 yds / 551 m)

Caron Big Cakes
~ Jordan Almonds 4 Balls

Hook
5.5 mm / Size I

Abbreviations

Beg = Beginning
Ch = Chain
Dc = Double Crochet
Rep = Repeat
Sc = Single Crochet
Sl st = Slip Stitch
Sp = Space
St = Stitch

Special Stitches

X-st: Skip next st, dc into next st, cross back and dc into skipped st; 1 X-st made.

Pc (popcorn stitch): Work 4 dc into the next st, drop the loop from the hook, insert your hook from front to back under the top 2 loops of the first double crochet of the group; 1 pc made.

Hdc2tog: Half Double Crochet Two Together - Yarn over (YO) hook, insert hook into stitch (st), pull up a loop, 3 loops on hook. YO hook, insert hook into next st, pull up a loop, 5 loops on hook. YO hook, pull through all 5 loops on hook.



Project Size
68" Point to Point

Instructions

Ch 5, sl st to join ring.

Rnd 1: Ch 2 (does not count as a st), 12 hdc in ring, sl st to beg hdc. - 12 hdc

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, 3 dc in next st, *sc in next st, 3 dc in next st; rep from * around, sl st to beg sc. - 18 dc, 6 sc

Rnd 3: Sl st in next st, ch 3 (counts as dc now and throughout), (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next st, dc, sk sc, *dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc), dc, sk sc; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 36 dc

Rnd 4: *Sc in next 2 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 2 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 48 sc

Rnd 5: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st, dc, dc2tog (counts as dc now and throughout), *dc, X-st, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg ch-3. - 12 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 4 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 5 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 5, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 5 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 84 sc

Rnd 7: Sl st to next st, ch 2 (counts as hdc now and throughout), PC, hdc in next 2 st, PC, hdc, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, hdc, PC, hdc in next 2, PC, hdc, hdc2tog (counts as hdc now and throughout), *hdc, PC, hdc in next 2,

PC, hdc, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, hdc, PC, hdc in next 2, PC, hdc, hdc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 24 PC, 78 hdc

*Note - In next round, pay extra attention to the first hdc after the ch-2 sp as it is hidden and easy to miss. The sk 1 st at the bottom of the valley will be the hdc2tog from the previous round. If it's not, and your st count is off, then you probably missed that first hdc.

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 7 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 8 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 8, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 8 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 120 sc

Rnd 9: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 4 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 4 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 4 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 4 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 48 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 10: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 10 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 11 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 11, (2



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sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 11 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 156 sc

Rnd 11: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 11 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 12 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 12 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 12 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 156 dc

Rnd 12: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 11 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 12 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next 12, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 12 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st - 156 sc

Rnd 13: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 5 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 5 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 5 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 5 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 60 X-st, 54 dc

Rnd 14: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 13 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 14 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 14, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 14 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 192 sc

Rnd 15: Sl st to next st, ch 2, PC, hdc, *hdc, PC, hdc, rep * to ch-2 sp, (5 PC made), (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, **hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 5 times, hdc2tog, [*hdc, PC, hdc, rep from * to ch-2 sp, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, ** hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 5 times, hdc2tog] rep from [] around, sl st to beg st. - 60 PC, 150 hdc

Rnd 16: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 16 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 17 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 17, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 17 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 228 sc

Rnd 17: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 8 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 8 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 8 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 8 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 96 X-st, 54 dc

Rnd 18: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 19 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 20 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 20, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 20 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 264 sc

Rnd 19: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 20 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 21 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 21 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 21 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 264 dc

Rnd 20: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 20 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 21 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next

21, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 21 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st - 264 sc

Rnd 21: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st 10 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 10 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 10 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 10 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 120 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 22: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 22 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 23 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 23, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 23 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 300 sc

Rnd 23: Sl st to next st, ch 2, PC, hdc, *hdc, PC, hdc, rep * to ch-2 sp, (8 PC made), (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, **hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 8 times, hdc2tog, [*hdc, PC, hdc, rep from * to ch-2 sp, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, ** hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 8 times, hdc2tog] rep from [] around, sl st to beg st. - 96 PC, 222 hdc

Rnd 24: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 25 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 26 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 26, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 26 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 336 sc

