



## Button Up Neck Warmer

*Since this neck warmer is only about half as long as a scarf, it will take you about half as long to knit it. But in this beautifully shaded wool blend yarn, it will give you every bit as much warmth as a full sized scarf!*

Designed by Linda Cyr.

Scarf measures 31" long and 6½" wide.

**RED HEART® Boutique™ “Treasure™”:** 1 ball 1913 Spectrum

**Knitting Needles:** 5mm [US 8].  
Yarn needle

**GAUGE:** 16 sts = 4"; 30 rows = 4" in pattern st. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.** Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.

**Note:** When instructed to slip stitches, bring yarn to front of work and slip them purlwise.

### NECK WARMER

Cast on 25 sts.

**Row 1 (Right Side):** Slip 1, \*[k1, p1] twice, k2; repeat from \* to end of row.

**Row 2:** \*Slip 1, [k1, p1] twice, k1; repeat from \* to last st, k1. Repeat last 2 rows until piece measures 29½" from beginning end with a Wrong Side row.

**Next Row (buttonhole – Right Side):** Slip 1, k1, p1, bind off next 3 sts; beginning with next st on left needle, [k1, p1] twice, k3, p1, bind off next 3 sts; beginning with next st on left needle, [k1, p1] twice, k2.

Slip 1, [k1, p1] twice, k1, slip 1, cast on 3 sts over the bound-off sts, p1, k1, slip 1, [k1, p1] twice, k1, slip 1, cast on 3 sts over the bound-off sts, p1, k2.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2 until piece measures 31" from beginning. Bind off.

### FINISHING

Lightly steam block scarf. Overlap ends and sew buttons opposite buttonholes. Weave in ends.



**RED HEART® Boutique™ “Treasure™” Art E788** available in 3.5 oz (100 g), 151 yd (138 m) balls.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** k = knit; p = purl; st(s) = stitch(es); [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.