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What you will need:

RED HEART[®] Boutique Irresistible™: 5 balls 7641 Silver (5 balls for each pillow)

Susan Bates[®] Knitting Needles: 25mm [US 50]

Two 20" square [51 cm] pillow forms, 1 yd [1 m]] matching thread and sewing needle, yarn needle

ALL in ONE Dark Brown Large 4 Hole Sewing Wood Buttons with Wide Edge 2" (5 mm) You will need 3 buttons per pillow.

GAUGE: 3 sts = 4" [10 cm]; 5 rows = 4" [10 cm] in Stockinette stitch. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needles to obtain the gauge.



SHOP KIT





Inviting Knit Pillows

Pillows are especially good at helping your body to find the perfect comfort position. This pillow pattern is also easy enough to use for knitting to relax, as the pattern is extra easy!

Pillows are 20" [51 cm] square.

PILLOW COVER

Using the long-tail cast on method, cast on 17 sts.

Row 1 (Right Side): *K1, p1; repeat from * across.

Rows 2-3: Continue to work in k1, p1 ribbing.

Change to St st (knit on right side, purl on wrong side).

Work in St st until piece measures 39½" (100 cm) from cast on.

Work k1, p1 ribbing for next 2 rows. Bind off in k1, p1 ribbing.

FINISHING

With right sides facing, overlap rib sections of back cover. With yarn needle, sew side seams of pillow, sewing through three layers of fabric when you reach the rib sections.

With yarn needle, weave in all loose ends.

Turn pillow right side out. With sewing needle and thread, sew buttons to bottom rib section starting at one side and placing buttons $3\frac{1}{2}$ " (9 cm) apart.

Insert pillow form and button the cover, slipping buttons through top rib sts to close.

ABBREVIATIONS

k = knit; mm = millimeters; p = purl; st(s) = stitch(es); St st = stockinette stitch; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated





