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# What you will need:

AUNT LYDIA'S° Metallic Crochet Thread, Size 10: 3 (3, 3, 4, 4, 4) balls 001P White/Pearl

Susan Bates® Steel Crochet Hook: 1.9mm [US 5]

41 Bicone crystal beads 4mm, 3 crystal buttons ¾" (0.95 cm), white sewing thread, beading needle, sewing needle, stitch markers, small amount of fiberfill stuffing or 2 crystal buttons ¾" (1.6 cm) for Center Ball of Large Side Flowers

GAUGE: Frilled Rose Center Motif, Rounds 1-11, measures 2¾" (7 cm) across. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

**AUNT LYDIA'S° Metallic Crochet Thread**, Size 10, Art. 154M 100 yd balls.

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# Stunning Bridal Belt

Create a beautiful crocheted spray of frilled flowers, leaves and scrolls to accent an elegant wedding dress or other formal gown. Crystal beads add the perfect bit of sparkle to this gorgeous accessory.

Directions are for size Small. Changes for sizes Medium, Large, 1X, 2X, and 3X are in parentheses.

**Finished Length:** 25 (27, 29, 31, 33, 35)" [63.5 (68.5, 73.5, 79, 84, 89) cm]

Finished Width: 6" (15 cm) for all sizes

#### **Notes**

- Leave an 8" (20.5 cm) end at the beginning of each piece for sewing together later. Weave in other ends as pieces are completed.
- 2. Beginning ch-1 does not count as a stitch unless otherwise noted.
- 3. Beginning ch-2 counts as dc unless otherwise noted.
- 4. Beginning ch-3 counts as tr unless otherwise noted.
- 5. Slide the beads back and forth on the thread as needed to work comfortably.

# **Special Stitches**

**ch-3 p (chain-3 picot) =** Ch 3, slip st in top of last stitch made.

bsc (beaded single crochet) = Insert hook in indicated stitch or space, yarn over and draw up a loop, slide bead up the thread next to the last part of the stitch made. Yarn over, draw through both loops on hook, catching the bead in the stitch. The bead will sit on the back of the stitch.

beg btr cluster (beginning beaded treble cluster) = Ch 3, [yarn over twice, insert hook in indicated space and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice] 3 times, bring up a bead behind hook, yarn over, draw through all 4 loops on hook, catching the bead in the stitch.

**btr cluster (beaded treble cluster) =** [Yarn over twice, insert hook in indicated space and draw up a loop, (yarn over and draw through 2 loops) twice] 4 times, bring up a

bead behind hook, yarn over, draw through all 5 loops on hook, catching the bead in the stitch.

sc2tog (single crochet 2 together) = [Draw up a loop in next st] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

#### **Special Technique**

String beads: Cut a length of sewing thread and fold it in half, bringing both ends together and forming a loop. Thread the two ends into eye of beading needle. Place end of the crochet thread into loop. Pick up each bead with tip of beading needle, slide bead over sewing thread and onto crochet thread.

#### **BELT**

**Note:** For working the Edging later, it may be useful to place stitch markers at the beginning and end of each section of the Belt as it is completed.

#### **First End and First Side**

**Note:** Stitches for Row 1 are worked into the back loops of the foundation chain.

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Ch 19, sc in 2nd ch from hook and next 17 chs; turn—18 sc.

**Row 2:** Skip first sc, (slip st, ch 1, sc) in next sc, sc in next 16 sc; turn—17 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, sc in first 16 sc (leave last sc unworked); turn—16 sc.

**Row 4:** Skip first sc, (slip st, ch 1, sc) in next sc, sc in next 14 sc; turn—15 sc.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, sc in first 14 sc (leave last sc unworked); turn—14 sc.

**Row 6:** Skip first sc, (slip st, ch 1, sc) in next sc, sc in next 12 sc; turn—13 sc.

**Row 7:** Ch 1, sc in first 12 sc (leave last sc unworked); turn—12 sc.



**Row 8:** Skip first sc, (slip st, ch 1, sc) in next sc, [ch 5, skip next 4 sc, sc in next sc] twice; turn—3 sc, 2 ch-5 loops.

