## Yarnspirations"

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CROCHET SKILL LEVEL EASY

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What you will need:
RED HEART ${ }^{\text { }}$ With Love ${ }^{\text {© }}$ Metallic ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ : 3 balls 8410 Charcoal

Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ Crochet Hook 6mm [US J-10]

Yarn needle, 3 locking stitch markers

GAUGE: 12 sts = 4" (10 cm); 7 rows = 4" (10 cm). CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.


RED HEART ${ }^{\text {® }}$ With Love ${ }^{\bullet}$ Metallic ${ }^{T M}$, Art. E400BM available in solid 4.5 oz (127 g), 204 yds ( 186 m ) and print 4 oz (113 g) 152 yd ( 139 m ) balls

## Half Moon Scarf

This cowl uses crocheted circle stitches to add interesting texture. The enticing metallic yarn goes with all you do, from casual workdays to evenings out. Create your own in any of the fashion shades of

With Love or With Love Metallic.

Scarf measures $81 / 22^{\prime \prime} \times 77^{\prime \prime}(21.5 \times 195.5$ cm).

## Special Stitches

Circle st (circle stitch) $=$ Work 6 Fpdc around marked stitch; rotate piece so bottom edge faces up, work 6 Fpdc around next stitch.

## Fpdc (front post double crochet) =

Yarn over, insert hook from front side of work to back and to front again around post of indicated stitch; yarn over and pull up a loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (2 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (1 loop on hook).

## Notes

1. Circle stitch is made of 2 groups of front post double crochet: first group is worked around indicated stitch and, when piece is rotated, next group is worked around next stitch at left of stitch just worked (or at right of stitch just worked for left-handed crocheters). At completion of 2 nd group of 6 front post double crochet, top edge will be facing and work will proceed in next stitch.
2. Top loops of first stitch of each circle stitch are skipped. Place marker to easily see skipped loops. Work in skipped loops as indicated. Do not remove markers until Rows 5 and 9 are completed
3. When instructed to work into a stitch " 2 rows below", work into the row numbered 2 less than the current row. For example, if you are working Row 5, a stitch " 2 rows below" is in Row 5-2 = Row 3 .

## SCARF

Ch 27.
Row 1 (wrong side): Dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning skipped ch count as first dc) and in each ch across, turn-25 dc.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), dc in each dc across, working last dc in top of beginning ch, turn.
Row 3: Repeat Row 2.
Row 4: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, place marker in next st, circle st in indicated sts, [dc in next 7 dc, circle st in indicated sts] twice, dc in next 3 dc , dc in top of beginning ch, turn-22 dc and 3 circle sts.
Row 5: Ch 3, dc in next 3 dc, [dc in marked dc 2 rows below, dc in next 7 dc] twice, dc in marked dc 2 rows below, dc in next 3 dc , dc in top of beginning ch, turn-25 dc.
Rows 6 and 7: Repeat Row 2.
Row 8: Ch 3, [dc in next 7 dc , place marker in next st, circle st in indicated sts] twice, dc in each remaining dc across, working last dc in top of beginning ch, turn-23 dc and 2 circle sts.
Row 9: Ch 3, [dc in next 7 dc , dc in marked dc 2 rows below] twice, dc in next 7 dc , dc in top of beginning ch , turn-25 dc.
Rows 10 and 11: Repeat Row 2. Repeat Rows 4-11 until scarf measures 76" (193 cm) or desired length, ending on a Row 7 or Row 11.
continued.


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Edging round: Adjusting as needed to keep work flat, ch 1,3 sc in first st, [ch 2, sc in next 4 dc] across to last 4 sts, sc in next 3 dc , ch $2,3 \mathrm{sc}$ in top of beginning ch; *working in ends of rows, (ch 2, sc) in each row*; working in opposite side of foundation ch, 3 sc in first ch, [ch 2, sc in next 4 ch ] across to last $4 \mathrm{ch}, \mathrm{sc}$ in next 3 dc , ch 2, 3 sc in last ch; repeat from * to * once; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

ch = chain(s); dc = double crochet; sc = single crochet; st(s) = stitch(es); ( ) = work directions in parentheses into same st; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.


