



Catherine's Wheel Throw

This interesting one-piece throw is as fun to crochet as it is beautiful! Start at the center and crochet clustered squares of stripes.

Designed by Shari White.

Throw measures 50" x 50".

Red Heart® Super Saver®: 3 skeins each 964 Primary **A** and 320 Cornmeal **B**, 2 skeins each 624 Tea Leaf **C** and 378 Claret **D**

Crochet Hook: 5.5mm [US I-9].
Tapestry needle.

GAUGE: 12 tr = 4"; 4 rows = 4". **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.**
Use any size hook to obtain the gauge given.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS:

On all back post (**BP**) sts, make the type of st indicated by inserting hook from the back, around in front of the post and out again to the back.

Partial tr – Yo twice, insert hook into st or space and pull up a loop, [yo and pull through 2 loops on hook] 2 times.

Partial BPtr – Yo twice, insert hook from the back, around in front of the post and out again to the back and pull up a loop, [yo and pull through 2 loops on hook] 2 times.

Reverse sc – With right side facing, work sc from left to right.

THROW

With **A**, ch 8, slip st to first ch to form ring.

Rnd 1:*Ch 4, 5 partial tr in ring, yo and pull through all 6 loops on hook—*cluster made*, ch 1 (top of cluster), ch 3 more, sc in ring; repeat from * 3 more times. Do not join.

Rnd 2: *12 tr in top of next cluster, sc in next sc, repeat from * 3 more times, slip st in first tr. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With **B**, slip st in back lp of 9th tr, ch 4 (counts as first tr), partial BPtr in same st and next 3 tr, partial BPtr in sc, partial BPtr in next 4 tr, yo and pull through all 10 loops on hook, ch 1 (top of cluster), ch 3 more; slip st through both loops at base of last BPtr made—*lower half of beg circle made*.

Ch 4, partial BPtr in each of next 4 tr, yo and pull through all 5 loops on hook, ch 4, slip st thru both loops at base of last BPtr made—*corner increase made*.

*Ch 4, partial BPtr in each of next (4 tr, sc, 4 tr), yo and pull thru all 10 loops on hook, ch 4, slip st thru both sts at base of last BPtr made—*lower half of circle made*, make corner increase; repeat from * 2 more times, slip st in first ch of beginning ch-4.

Rnd 4: *8 tr in center of lower half of circle of previous round, sc in next slip st, 12 tr in center st of corner increase, sc in next slip st; repeat from * 3 more times, slip st in first tr—*upper half of circles made*. Fasten off.



Rnd 5: With **C**, slip st in back loop of 9th tr in last circle from previous round, make lower half of beginning circle then lower half of circle, make corner inc, *make lower half of circle 2 times, make corner increase; repeat from * 2 more times, slip st in first ch of beginning ch-4.

Rnd 6: *[8 tr in center of lower half of circle of previous round, sc in slip st] 2 times, 12 tr in center of corner increase, sc in slip st; repeat from * 3 more times. Fasten off.

Continue in this manner to work 2 rounds of colors **D**, then repeat color sequence of 2 rounds each of colors **A**, **B**, **C** and **D** until throw measures 50" x 50", ending with **A**. Fasten off.

Border

Rnd 1: With **B**, BPslipst in first tr of any corner circle, ch 3 (counts as dc), BPdc in next tr, *BPhdc in next 2 tr, BPsc in next 2 tr, ch 3, BPsc in next 2 tr, BPhdc in next 2 tr, BPdc in next 2 tr, [BPtr in sc, BPdc in next tr, BPhdc in next tr, BPsc in next 4 tr, BPhdc in next tr, BPdc in next tr] across to corner, BPtr in sc, BPdc in next 2 tr; repeat from * around, omitting last 2 BPdc, slip st in top of ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: Join **C** in any corner ch-3 space, ch 1, *3 sc in ch- space, sc in each st across to corner; repeat from * around, slip st to first sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: Join **D** in any corner sc, ch 1, *3 sc in corner sc, sc in each sc across to corner; repeat from * around, slip st to first sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: Join **A** in any st, ch 1, reverse sc in each sc around, slip st to first sc. Fasten off.



RED HEART® "Super Saver®": Art. E300 available in Solid 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); multicolor and print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g) 260 yds (238 m) skeins.

ABBREVIATIONS: **BP** = back post; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **sk** = skip; **sl st** = slip stitch; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **tr** = treble crochet; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.