**Row 9:** Ch 5, sc in first ch-5 space, ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space, ch 2, dc in last sc; turn—2 ch-5 loops, 2 sc, 1 dc.

**Row 10:** Ch 1, sc in first dc, [ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] twice; turn—3 sc, 2 ch-5 loops. Repeat Rows 9 and 10 until Belt is 11 (12, 13, 14, 15, 16)" [28 (30.5, 33, 35.5, 38, 40.5) cm] long without stretching. Do not fasten off.

#### **Center Section**

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Ch 5, sc in dc, [ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] twice; turn—3 ch-5 loops, 3 sc.

Row 2: [Ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] 3 times, ch 2, tr in same ch-5 space; turn—3 ch-5 loops, 3 sc, 1 ch-2 loop, 1 tr.

**Row 3:** Ch 5, sc in tr, [ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] 3 times; turn—4 ch-5 loops, 4 sc.

**Row 4:** [Ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] 3 times, dc in next sc; turn—3 ch-5 loops, 3 sc, 1 dc.

**Row 5:** Ch 3, sc in first ch-5 space, [ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] twice; turn—1 ch-3 loop, 3 sc, 2 ch-5 loops.

**Row 6:** [Ch 5, sc in next ch-5 space] twice, ch 2, dc in next sc; turn—2 ch-5 loops, 2 sc, 1 ch-2 loop, 1 dc.

#### **Second Side**

Repeat Row 10 of First Side, then repeat Rows 9 and 10 until Belt is 23 (25, 27, 29, 31, 33)" [58.5 (63.5, 68.5, 73.5, 79, 84) cm] long without stretching. Do not fasten off.

#### **Second End with Buttonholes**

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Ch 1, sc in first sc, [5 sc in next ch-5 space] twice, sc in last sc; turn—12 sc.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across; turn—13 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, sc in first 12 sc, 2 sc in last sc; turn—14 sc.

**Row 4:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across; turn—15 sc.

**Row 5:** Ch 1, sc in first 14 sc, 2 sc in last sc; turn—16 sc.

**Row 6:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across; turn—17 sc.

**Row 7:** Ch 1, sc in first 16 sc, 2 sc in last sc; turn—18 sc.

**Row 8:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, [ch 3, skip 3 sc, sc in next 3 sc] twice, ch 3, skip 3 sc, sc in last 2 sc—10 sc, 3 ch-3 loops. Do not turn, but rotate Belt to continue working along the upper edge.

# **Edging**

**Round 1 (Wrong Side):** Working into sides of Rows of Second End across upper edge, ch 3, skip Rows 8 and 7, dc in end of Row 6, ch 1, skip Row 5, dc in end of Row 4, ch 1, skip Row 3, dc in end of Row 2, skip Row 1.

Working into sides of Rows of Second Side, \*ch 1, dc over sc in end of Row 10, ch 1, dc in ch-5 space at end of Row 9; repeat from \* across Second Side, ch 1, dc over sc of last sc of Row 10 before Center Section.

Working into Sides of Rows of Center Section, ch 1, dc in end of Row 6, ch 1, skip Row 5, dc in end of Row 4, ch 1, skip Row 3, dc in end of Row 2, skip Row 1. Working into sides of Rows of First Side, \*ch 1, dc over sc in end of Row 10, ch 1, dc in ch-5 space at end of Row 9; repeat from \* across First Side, ch 1, dc over sc in end of Row 8.

Working into sides of Rows of First End, ch 1, skip Row 7, dc in end of Row 6, ch 1, skip Row 5, dc in end of Row 4, ch 1, skip Row 3, dc in end of Row 2, ch 1, skip Row 1. Rotate Belt to continue working in the back of the foundation chain of the First End.

Working across First End, sc in first sc and next 16 sc, 2 sc in last sc—19 sc. Rotate Belt to continue working along the lower edge.

Working into sides of Rows of First End, sc in end of next 7 Rows.

