



AN ITALIAN STORY

Ombra™



VISTA SHAWL

KNITTING



WHAT YOU NEED

RED HEART® Ombra™: 2 balls 3387 Mare

Susan Bates® Knitting Needles: 6mm [US 10] circular needle, 36" [90 cm] long or longer

Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 21 sts = about 4" [10 cm]; 30 rows = about 4" [10 cm] in Garter stitch (knit each stitch of every row). **GAUGE IS NOT CRITICAL FOR THIS PROJECT. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.**

BUY YARN



RED HEART® Ombra™: Art R182 available in 3.5 oz (100 g) 249 yds (228 m) balls



Designed by Italian Story Design Team

Shawl measures about 12½" [32 cm] long at center back and 48½" [123 cm] wide at widest (from point to point).

Notes

1. Shawl is worked from inwardly curving top edge downwards
2. Yarn over increases are worked on each edge of every row to shape shawl and form decorative eyelets.
3. Circular needle is used to accommodate large number of stitches. Work back and forth on circular needle as if working with straight needles.

Special Stitches

kfb (Knit into front and back) = Knit next stitch but do not remove from needle, knit into back loop of same stitch and remove from needle - 1 st increased.

KyoK (Knit, yarn over, knit) = Knit next stitch but do not remove from needle, yarn over, knit into same stitch and remove from needle - 2 sts increased.

yo2 (yarn over twice) = *Bring yarn to front between needles and then over right needle to back (one yarn over made); repeat from * once more.

SHAWL

Cast on 5 sts.

Row 1 (wrong side): Knit.

Row 2 (right side): K1, kfb, k1, kfb, k1—7 sts.

Row 3: K2, yo, k3, yo, k2—9 sts.

Row 4: K3, KyoK, k1, KyoK, k3—13 sts.

Row 5: K3, yo, k7, yo, k3—15 sts.

Row 6: K3, KyoK, knit to last 4 sts, KyoK, k3—19 sts.

Row 7: K3, yo, knit to last 3 sts, yo, k3—21 sts.

Rows 8-87: Repeat Rows 6 and 7 for 40 more times—261 sts in Row 87.

Row 88: K3, KyoK, *k2tog, yo2; repeat from * to last 5 sts, k1, KyoK, k3.

Row 89: K3, yo, k to last 3 sts (knitting only once into each yo2 and dropping the extra wrap), yo, k3—267 sts.

Rows 90-93: Repeat Rows 6 and 7 for 2 more times—279 sts.

Bind off.

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FINISHING

Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit; **k2tog** = knit next 2 sts together; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **yo** = yarn over; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

