

FIRECRACKER THROW | CROCHET

SHOP KIT



Firecracker Throw

Designed by Ann Regis.

Throw measures 63" x 63".

RED HEART® "Super Saver®": 1 Skein in 324 Bright Yellow **A**, 3 skeins 319 Cherry Red **B**, 4 skeins 798 Sunshine Print **C**.

Crochet Hook: 6.5mm [US K-10.5].

Yarn needle.

GAUGE: one chevron (10 sts) = $2^7/8^\circ$ across; 11 rows = 8° in pattern. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE**. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATION:

Dc2tog = yo and draw up a loop in next ch or st, yo and draw through 2 loops, skip next 2 ch or next st, yo and draw up a loop in next ch or st, yo and draw through 2 loops, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

SIDE PANELS (Make 2): With B, ch 92.

Row 1 (Right Side): Dc in 3rd ch from hook, dc in next 2 ch, * dc2tog **, dc in next 3 ch, ch 2, dc in next 3 ch; repeat from * to last 3 ch, end at **; dc in next 2 ch, 2 dc in last ch; turn – 89 sts.

Row 2: Ch 2, dc in first dc, * dc in next 2 dc, dc2tog (skip the dc2tog below), dc in next 2 dc **, (dc, ch 2, dc) all in ch-2 space; repeat from * to last st, end at **; 2 dc in top of ch-2; turn.

Repeat Row 2 for pattern and continue stripe pattern as follows:

4 more rows **B**, [4 rows **C**, 2 rows **A**, 4 rows **C**, 6 rows **B**] 5 times. Fasten off.

CENTER PANEL: With **B**, ch 42. Work same as for Side Panel over 39 sts in stripe pattern as follows: 4 more rows **B**, [2 rows **C**, 2 rows **A**, 2 rows **C**, 2 rows **A**, 2 rows **C**, 6 rows **B**] 5 times. Fasten off.

FINISHING: Sew side panels to center panel, matching stripes as in photo. With right side facing and **B**, work 1 row slip st evenly along top and bottom of afghan. Weave in ends.



RED HEART® "Super Saver®", Art. E300 available in solid color – 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m) or multi or fleck color – 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m) skeins.

ABBREVIATIONS: A, B, C = color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **dec** = decrease; **mm** = millimeters; **yo** = yarn over; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.