Working into sides of Rows of First Side, sc in ch-5 space of first Row 9, \*ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sc in ch-5 space of next Row 9; repeat from \* across to Row 1 of Center Section (first increase on lower edge).

Working into sides of Center Section, ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, skip next ch-5 space, sc in next ch-5 space, ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, (sc, ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sc) in next ch-3 space, ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sc in next ch-5 space, ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, skip next ch-5 space, sc in next ch-5 space.

Working into sides of Rows of Second Side, \*ch 5, slip st in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sc

in ch-5 space of next Row 9; repeat from \* across Second Side, ch 2, sc in ch-5 space of last Row 9 before Second End.

Working into sides of Rows of Second End, sc in end of next 7 Rows. Do not turn, but rotate Belt to continue working along the Second End with Buttonholes.

Working across Second End, sc in first 2 sc, \*(2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in next ch-3 space, skip next sc, sc in next sc, skip next sc, repeat from \* once, (2 sc, ch 2, 2 sc) in next ch-3 space, skip next sc, sc in next sc—6 sc, 3 ch-2 loops. Do not turn, but rotate Belt to continue working along the upper edge.

## **Upper Edge Finishing**

Working across upper edge, (3 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in first ch-3 space, \*2 sc in next ch-1 space, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-1 space; repeat from \* across to last ch-1 space, 2 sc in last ch-1 space, slip st in next sc to join. Fasten off, weave in ends.

# FRILLED ROSE CENTER MOTIF

**Note:** See Special Technique for how to string beads.

String 8 bicone crystal beads. Ch 5; join with slip st in first ch to form ring.

**Round 1 (Wrong Side):** Ch 1, [sc, bsc] 8 times in ring, slip st in first sc to join; turn so beads face up—8 sc, 8 bsc.



Round 2 (Right Side): Ch 1, sc in same sc, ch 3, skip next bsc, \*sc in next sc, ch 3, skip next bsc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc, 8 ch-3 loops.

**Round 3:** Slip st into first ch-3 loop, ch 1, \*(sc, 5 dc, sc) in same loop; repeat from \* in each loop around, slip st in first sc to join—16 sc, 40 dc (8 Petals).

**Round 4:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 5 times, ch 2, sc in next sc, \*sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 5 times, ch 2, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—56 sc, 48 ch-2 loops.

Round 5: Ch 2; working behind Petals just finished, work a sc around first sc from Round 2, ch 4, \*sc around next sc on Round 2, ch 4; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc, 8 ch-4 loops behind Petals.

**Round 6:** Slip st into first ch-4 loop, ch 1, \*(sc, 7 dc, sc) in same loop; repeat from \* in each loop around, slip st in first sc to join—16 sc, 56 dc (8 Petals).

**Round 7:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, sc in next sc, \*sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—72 sc, 64 ch-2 loops.

**Round 8:** Ch 2; working behind Petals just finished, work a sc around first sc from Round 5, ch 5, \*sc around next sc on Round 5, ch 5; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc, 8 ch-5 loops behind second set of Petals.

**Round 9:** Slip st into first ch-5 loop, ch 1, \*(sc, 9 dc, sc) in same loop; repeat from \* in each loop around, slip st in first sc to join—16 sc, 72 dc (8 Petals).

**Round 10:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 9 times, ch 2, sc in next sc, \*sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 9 times, ch 2, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—88 sc, 80 ch-2 loops.

**Round 11:** Ch 2; working behind Petals just finished, work a sc around sc from Round 8, ch 6, \*sc around next sc on Round 8, ch 6; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc, 8 ch-6 loops behind third set of Petals.

**Round 12:** Slip st into first ch-6 loop, ch 1, 7 sc in same loop, [7 sc in next ch-6 loop] 6 times, slip st into next ch-6 loop, ch 2, 13 dc in same loop; turn—49 sc, 14 dc. Do not fasten off. Place stitch markers in the 20th sc and in the 30th sc.

