

# RED HEART CHILLIN' OUT KNIT CARDIGAN Designed by Lisa Gentry

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#### **MATERIALS**

**Red Heart**<sup>®</sup> **With Love**<sup>®</sup> (7 oz/198 g; 370 yds/338 m)

Sizes 2/3XL 4/5XL

Berry Red (1914) balls

Sizes U.S. 6 (4 mm) and U.S. 9 (5.5 mm) knitting needles. Size U.S. 6 (4 mm) circular knitting needle 36" [91.5 cm] or size needed to obtain gauge. 5 Buttons 1" [2.5 cm] in diameter. Stitch holder. Stitch markers. Yarn needle.





KNIT I SKILL LEVEL: **EASY** 

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**Bea** = Beainnina

**Cont** = Continue(ity)

**Dec** = Decreasing

**Inc** = Increasing

 $\mathbf{K} = Knit$ 

**K2tog** = Knit next 2 stitches

together

M1L = (make 1 left). Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and knitting into back of loop.

M1R = (make 1 right). Make 1 stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch from back to front and knitting into front of loop

 $\mathbf{P} = Purl$ 

**P2tog** = Purl next 2 stitches

together

**Pat** = Pat

**Rem** = Remaining

Rep = Repeat

RS = RS

**Ssk** = Slip next 2 stitches knitwise one at a time. Pass them back onto left-hand needle, then knit through back loops together

**St(s)** = Stitch(es)

**WS** = Wrong side

## **SIZES**

## To fit bust/chest

XS 28-30" [71-76 cm] S 32-34" [81.5-86.5 cm] 36-38" [91.5-96.5 cm] M 40-42" [101.5-106.5 cm] L XL 44-46" [122-117 cm] 48-54" [122-137 cm] 2XL 3XL 56-62" [142-157.5 cm]

## Finished bust/chest

XS 32" [81.5 cm] 36" [91.5 cm] 40" [101.5 cm] XL 44" [112 cm] 2/3XL 48" [122 cm] 52" [132 cm] 2/3XL 56" [142 cm] 2/3XL

## **GAUGE**

18 sts and 24 rows = 4'' [10 cm] with larger needles in Basketweave pat.



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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

The instructions are written for smallest size. If changes are necessary for larger sizes the instructions will be written thus ( ). Numbers for each size are shown in the same color throughout the pat. When only one number is given in black, it applies to all sizes

#### **BACK**

With smaller needles, cast on 77 (85-93-101-109-117-125) sts.

1st row: (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* across row.

Rep last 2 rows 6 times more. inc 1 st at end of last row. 78 (86-94-102-109-118-126) sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed in Basketweave pat as follows:

1st row: (RS). K2. \*P2. k2. Rep from

\* to end of row.

**2nd row:** P2. \*K2. P2. Rep from \* to end of row.

3rd row: Purl. 4th row: Knit.

Rep 1st to 4th rows for Basketweave pat until work from beg measures **16** (16-16-16<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-16<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-17-17)" [**40.5** (**40.5**-**40.5**-**42**-**42**-**43**-**43**) cm], ending on a WS row.

## **Shape Armholes**

Cast off **4** (**5-5-6-6-7-7**) sts beg of next 2 rows. 70 (76-84-90-98-104-112) sts.

next 2 rows. 68 (72-80-84-92-98-104) sts.

Cast off 1 (1-1-2-2-3-3) st(s) beg of next 2 rows. 66 (70-78-80-88-92-**98**) sts.

Dec 1 st beg of next 6 (6-8-8-10-10-12) rows. 60 (64-70-72-78-82-**86**) sts.

Work even in pat until armholes measure 7½ (7¾-8-8½-8½-9-9)" [19 (19.5-20.5-21.5-21.5-23-23) cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape Shoulders and Back Neck:** Next row: (RS). Cast off 5 (5-6-6-7-7-7) sts. Pat until there are 10 (11-11-12-11-12-12) sts on right-hand needle. Turn. Leave rem sts on a holder.

Cast off 4 (4-4-5-4-5-5) sts beg of next row. 6 (7-7-7-7-7) sts. Cast off rem sts.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts. Cast off center 30 (32-36-36-42-44-48) sts. Pat to end of row. 15 (16-17-18-18-19-19) sts.

Cast off **5** (**5-6-6-7-7-7**) sts beg of next row. 10 (11-11-12-11-12-**12**) sts.

Cast off 4 (4-4-5-4-5-5) sts beg of Cast off 1 (2-2-3-3-3-4) st(s) beg of the next row. 6 (7-7-7-7-7) sts. Cast off rem sts.

#### **LEFT FRONT**

37 (41-45-49-53-57-61) sts.

1st row: (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* across row.

Rep last 2 rows 6 times more, inc 1 st at end of last row. 38 (42-46-50-54-58-62) sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed in Basketweave pat as given for Back until work from beg has 4 rows less than Back to armhole shaping, ending on a WS row.

**NOTE:** Read ahead as multiple shaping happens at once.

**Shape V-neck: 1st row:** (RS). Pat to last 2 sts. K2tog. 37 (41-45-49-53-**57-61**) sts.

2nd row: Pat even.

3rd and 4th rows: Rep 1st and 2nd rows. 36 (40-44-48-52-56-60) sts.

