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### **CRED HEART** C2C GRADUATION 2023 CROCHET BLANKET



#### MATERIALS

Red Heart<sup>®</sup> Super Saver<sup>®</sup> (5 oz/141 g; 260 yds/238 m)

Contrast A Aran Fleck (4313)

6 balls or 1509 yds/1380 m

Red Heart<sup>®</sup> Super Saver<sup>®</sup> (7 oz/198 g; 364 yds/333 m)

Contrast B White (311)

Contrast C Soft Navy (387)

2 balls or 446 yds/408 m 2 balls or 728 yds/666 m

Size U.S. I/9 (5.5 mm) Susan Bates<sup>®</sup> Silvalume<sup>®</sup> crochet hook **or size needed to obtain gauge.** Susan Bates<sup>®</sup> yarn needle. Cardboard 6" [15 cm] wide for Tassel.



CROCHET I SKILL LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

# ABBREVIATIONS

Approx = Approximately
Beg = Beginning
Ch = Chain(s)
Cont = Continue(ity)
Dc = Double crochet
Dec = Decrease
Rem = Remain(ing)

Rep = Repeat Rnd = Round RS = Right side SI st = Slip stitch Sp(s) = Space(s) St(s) = Stitch(es) Yoh = Yarn over hook

# **MEASUREMENTS**

Approx 47" x 57" [119.5 x 144.5 cm].

# GAUGE

12 dc and 7 rows = 4" [10 cm].

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Notes:

- Blanket is worked diagonally from corner to corner.
- When working from Chart, wind small balls of the colors to be used, one for each separate area of color in the design.
- Start new colors at appropriate points. To change color, work to last 2 loops on hook, yoh with new color. Pull through 2 loops on hook to complete st and proceed in new color.

# BLANKET

With A, ch 6. See stitch diagram on page 2 and Chart on page 3. Each square of chart represents 1 block. **1st row:** (RS). 1 dc in 4th ch from hook (counts as 2 dc). 1 dc in each of last 2 ch. Turn. 1 block made. **2nd row:** Ch 6. 1 dc in 4th ch from hook. 1 dc in each of next 2 ch – beg block made. (SI st. Ch 3. 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp – block made. Turn. 2 blocks.

**3rd row:** Beg block. \*Block in next ch-3 sp. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn. 3 blocks.

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Keeping cont of color changes in Chart (each square on grid represents 1 block), rep last row until 60th row of chart is complete. 60 blocks.

Keeping cont of Chart, proceed as follows to work sides even: **61st row:** SI st in each of first 3 dc. \*Block in next ch-3 sp. Rep from \* to end of row. Turn.

**62nd row:** Beg block. \*Block in next ch-3 sp. Rep from \* to last ch-3 sp. Sl st in last ch-3 sp. (**Do not** make a block.) Turn.

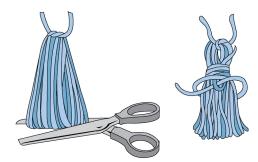
**63rd to 72nd rows:** Rep last 2 rows 5 times more.

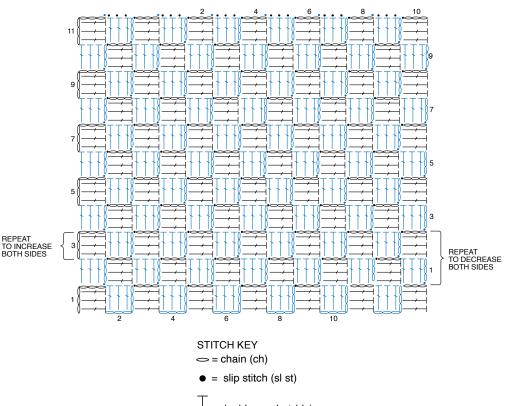
Keeping cont of Chart, proceed as follows to dec corner:

**73rd row:** SI st in each of first 3 dc. \*Block in next ch-3 sp. Rep from \* to last ch-3 sp. SI st in last ch-3 sp. (**Do not** make a block.) Turn. Keeping cont of Chart, rep last row until 1 block rem. Fasten off. **Edging:** (RS). Join A with sl st between any 2 blocks along edge. **1st rnd:** Ch 3. \*Sl st between next 2 blocks. Ch 3. Rep from \* around, working (Sl st. Ch 3. Sl st) in each corner. Join with sl st in first sl st. Turn.

**2nd rnd:** SI st in next ch-3 sp. Ch 3 (counts as 1 dc). 2 dc in same sp as last sI st. \*3 dc in next ch-3 sp. Rep from \* around, working (3 dc. Ch 1. 3 dc) in corner ch-3 sp. Join with sI st to top of first ch-3. Fasten off.

**Tassel:** Wind C around a piece of cardboard 6" [15 cm] wide 20 times. Tie through loops securely at one end. Cut across other end. Wrap yarn 6 times around Tassel 1½" [4 cm] down from tied end. Fasten securely. With C, sew Tassel to front of Blanket (as shown in photo).





= double crochet (dc)

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