#### **TOP FAN**

**Row 1:** Ch 1, sc in same dc, sc in next 12 dc and top of ch-2; turn—14 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc, ch 4, skip 1 sc, sc in next sc, [ch 4, skip next 2 sc, sc in next sc] 3 times, ch 2, skip 1 sc, dc in next sc; turn—5 ch-4 loops (last ch-2 and dc count as a ch-5 loop).

**Row 3:** Beg btr cluster (see Special Stitches) in first ch-4 loop, ch 3, btr cluster (see Special Stitches) in next ch-4 loop, ch 3, (btr cluster, ch 3, btr cluster) in next ch-4 loop, [ch 3, btr cluster in next ch-4 loop] twice; turn—6 btr clusters.

**Row 4:** Slip st in top of btr cluster just made, \*(3 sc, ch 3, 3 sc) in next ch-3 space\*\*, skip next btr cluster; repeat from \* 3 times, then from \* to \*\* once, slip st in top of last btr cluster. Fasten off, weave ends in.

## **CENTER SCROLLS**

**Note:** Stitches for Row 1 are worked into the back loops of the foundation chain. For Row 3, Right Scroll is joined to the Frilled Rose Center Motif with Right Sides facing up, and Left Scroll is joined the Rose with Wrong Sides facing up. Refer to photo for placement.

#### **Right Scroll**

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Ch 18, sc in 2nd ch from hook and next 10 chs, [2 sc in next ch, sc in next ch] 3 times; being careful not to twist, slip st in the opposite side of the 9th ch from hook; turn—20 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, skip slip st, sc in next sc, ch 1, hdc in next sc, [ch 2, dc in next sc] 6 times, [ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc] 4 times, ch 1, skip next sc, hdc in next sc, ch 1, skip next sc, 3 sc in next sc; continuing to work around top edge, slip st in back loop of first ch of Row 1; turn—4 sc, 2 hdc, 10 dc.

Row 3: Slip st in marked 30th sc on Round 12 of Frilled Rose Center Motif, skip slip st on Scroll, slip st in next sc on Scroll, skip next sc on Rose, slip st in next sc on Rose; working remaining sts on Scroll, sc in next 2 sc, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space] 6 times, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-2 space] 6 times, (sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space, slip st in next sc, slip st in joining from Row 1—46 sc, 13 picots. Fasten off, weave ends in.

#### Left Scroll

Rows 1-2: Same as for Right Scroll.
Row 3: Slip st in marked 20th sc on Round
12 of Frilled Rose Center Motif; working
toward Right Scroll, skip slip st on Scroll, slip

st in next sc on Scroll, skip next sc on Rose, slip st in next sc on Rose; working remaining sts on Scroll, sc in next 2 sc; starting at top of Right Scroll, [(2 sc, ch 1, slip st into picot on Right Scroll, ch 1, slip st in top of last sc made (joined picot made), sc) in next ch-3 space] 3 times, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space] 3 times, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, 2 sc) in next ch-2 space] 6 times, (sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space, slip st in next sc, slip st in joining from Row 1—46 sc, 3 joined picots, 10 picots. Fasten off, weave ends in.

## **CENTER LEAF**

**Note:** Center Leaf is joined to the Center Scrolls with Right Sides facing up. Refer to photo for placement.

Round 1 (Right Side): Ch 10, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next ch, dc in next 5 chs, hdc in next ch, 3 sc in last ch; working into opposite side of foundation chain, hdc in next ch, dc in next 5 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in last ch, slip st in first sc to join—6 sc, 4 hdc, 10 dc.

Round 2: Ch 1, (2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in first sc, sc in next sc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next 3 dc, ch-3 p, sc in next 2 dc, sc in next hdc, ch 1, slip st in the 5th picot from the top on the Right Scroll, ch 1, slip st in last sc made (joined picot made); working on Leaf, sc in next sc; place marker in next sc, 2 sc in marked sc, ch 1, slip st over joined picot of the 2 Scrolls, ch 1, slip st in last sc made (joined picot made); working on Leaf, sc in same marked sc, sc in next sc, sc in next hdc, ch 1, skip 1 picot on Left Scroll, slip st in next picot, ch 1, slip st in last sc made (joined



picot made), sc in next 3 dc, ch-3 p, sc in next 2 dc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next sc, slip st in first sc to join—24 sc, 3 joined picots, 5 picots. Fasten off, weave ends in.

