

## WR1004 Crochet Hearts Afghan

Afghan measures approximately 45" x 58".

**RED HEART® "Super Saver®":** 42 Ounces No. 724 Baby Pink.

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

Yarn needle.

**GAUGE:** 12 sts = 4"; 12 rows = 4" in pat; panel = 13" wide before edging. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

## SPECIAL ABBREVIATION:

**CL** (cluster) = [yo and draw up a lp, yo and draw through 2 lps on hook] twice all in next st, yo and draw through all 3 lps on hook.

PANEL (Make 3): Ch 40.

Row 1 (Right Side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across; turn -39 sc.

Rows 2-5: Ch 1, sc in each st across; turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first 19 sc, CL in next sc, sc in last 19 sc; turn.

## Row 7 AND EVERY RIGHT SIDE ROW: Rep Row 2.

**Row 8:** Ch 1, sc in first 17 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Row 10:** Ch 1, sc in first 15 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 5 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Row 12:** Ch 1, sc in first 13 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 7 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Row 14:** Ch 1, sc in first 11 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 9 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Row 16:** Ch 1, sc in first 9 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 11 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Rows 18, 20, 22:** Ch 1, sc in first 7 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 13 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Rows 24, 26:** Ch 1, sc in first 7 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 6 times, sc in next 2 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 6 times, sc in each sc to end; turn.

**Row 28:** Ch 1, sc in first 9 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 4 times, sc in next 6 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] 4 times, sc in each sc to end: turn.

**Row 30:** Ch 1, sc in first 11 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] twice, sc in next 10 sc, [CL in next sc, sc in next sc] twice, sc in each sc to end; turn.

Rows 31-35: Ch 1, sc in each sc across; turn.

Rep Rows 6-35 five more times. Fasten off.

Panel Edging (Work on BOTH long edges of center panels; on LEFT edge of Right panel and on RIGHT edge on Left panel)-Row 1: With right side facing, attach yarn to work across long edge; ch 1, sc in each row end across; turn.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, sc in first 2 sc, CL in next sc, \* sc in next 3 sc, CL in next sc; rep from \* to last 2 sc; sc in last 2 sc; turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across. Fasten off.

**FINISHING:** Sew or sl st panels together, being careful that the far right and far left edges of the afghan do not have edging.

**Border-Rnd 1:** With right side facing, attach yarn to work across top edge; ch 1, 2 sc in corner, sc in each sc and each joining across to next corner, 3 sc in corner, skip first row, sc in each row end to last row, skip last row, 3 sc in corner, sc in each sc and each joining across to next corner, 3 sc in corner, skip first row, sc in each row end to last row, skip last row, 1 more sc in first corner; join with a sl st to first sc; **TURN**.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, sc in same sc as joining, \*\* sc in next 2 sc, Cl in next sc, \* sc in next 3 sc, CL in next sc; rep from \* to 2 sc before the center corner sc; sc in next 2 sc, 3 sc in corner sc; rep from \*\* around; join; **turn**.

**Rnd 3:** Ch 1, sc in each st around and 3 sc in center corner sc; join; do NOT turn.

**Rnd 4:** Ch 1, sc in each sc across top and bottom edges and sl st in each sc across side edges, increase as necessary at corners; join. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

(4 Medium) **RED HEART® "Super Saver®"**, Art. E300 (7 ounce/364 yard solid color skein).

**ABBREVIATIONS: ch** = chain; **lp** = loop; **mm** = millimeters; **pat** = pattern; **rep** = repeat; **rnd** = round; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **yo** = yarn over; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated; ∏ = work directions in brackets the number of times indicated.

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