Shape armhole: Cont Neck shaping. Working k2tog at the end of every 4th row 12 (13-15-15-18-19-21) times more. AT THE SAME TIME, cast off 4 (5-5-6-6-7-7) sts beg of next WS row, 1 (2-2-3-3-3-4) st(s) beg of next RS row, 1 (1-1-2-2-3-3) st(s) beg of next RS row and With smaller needles, cast on then ssk beg of the next RS row, 3 (3-4-4-5-5-6) times. 15 (16-17-18-18-19-19) sts.

> Pat even until Front measures same as Back to shoulder, ending on a WS row.

> **Next row:** (RS). Cast off **5** (**5-6-6-7**-7-7) sts. Pat to end of row. 10 (11-11-12-11-12-12) sts.

Pat 1 row even.

**Next row:** Cast off 4 (4-4-5-4-5-5) sts. Pat to end of row. 6 (7-7-7-7-7-7) sts.

Cast off rem sts.

## **RIGHT FRONT**

With smaller needles, cast on 37 (41-45-49-53-57-61) sts.

1st row: (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* across row.

Rep last 2 rows 6 times more, inc 1 st at beg of last row. **38** (**42-46-**50-54-58-62) sts.



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Shape V-neck: 1st row: (RS). Ssk. Pat to end of row. 37 (41-45-49-53-**57-61**) sts.

2nd row: Pat even.

3rd and 4th rows: Rep 1st and 2nd rows. 36 (40-44-48-52-56-60) sts.

Shape Armhole: Cont Neck shaping, work ssk beg of every 4th row 12 (13-15-15-18-19-21) times more. AT THE SAME TIME, cast off **4** (5-5-6-6-7-7) sts beg of next WS row, 1 (2-2-3-3-4) st(s) beg of next WS row, 1 (1-1-2-2-3-3) st(s) beg of next WS row and then k2tog at end of the next RS row 3 (3-4-4-5-5-6) times. 15 (16-17-18-18-19-**19**) sts.

Pat even until Front measures same as Back to shoulder, ending on a RS row.

**Next row:** (WS). Cast off **5** (**5**-**6**-**6**-**7**-7-7) sts. Pat to end of row. 10 (11-11-12-11-12-12) sts.

Work 1 row even.

Next row: Cast off 4 (4-4-5-4-5-5) sts. Pat to end of row. 6 (7-7-7-7-7-7) sts. Cast off rem sts.

## **SLEEVES**

**NOTE**: When shaping sleeves. Work increases as follows: (K1. M1R) at beg of row and (M1L. K1) at end.

With smaller needles, cast on 37 (37-41-41-45-45-45) sts.

1st row: (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* across row.

Rep last 2 rows 6 times more, inc 1 st at end of last row. 38 (38-42-42-46-46) sts.

Change to larger needles and proceed in Basketweave pat as given for Back, inc 1 st each end of needle every 4 rows 0 (0-0-0-0-2-10) times, then every 6 rows 0 (0-0-6-9-14-9) times, then every 8 rows 8 (10-10-5-4-0-0) times, taking inc sts into pat. 54 (58-62-64-72-78-84) sts.

Cont even in pat until work from beg measures 161/2 (161/2-17-17-17-18-18)" [42 (42-43-43-43-45.5-**45.5**) cm], ending on a WS row.

**Shape Cap:** Cast off **3** (4-4-4-5-6-6) sts beg of the next 2 rows. 48 (50-54-56-62-66-72) sts. Cast off 1 (1-2-2-3-3) st(s) beg of the next 2 rows. 46 (48-50-52-58-**60-66**) sts.

Dec 1 st each end of needle every following alt row 10 (11-12-13-14-15-16) times, 26 (26-26-26-30-30-**34**) sts.

Cast off 3 sts beg of the next 4 rows. 14 (14-14-14-18-18-22) sts. Cast off rem sts.

## **POCKET** (make 2)

With larger needles, cast on 22 sts. Work 28 rows in Basketweave pat, ending on a WS row and dec 1 st at center of last row, 27 sts.

Change to smaller needles and proceed as follows:

1st row: (RS). Knit.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

Rep last 2 rows twice more. Cast off.

## **FINISHING**

Pin all pieces to measurements. Cover with a damp cloth leaving cloth to dry. Sew shoulder seams. Sew in sleeves. Sew side and sleeve seams.

### **FRONT and NECK BAND**

**1st row:** With RS facing and circular needle, beg at right Front cast on edge, pick up and knit **64** (**64-64-66-66-68-68**) sts up right Front edge to beg of Neck shaping. Pick up and knit 38 (38-40-40-42-42-**44**) sts up right Neck. K**30** (**32**-**36-36-42-44-48**) sts from Back st holder, dec 1 st at center. Pick up and knit 38 (38-40-40-42-42-44) sts down left Neck. Pick up and knit 64 (64-64-66-68-68) sts down left Front edge. 233 (235-243-247-257-263-271) sts.

**2nd row:** P1. \*K1. P1. Rep from \* to end of row.

**3rd row:** K1. \*P1. K1. Rep from \* to end of row.

4th row: As 2nd row.



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PM for 5 buttons on last row of Left front, having first marker 1½" [4 cm] from bottom. Last marker at beg of Neck shaping and rem 3 markers spaced evenly between.

Work buttonholes as follows: (K2tog or P2tog as Rib is established. yo).

5th row: (RS - Buttonholes). Work in (K1. P1) ribbing as established, noting positions of buttonholes. Work 3 rows in (K1. P1) ribbing. Cast off sts in ribbing.

Using photos for reference, sew Pockets to Fronts.

Sew buttons to left Front band to correspond to buttonholes. Weave in ends.