# SMALL ACCENT FLOWER (Make 2)

Ch 4; join with slip st in first ch to form ring. [Ch 2, 3 dc in ring, ch 2, slip st in ring] 5 times—15 dc (5 Petals). Fasten off, weave ends in.

# LARGE SIDE FLOWERS (Make 2)

Ch 5; join with slip st in first ch to form ring. **Round 1 (Right Side):** Ch 1, 16 sc in ring, slip st in first sc to join—16 sc.

Round 2: Ch 1, [sc in next 2 sc, ch 7, 2 sc in in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in next 4 chs, sc in next ch] 8 times, slip st in first sc to join—40 sc, 32 hdc (8 Petals).

Round 3: (Ch 1, sc) in first sc; \*working in back loops of sts on Petal, ch 1, skip first st, hdc in next st, [ch 1, dc in next st] 4 times, ch 1; continuing to work around top edge, dc in next sc, ch 2, dc in same sc, ch 1, dc in next sc, [ch 1, dc in next hdc] 3 times, ch 1, hdc in next hdc, ch 1, skip next 2 sc\*\*, sc in next sc; repeat from \* 6 times, then from \* to \*\* once, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc, 16 hdc, 80 dc.

**Round 4:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, \*sc in next ch-1 space, [2 sc in next ch-1 space] twice, [(sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-1 space] 3 times, (sc, [ch 2, sc] 3 times) in next ch-2 space, [(sc, ch 2, sc) in next ch-1 space] 3 times, [2 sc in next ch-1 space] twice; fold Petal in half with Right

Sides together and work a slip st through the first and last ch-1 spaces held together, sc in next sc between Petals; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—200 sc. Fasten off, weave ends in.

Sew %" (1.6 cm) crystal button into cup formed in center of Flower or make optional Center Ball

#### **Center Ball**

Ch 4; join with slip st in first ch to form ring. **Round 1 (Right Side):** Ch 1, 8 sc in ring, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc.

**Round 2:** Ch 1, \*2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—12 sc.

**Rounds 3-4:** Ch 1, sc in each sc around, slip st in first sc to join.

**Round 5:** Ch 1, \*sc2tog, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—8 sc. Stuff Ball with fiberfill.

**Round 6:** Ch 1, sc2tog around, slip st in first st to join—4 sc. Fasten off, leaving a long tail. Tuck first end inside Ball, then use outside end to sew Ball closed. Sew Ball into cup formed in center of Flower.

# SIDE SCROLL (Make 2)

Rows 1-2: Same as for Right Scroll.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in next sc, ch-3 p, sc in next sc, (sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next sc, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space] 6 times, [(2 sc, ch-3 p, 2 sc) in next ch-2 space] 6 times, (sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next ch-1 space, slip st in next sc, slip st into joining from Row 1—48 sc, 15 picots.

Fasten off, weave ends in.

## **MEDIUM FRILLED ROSE**

(Make 4 for size Small or as many as desired for larger sizes)

**Note:** See Special Technique for how to string beads.

String 6 bicone crystal beads. Ch 5; join with slip st in first ch to form ring.

**Round 1 (Wrong Side):** Ch 1, [sc, bsc] 6 times in ring, slip st in first sc to join; turn so beads face up—6 sc, 6 bsc.

Round 2 (Right Side): Ch 1, sc in same sc, ch 3, skip next bsc; \*sc in next sc, ch 3, skip next bsc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—6 sc, 6 ch-3 loops.

**Round 3:** Slip st into first ch-3 loop, ch 1, \*(sc, 5 dc, sc) in same loop; repeat from \* in each loop around, slip st in first sc to join—12 sc, 30 dc (6 Petals).

