



CROCHET  
SKILL LEVEL  
EASY



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## What you will need:

**RED HEART® With Love®:**  
4 skeins 1308 Tan

**Susan Bates® Crochet Hooks:**  
5mm [US H-8] and 11.5 mm  
[US P-16]

Yarn needle, 25" x 25"  
(63.5 x 63.5 cm) pillow form

**GAUGE:** 16 dc = 4" (10 cm);  
10 rows = 4" (10 cm) in double  
crochet with 1 strand of yarn.  
**CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use  
any size hook to obtain the  
gauge.



**RED HEART® With Love®, Art. E400**  
available in solid  
color 7 oz (198 g), 370 yd  
(338 m), multicolor 5 oz  
(141 g), 230 yd (211 m) and  
stripes 5 oz (141 g) 223 yds  
(204 m) skeins

**SHOP KIT**

# My Way Pillow

A nice big pillow will give a bit of extra comfort to a relaxing spot. This basketweave pattern is crocheted in quality acrylic so it is never scratchy and easily washable.

**Pillow measures 25" x 25"**  
**(63.5 x 63.5 cm).**

## Special Stitches

**Bpdc (back post double crochet) =**

Yarn over, insert hook from back side of work to front and to back again around the post of indicated stitch; yarn over and pull up a loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (2 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (1 loop on hook). Skip the stitch "in front of" the Bpdc.

**Fpdc (front post double crochet) =**

Yarn over, insert hook from front side of work to back and to front again around post of indicated stitch; yarn over and pull up a loop (3 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (2 loops on hook), yarn over and draw through 2 loops (1 loop on hook).

## Notes

1. Front panel is worked with one strand of yarn. Back panel is worked with two strands held together throughout.
2. Pillow is made from two panels of different sizes worked back and forth in rows. When joining, ease the back panel to fit the front panel.



## PILLOW COVER

### Front Panel

With smaller hook, ch 88.

**Row 1 (wrong side):** Dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc) and in each ch across, turn—86 dc.

**Row 2 (right side):** Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), Fpdc around next 4 dc, \*Bpdc around next 4 dc, Fpdc around next 4 dc; repeat across to beginning ch, dc in top of beginning ch, turn—2 dc, 44 Fpdc, and 40 Bpdc.

**Row 3:** Ch 3, Bpdc around next 4 Fpdc, \*Fpdc around next 4 Bpdc, Bpdc around next 4 Fpdc; repeat across to beginning ch, dc in top of beginning ch, turn—2 dc, 40 Fpdc, and 44 Bpdc.

**Row 4:** Ch 3, Fpdc around next 4 dc, \*Bpdc around next 4 dc, Fpdc around next 4 dc; repeat across to beginning ch, dc in top of beginning ch, turn—2 dc, 44 Fpdc, and 40 Bpdc.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 until piece measures 24" (61 cm). Fasten off.

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## Back Panel

With 2 strands held together and larger hook, ch 44.

**Row 1 (right side):** Hdc in 3rd ch from hook (beginning ch count as first hdc) and in each ch across, turn—43 hdc.

**Row 2:** Ch 2 (counts as first hdc here and throughout), hdc in each hdc across, turn. Repeat Row 2 until piece measures 26" (66 cm). Fasten off.

## FINISHING

With wrong sides held together, whipstitch edges together, tucking in ends and easing back panel to fit front panel. After 3rd edges are joined, insert pillow form, then whipstitch remaining edges. Weave in ends.

## ABBREVIATIONS

**ch** = ch(s); **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es);  
\* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.