Rnd 25: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st 13 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 13 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 13 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 13 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 156 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 26: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 28 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 29 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 29, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 29 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 372 sc

Rnd 27: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 29 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 30 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 30 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 30 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 372 dc

Rnd 28: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 29 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 30 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next 30, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 30 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 372 sc

Rnd 29: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 14 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 14 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 14 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 14 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 168 X-st, 54 dc

Rnd 30: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 31 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 32 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 32 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 32 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 408 sc

Rnd 31: Sl st to next st, ch 2, PC, hdc, *hdc, PC, hdc, rep * to ch-2 sp, (11 PC made), (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, **hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 11 times, hdc2tog, [*hdc, PC, hdc, rep from * to ch-2 sp, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, ** hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 11 times, hdc2tog] rep from [] around, sl st to beg st. - 132 PC, 294 hdc

Rnd 32: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 34 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 35 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 35 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 35 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 444 sc

Rnd 33: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 17 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 17 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 17 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 17 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 204 X-st, 54 dc



Rnd 34: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 37 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 38 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 38 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 38 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 480 sc

Rnd 35: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 38 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 39 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 39 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 39 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 480 dc

Rnd 36: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 38 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 39 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next 39, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 39 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 480 sc

Rnd 37: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st 19 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 19 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 19 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 19 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 228 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 38: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 40 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 41 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 41 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 41 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 516 sc

Rnd 39: Sl st to next st, ch 2, PC, hdc, *hdc, PC, hdc, rep * to ch-2 sp, (14 PC made), (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, **hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 14 times, hdc2tog, [*hdc, PC, hdc, rep from * to ch-2 sp, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, ** hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 14 times, hdc2tog] rep from [] around, sl st to beg st. - 168 PC, 366 hdc

Rnd 40: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 43 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 44 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 44 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 44 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 552 sc

Rnd 41: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st 22 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 22 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 22 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 22 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 264 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 42: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 46 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 47 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 47 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 47 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 588 sc

Rnd 43: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 47 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 48 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 48 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 48 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 588 dc

Rnd 44: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 47 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 48 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next 48, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 48 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 588 sc

Rnd 45: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 23 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 23 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 23 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 23 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 276 X-st, 54 dc

Rnd 46: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 49 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 50 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 50 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 50 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 624 sc

Rnd 47: Sl st to next st, ch 2, PC, hdc, *hdc, PC, hdc, rep * to ch-2 sp, (17 PC made), (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, **hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 17 times, hdc2tog, [*hdc, PC, hdc, rep from * to ch-2 sp, (2 hdc, ch 2, 2 hdc) in ch-2 sp, ** hdc, PC, hdc, rep from ** 17 times, hdc2tog] rep from [] around, sl st to

beg st. - 204 PC, 438 hdc

Rnd 48: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 52 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 53 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 53 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 53 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 660 sc

Rnd 49: Sl st to next st, ch 3, X-st 26 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 26 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 26 times, dc, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, dc, X-st 26 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 312 X-st, 54 dc

Rnd 50: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 55 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 56 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 56 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 56 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 696 sc

Rnd 51: Sl st in next st, ch 3, dc in next 56 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 57 st, sk 2 sts, *dc in next 57 st, (dc, ch 2, dc) in ch-2 sp, dc in next 57 st, sk 2 sts; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 696 dc

Rnd 52: Sl st in next st, ch 1, sc in same st and next 56 st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 57 st, sk 2 st, *sc in next 57, (sc, ch 2, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 57 st, sk 2 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 696 sc

Rnd 53: Sl st in next st, ch 3, X-st 28 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 28 times, dc, dc2tog, *dc, X-st 28 times, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in ch-2 sp, X-st 28 times, dc, dc2tog; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 336 X-st, 42 dc

Rnd 54: Ch 1, sc in same st and next 58 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 59 st, sk 1 st, *sc in next 59 st, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next 59 st, sk 1 st; rep from * around, sl st to beg st. - 732 sc

Rnd 55: *(Sc, ch 1, sc) next st, sk next st; rep to ch-2 sp (sc, ch 1, sc, ch 1, sc) in ch-2 sp, *sk next st, (sc, ch 1, sc) in next st; rep 29 more times; sk 2 sts; rep from beg around. Finish off.