**Round 4:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 5 times, ch 2, sc in next sc, \*sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 5 times, ch 2, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—42 sc, 36 ch-2 loops.

**Round 5:** Ch 2; working behind Petals just finished, work a sc around first sc from Round 2, ch 4, \*sc around next sc on Round 2, ch 4; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—6 sc, 6 ch-4 loops behind Petals.

**Round 6:** Slip st into first ch-4 loop, ch 1, \*(sc, 7 dc, sc) in same loop; repeat from \* in each loop around, slip st in first sc to join—12 sc, 42 dc (6 Petals).

**Round 7:** Ch 1, sc in same sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, sc in next sc, \*sc in next sc, [ch 2, sc in next dc] 7 times, ch 2, sc in next sc; repeat from \* around, slip st in first sc to join—56 sc, 48 ch-2 loops. Fasten off, weave ends in.

# **SIDE LEAF** (Make 4 for size Small or as many as desired for larger sizes)

**Round 1:** Same as for Center Leaf. **Round 2:** Ch 1, (2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in first sc, sc in next sc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next 3 dc, ch-3 p, sc in next 2 dc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next sc, (2 sc, ch-3 p, sc) in next sc sc in next sc sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in

sc, sc in next sc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next 3 dc, ch-3 p, sc in next 2 dc, sc in next hdc, ch-3 p, sc in next sc, slip st in first sc to join—24 sc, 8 picots. Fasten off, weave ends

# SHELL EDGE LEAF (Make 4)

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spaces.

Round 1: Same as for Center Leaf.

Round 2: Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 2), dc in same sc, ch 2, skip next sc, hdc in next hdc, [ch 2, skip next dc, dc in next dc] twice, ch 2, skip next dc, hdc in next hdc, ch 2, skip next sc, hdc in next sc, ch 2, hdc in same sc, ch 2, skip next sc, hdc in next dc, [ch 2, skip next dc, dc in next dc] twice, ch 2, skip next dc, hdc in next hdc, ch 2, slip st in 2nd ch of beginning ch-4 to join—4 hdc, 8 dc, 12 ch-2

**Round 3:** Ch 1, 2 sc in first ch-2 space, ch 4, slip st in 2nd ch from the hook and next 2 chs, 2 sc in same ch-2 space, [(sc, 2 dc, sc) in next ch-2 space] 5 times, (sc, 3 dc, sc) in next ch-2 space, [(sc, 2 dc, sc) in next ch-2 space] 5 times, slip st in first sc to join—26 sc, 23 dc, one 3-st Stem. Fasten off, weave ends in.



## **FINISHING**

Block Belt and all pieces before assembly. Refer to photo for arrangement of Flowers, Scrolls, and Leaves.

- Sew a crystal bead to the center of a Small Accent Flower. Sew the Flower over the Center Scrolls and Center Leaf joining.
- Sew a crystal bead to the center of the Frilled Rose Center Motif. Center the Rose over the middle of the Belt and sew in place.
- 3. Sew a Large Side Flower on each side of the Frilled Rose Center Motif as shown. Flowers should overlap slightly.
- 4. Sew the Side Scrolls in place as shown under the Petals of the Large Side Flowers on each side.
- 5. Sew the 2 Shell Edge Leaves in place as shown on each side.
- 6. Sew the Medium Frilled Roses in place as shown on each side.
- 7. Decide where to place the Medium Frilled Rose with two Side Leaves on the back of the Belt. Sew the 2 Leaves in place, and sew the Rose over the center where the Leaves meet. Repeat on the second side. Add more of these on the larger sizes if desired.
- 8. Sew a crystal bead to the center of the last Small Accent Flower. Sew the Flower over the picot at the upper edge of the First End of the Belt.
- 9. Sew the three 3/8" (0.95 cm) crystal buttons on the First End of the Belt.

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

ch = chain; cm = centimeters; dc = double crochet; hdc = half double crochet; mm = millimeters; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); tr = treble (triple) crochet;
() = work all directions in parentheses in the indicated stitch or space; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.

