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What you will need:
AUNT LYDIA'S ${ }^{\circledR}$ Classic Crochet
Thread, Size 10: 1 ball each 495 Wood Violet A, 995 Ocean B, 805 Blue Hawaii C, 480 Delft D

Susan Bates ${ }^{\circ}$ Steel Crochet Hook: 1.70 mm [US 5]

Thread needle

GAUGE: Rounds 1-4 = measure about $3^{\prime \prime}(7.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ ) across. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

AUNT LYDIA’S ${ }^{\circledR}$ Classic Crochet Thread, Size 10, Art. 154 available in white, ecru \& natural 400 yd ; solid color 350 yd ; shaded color 300 yd balls


## Snowflake Doily

Like looking at a snowflake through a prism, this mesmerizing design combines pretty pineapples and beautiful stitch patterns that are fascinating. Crocheted with four shades of size 10 thread, this is a doily that will become a family heirloom.

## Doily measures 20" [51 cm ] in diameter.

## Special Stitches

beg Cl (beginning 4 treble crochet cluster)
= Ch 3, *[yarn over] twice, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice; repeat from * twice more, yarn over and draw through all 4 loops on hook.
Cl (4 treble crochet cluster) = *[Yarn over] twice, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, [yarn over and draw through 2 loops on hook] twice; repeat from * 3 more times, yarn over and draw through all 5 loops on hook.
picot: Ch 3, slip st in 3rd chain from hook. sc2tog (single crochet 2 stitches together) = [Insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up a loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

## Notes

Doily is worked in joined rounds with right side always facing through Round 19. Then points are worked separately back and forth in rows. Finally, edging is worked in joined rounds around entire outer edge.

## DOILY

With A, ch 6; join with slip st in first ch to form a ring.
Round 1 (right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc), work 11 more dc in ring; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3-12 dc.
Round 2: Ch 4 (counts as first tr here and throughout), tr in same st as joining, *ch 2, 2 tr in next st; repeat from * around, ch 2 ; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-4-24 tr and 12 ch-2 spaces.

Round 3: Slip st in next tr, (slip st, ch 1, sc, ch $4, \mathrm{sc}$ ) in first ch-2 space, ${ }^{*} \mathrm{ch} 4$, (sc, ch $4, \mathrm{sc}$ ) in next ch-2 space; repeat from * around, ch 4; join with slip st in first sc-24 sc and 24 ch- 4 spaces. Fasten off.
Round 4: With right side facing, draw up a loop of $\mathbf{B}$ in any ch- 4 space, ch 7 (counts as tr, ch 3), tr in next ch-4 space, *ch 3 , tr in next ch-4 space; repeat from * around, ch 3; join with slip st in 4th ch of beginning ch-$7-24$ tr and $24 \mathrm{ch}-3$ spaces.
Round 5: Slip st in first ch-3 space, ch 3 (counts as dc), 6 dc in same ch-3 space, ch 5 , skip next ch-3 space, 5 dc in next ch-3 space, *ch 5, skip next ch-3 space, 7 dc in next ch-3 space, ch 5 , skip next ch-3 space, 5 dc in next ch-3 space; repeat from * to last ch-3 space, ch 5 , skip last ch -3 space; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3-Six 7-dc groups, Six 5 -dc groups, and 12 ch- 5 spaces.
Round 6: Ch 3, dc in next $6 \mathrm{dc}, 6 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch- 5 space, ch 5,6 dc in next ch -5 space, *dc in next $7 \mathrm{dc}, 6 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-5 space, ch 5, 6 dc in next ch-5 space; repeat from * around; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3Six 19 -dc groups and 6 ch- 5 spaces. Fasten off.
Round 7: [With right side facing, join C with slip st in the 2nd dc of any 19-dc group, ch 5 (counts as dc, ch 2 here and throughout), skip next dc, dc in next dc, [ch 2, skip next dc, dc in next dc] 7 times, ch 6, skip next dc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-5 space, *ch 6, skip next dc, dc in next dc, [ch 2 , skip next dc, dc in next dc] 8 times, ch 6, skip next dc, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-5 space; repeat from * around, ch 6 ; join with slip st in 3 rd ch of beginning ch-5-54 dc, $12 \mathrm{sc}, 6$ picots, 12 ch- 6 spaces, and 48 ch- 2 spaces (in 6 groups of $9 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{sc}, 1$ picot, 2 ch- 6 spaces, and 8 ch-2 spaces each).

