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CROCHET SKILL LEVEL INTERMEDIATE

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## What you will need:

RED HEART ${ }^{\circledR}$ Super Saver ${ }^{\circledR}$ : 7 skeins 313 Aran

Susan Bates ${ }^{\circledR}$ Crochet Hook: 5.5 mm [US I-9]

Yarn needle

GAUGE: Square = 7½" $(17 \mathrm{~cm})$. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

(4) 4RED HEART ${ }^{\circledR}$ Super
Saver ${ }^{\circledR}$, Art. E300 available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd ( 333 m ); multicolor, heather and print $50 z$ (141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yd ( 238 m ) skeins


## Crochet Cable Squares

This beautifully designed classic is perfect in any room or to give as a special anniversary or wedding gift. Crocheted in one color squares (any color you wish), it is perfect to take along to keep your fingers busy wherever you go.

## Throw measures 47" x 62" (119 x 157 cm )

## Special Abbreviations

corner $=(2 \mathrm{dc}$, ch 3, 2 dc$)$ all in next ch-3 space.
fptr (front post treble) $=$ [yo] twice, insert hook from front to back to front around post of st indicated, yo and draw yarn through, [yo and draw through 2 loops] 3 times. Skip st behind fptr.
cable (uses next 4 sts) = skip next 2 sts, fptr around next 2 sts; working in front of fptr just made, fptr around first skipped st, then around next skipped st. Skip 4 sts behind cable. fpdc (front post double) = yo, insert hook from front to back to front around post of st indicated, yo and draw yarn through, [yo and draw through 2 loops] twice. Skip st behind fpdc.
DEC (decrease) = [draw up a loop in next st] twice, yo and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

## THROW

## Square (Make 48)

Round 1 (Right Side): Ch 4; dc in 4th ch from hook, ch 3, [2 dc, ch 3] 3 times all in same ch; join with a slip st to top of beginning ch.

Round 2: Ch 3, dc in next dc, corner, * dc in next 2 dc, corner; repeat from * around; join to top of ch-3.

Round 3: Slip st in next 3 dc , ch 3, corner, dc in next dc, cable, * dc in next dc, corner, dc in next dc, cable; repeat from * around; join.

Round 4: Ch 4, * skip next dc, dc in next dc, corner, dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc, fpdc around next 4 fptr **, dc in next dc, ch 1 ; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3 rd ch of ch-4.

Round 5: Ch 4, * skip next st, dc in next dc, ch 1 , skip next dc, dc in next dc, corner, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next dc] twice, cable **, dc in next dc, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4

Round 6: Ch 4, * dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next dc] twice, corner, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next dc] 3 times, fpdc around next 4 fptr **, dc in next dc, ch 1; repeat from * around, end at ${ }^{* *}$; join to 3rd ch of ch-4.

Round 7: Ch 4, * dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next dc] 3 times, corner, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next st, dc in next dc] 4 times, cable **, dc in next dc, ch 1 ; repeat from * around, end at **; join to 3rd ch of ch-4. Fasten off.

## FINISHING

Sew 8 squares together into 6 vertical strips, then sew strips together.

## BORDER

Round 1: With right side facing, join yarn in any corner ch-3 space; ** ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) all in corner space, * ch 1, sc in next dc, ch 1, skip next st, [sc in next st, ch 1, skip next st] 5 times, dec, [ch 1, skip next st, sc in next st] 6 times, ch 1, skip next ch, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip seam, sc in next ch, ch 1, skip next ch, [sc in next st, ch 1 , skip next st] 6 times, decrease, [ch 1, skip next st, sc in next st] 6 times; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; ch 1; join with a slip st to first sc.

Round 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ** (sc, ch 2, sc) all in ch-2 space, sc in next sc, * ch 1 , sc in next sc; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; ch 1; join.

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Round 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, ch 1, skip next sc, ** (sc, ch 2, sc) all in ch-2 space, ch 1, skip next sc, * sc in next sc, ch 1, skip next st; repeat from * to next corner; repeat from ** around; join.

Round 4: Ch 1, slip st in next space, ch 1,
** (slip st, ch 2, slip st) all in ch-2 space, ch
1, * slip st in next space, ch 1; repeat from

* to next corner; repeat from ** around; join.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.

## Abbreviations

$\mathrm{ch}=$ chain; $\mathrm{dc}=$ double crochet; $\mathrm{mm}=$ millimeters; $\mathbf{s c}=$ single crochet; $\mathbf{s t}(\mathbf{s})=$ stitch (es); tr = treble crochet; yo = yarn over; * or
** $=$ repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [ ] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

