



Fantasy Flower Napkin Rings

Add these clever floral napkin rings to your table setting in colors that coordinate with your color scheme or event. Each flower is knit in 3 sets of 4 petals.

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Finished Napkin Rings measure 2" x 3".

RED HEART® “Designer Sport™”: 1 ball each 3650 Pistachio **MC**, 3750 Girlie Pink, 3770 Berry, 3215 Lemon Zest, 3261 Terra Cotta, 3529 Grape, and 3815 Dutch Blue.

Knitting Needles: 4mm [US 6].

Double Pointed Needles: Two 4mm [US 6].
Yarn needle.

GAUGE: 21 sts = 4"; 28 rows = 4" in St st. Gauge is not important for this project.

SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

Ssk: Slip 2 sts knitwise one at a time to right needle, insert point of left needle into front of sts, and knit them together.

Sk2p: Slip 1 st knitwise to right needle, knit next 2 sts together, pass the slip stitch over and off needle.

NOTE: Each flower is made up of 3 sets of 4 petals each.

NAPKIN RING

Stem

With double pointed needles and **MC**, cast on 3 sts. Work I-cord as follows: * k3, do not turn, but slide sts to end of needle; repeat from * until cord measures 20" or desired length. Do not bind off but continue for Leaf.

Leaf

Now working back and forth in rows as usual:

Row 1 (Right Side): K1, [yo, k1] twice—5 sts.

Row 2 and all wrong side rows: Knit.

Row 3: K2, yo, k1, yo, k2—7 sts.

Row 5: K3, yo, k1, yo, k3—9 sts.

Row 7: K4, yo, k1, yo, k4—11 sts.

Row 9: Ssk, knit across row to last 2 sts, k2tog—9 sts.

Row 11: Ssk, knit across row to last 2 sts, k2tog—7 sts.

Row 13: Ssk, knit across row to last 2 sts, k2tog—5 sts.

Row 15: Ssk, knit across row to last 2 sts, k2tog—3 sts.

Row 17: Sk2p. Fasten off remaining st. Weave in yarn ends.

Flower Petals (Make 12 of desired color)

With knitting needles, cast on 2 sts.

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: Knit into front and back of each st—4 sts.

Row 3: Knit.

Row 4: K1, knit into front and back of next 2 sts, k1—6 sts.

Rows 5 and 6: Knit.

Row 7: K2, k2tog, k2—5 sts.

Row 8: Knit.

Row 9: K2tog, slip 1, k2tog, pass 2 sts over the last st and off needle. Fasten off remaining st. Weave in yarn ends.

Thread a length of yarn through the cast on edges of 4 petals to join and form a ring. Secure end leaving a long tail. Make 3 sets of flower petals for each napkin ring.

FINISHING

Napkin Ring

Using a small bottle or other cylinder shape (approximately 5" in circumference) as a guide, wrap I-cord Stem around bottle forming a coil. Thread needle with **MC** and weave through coils to secure ring.

Flowers

Gather 3 sets of flower petals together and secure in center leaving long tail. Attach to ring at leaf edge. Weave in yarn ends.



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279 yd (255 m) balls.

ABBREVIATIONS: **K** = knit; **MC** = main color; **mm** = millimeters; **St st** = Stockinette stitch (Knit on right side rows; Purl on wrong side rows.); **st(s)** = stitch (es); **tog** = together; **yo** = yarn over; **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.