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Round 8: Slip st in first ch-space, ch 5, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2, dc in next ch-2 space] 6 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] twice, *ch 6, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2 , dc in next ch-2 space] 7 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] twice; repeat from * around, ch 6 ; join with slip st in 3 rd ch of beginning ch-5-6 groups of $8 \mathrm{dc}, 4 \mathrm{sc}$, 2 picots, 3 ch- 6 spaces, and $7 \mathrm{ch}-2$ spaces. Round 9: Slip st in first ch-space, ch 5, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch $2, \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-2 space] 5 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 3 times, *ch 6, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2, dc in next ch-2 space] 6 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 3 times; repeat from * around, ch 6 ; join with slip st in 3 rd ch of beginning ch-5-6 groups of $7 \mathrm{dc}, 6$ sc, 3 picots, 4 ch -6 spaces, and $6 \mathrm{ch}-2$ spaces. Round 10: Slip st in first ch-space, ch 5 , dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2 , dc in next ch-2 space] 4 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 4 times, ${ }^{*}$ ch 6 , dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2, dc in next ch-2 space] 5 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 4 times; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in 3 rd ch of beginning ch-5-6 groups of $6 \mathrm{dc}, 8$ sc, 4 picots, 5 ch- 6 spaces, and 5 ch- 2 spaces.
Round 11: Slip st in first ch-space, ch 5 , dc in next ch-2 space, [ch $2, \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-2 space] 3 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 5 times, *ch 6, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2 , dc in next ch-2 space] 4 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 5 times; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch-5-6 groups of $5 \mathrm{dc}, 10 \mathrm{sc}, 5$ picots, 6 ch- 6 spaces, and 4 ch-2 spaces.

Round 12: Slip st in first ch-space, ch 5, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch $2, \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-2 space] twice, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 6 times, *ch 6, dc in next ch-2 space, [ch 2, dc in next ch-2 space] 3 times, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 6 times; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in 3rd ch of beginning ch-5-6 groups of $4 \mathrm{dc}, 12 \mathrm{sc}, 6$ picots, 7 ch -6 spaces, and $3 \mathrm{ch}-2$ spaces.
Round 13: Slip st in first ch-2 space, ch 3, dc in next 2 ch -2 spaces, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 7 times, *ch 6, dc in next 3 ch-2 spaces, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 7 times; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3-6 groups of $3 \mathrm{dc}, 14 \mathrm{sc}, 7$ picots, and 8 ch -6 spaces.
Round 14: (Slip st, beg $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{ch} 7, \mathrm{Cl}$ ) in next dc, skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 6 times, *ch 6, skip next ch-6 space, skip next dc, ( $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{ch} 7, \mathrm{Cl}$ ) in next dc, skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 6 times; repeat from * around, ch 6; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, $12 \mathrm{sc}, 6$ picots, 7 ch-6 spaces, and 1 ch-7 space.
Round 15: Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch 6, (dc, ch 7, dc) in next ch-7 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl, skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 5 times, *ch 6, skip next ch-6 space, Cl in next Cl , ch 6, (dc, ch 7 , dc) in next ch-7 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 5 times; repeat from * around, ch 6 , skip last ch-6 space; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, $2 \mathrm{dc}, 10 \mathrm{sc}, 5$ picots, 8 ch- 6 spaces, and $1 \mathrm{ch}-7$ space.

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Round 16: Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch 6, (2 dc, [ch 3, 2 dc ] twice) in next ch-7 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6 , (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 4 times, *ch 6 , skip next ch -6 space, Cl in next Cl, ch 6 , (2 dc, [ch 3, 2 dc ] twice) in next ch-7 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 4 times; repeat from * around, ch 6 , skip last ch- 6 space; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, 6 dc, $8 \mathrm{sc}, 4$ picots, 2 ch-3 spaces, and 7 ch- 6 spaces.
Round 17: Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch $6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space] twice, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 3 times, *ch 6 , skip next ch- 6 space, Cl in next $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{ch} 6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch 3,3 dc in next ch-3 space] twice, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 3 times; repeat from * around, ch 6 , skip last ch- 6 space; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, $12 \mathrm{dc}, 6 \mathrm{sc}, 3$ picots, 3 ch- 3 spaces, and 6 ch -6 spaces.
Round 18: Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch $6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space] 3 times, ch 3,3 dc in next ch- 6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] twice, *ch 6 , skip next ch- 6 space, Cl in next Cl , ch $6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch 3, 3 dc in next ch-3 space] 3 times, ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] twice; repeat from * around, ch 6, skip last ch-6 space; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, $15 \mathrm{dc}, 4 \mathrm{sc}, 2$ picots, 4 ch -3 spaces, and 5 ch- 6 spaces.

Round 19: Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch $6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space] 4 times, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , skip next ch-6 space, ch 6 , ( sc, picot, sc) in next ch- 6 space, *ch 6 , skip next ch-6 space, Cl in next Cl , ch $6,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, [ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space] 4 times, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-6 space, ch $6, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , ch 6 , skip next ch-6 space, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space; repeat from * around, ch 6, skip last ch-6 space; join with slip st in beg $\mathrm{Cl}-6$ groups of 2 clusters, $18 \mathrm{dc}, 2 \mathrm{sc}, 1$ picot, $5 \mathrm{ch}-3$ spaces, and 4 ch- 6 spaces.
Fasten off.

## POINTS

With right side facing, draw up a loop of $\mathbf{D}$ in next beg Cl.
Row 1 (right side): Beg Cl in same st as joining, ch 4, 3 dc in next ch-6 space, [ch 3, 3 dc in next ch-3 space] 5 times, ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-6 space, ch $4, \mathrm{Cl}$ in next Cl , turn; leave remaining sts unworked-2 clusters, 21 dc, 6 ch- 3 spaces, and 2 ch- 4 spaces.
Row 2: Beg Cl in beg Cl , ch 4 , skip next ch-4 space, 3 dc in next ch -3 space, [ch $3,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space] 5 times, ch 4 , skip last ch -4 space, Cl in last Cl , turn-2 clusters, $18 \mathrm{dc}, 5$ ch -3 spaces, and $2 \mathrm{ch}-4$ spaces.
Row 3: Beg Cl in beg Cl , ch 4, skip next ch-4 space, 3 dc in next ch-3 space, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-3 space, ch $1,(\mathrm{Cl}$, ch $3, \mathrm{Cl})$ in next ch -3 space, ch $1,3 \mathrm{dc}$ in next ch-3 space, ch 3,3 dc in next ch-3 space, ch 4 , skip last ch -4 space, Cl in last Cl , turn- 4 clusters, $12 \mathrm{dc}, 2$ ch -1 spaces, 3 ch -3 spaces, and 2 ch -4 spaces. Row 4: Beg Cl in beg Cl , ch 4 , skip next ch-4 space, 3 dc in next ch-3 space, ch 3, skip next ch- 1 space, ( $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{ch} 5, \mathrm{Cl}$ ) in next ch- 3 space, ch 3 , skip next ch-1 space, 3 dc in next ch-3 space, ch 4 , skip last ch -4 space, Cl in last Cl ,
turn-4 clusters, $6 \mathrm{dc}, 2$ ch- 3 spaces, 2 ch- 4 spaces, and 1 ch- 5 space.
Row 5: Beg Cl in beg Cl , skip next 2 chspaces, (Cl, ch $14, \mathrm{Cl}$ ) in center ch- 5 space, skip next 2 ch-spaces, Cl in last $\mathrm{Cl}-4$ clusters and $1 \mathrm{ch}-14$ space. Fasten off. Repeat to complete a total of 6 points.

## EDGING

With right side facing, draw up a loop of $\mathbf{A}$ in any ch-14 space.
Round 1: Ch 3 (counts as first tr), work 26 tr in same ch-14 space; *sc in space between last 2 Cl of Row 5 of point; working down side edge of point, [ch $6, \mathrm{sc}$ in base of cluster at end of next row] 5 times, [ch 6, sc in next ch-6 space on last round of doily] twice, ch $6, \mathrm{sc}$ in base of cluster at beginning of Row 1 of next point; working up side edge of next point, [ch $6, \mathrm{sc}$ in base of cluster at beginning of next row] 4 times, ch 6 , sc in space between first 2 Cl of Row 5 of point **, 27 tr in next ch- 14 space; repeat from * around ending last repeat at ${ }^{* *}$; join with slip st in top of beginning ch-3-78 ch-6 spaces.
Round 2: Ch 1, beginning in same st as joining, *sc in next 4 tr, ch 8, skip next 3 tr, sc in next 4 tr, ch 12 , skip next 5 tr, sc in next 4 tr, ch 8, skip next 3 tr , sc in next 4 tr , [sc in next ch-6 space, ch 6] 5 times, dc in next 3 ch-6 spaces, [ch 6, sc in next ch-6 space] 5 times; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc.
Fasten off.
Round 3: With right side facing, draw up a loop of $\mathbf{B}$ in first $\mathrm{sc}, \mathrm{ch} 1$, beginning in same st as joining, *sc2tog, picot, sc2tog, (2 tr, [picot, 2 tr] 5 times) in next ch-8 space, sc2tog, picot, sc2tog, ( 2 tr , [picot, 2 tr$] 8$ times) in next ch-12 space, sc2tog, picot, sc2tog, (2 tr, [picot, 2 tr$] 5$ times) in next
ch-8 space, sc2tog, picot, sc2tog, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space, [ch 6, (sc, picot, sc) in next ch-6 space] 9 times; repeat from * around; join with slip st in first sc.
Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Fasten off and weave in ends. Block doily to size and shape.

## ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C, etc. = Color A, Color B, Color C etc; $\mathbf{c h}=$ chain; $\mathbf{d c}=$ double crochet; $\mathbf{s c}=$ single crochet; $\mathbf{s t}(\mathbf{s})=$ stitch $(\mathrm{es}) ;$ $\mathbf{t r}=$ treble (triple) crochet; () = work directions in parentheses into same st; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * or ${ }^{* *}=$ repeat whatever follows the * or ${ }^{* *}$ as indicated.

See Stitch Diagrams on next page

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