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## What you will need:

**Red Heart® Cordial:** 1 ball 9960 Natural

T or large head pins, 24" [61 cm] curtain rod, pipe or dowel



**RED HEART® Cordial™**,  
Art E832 available in  
3.5 oz (100 g), 62 yd  
(57 m) balls

# Macramé Wall Art

*Whether you are trying out macramé for the very first time or using this as a refresher course, here's a wall hanging that is perfect for today's home. For more about it from the designer check out her blog.*

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## Blog

See our blog post [here](#) on the Macramé Wall Hanging Pattern

**Wall Hanging:** 17" [43 cm] x 20" [51 cm]

## SPECIAL TERMS

**knot-bearing cord** = the cord around which knots are tied.

**knitting cord** = cord used to make knots.

**sennit** = a chain of knots, usually vertical.

**space** = distance left open between last row of knots and next row to be tied.

**working end** = the end of knitting cord being used to tie knots.

## SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

**Reverse Lark's Head Knot** = to tie knitting cord on mounting cord or equivalent, fold cord in half. Hold folded end down and in front of mounting cord; bring ends to back of mounting cord and pass in front of fold in cord. Pull to tighten.

**LOH/ROH Sennit:** tie specified number or length of half hitch knots; allow chain of knots to turn (cords switch position) naturally as sennit lengthens.

**LSK/RSK Sennit:** tie specified number or length of square knots.

**LHK/RHK Spiral Sennit:** tie specified number or length of half knots; allow chain to turn (cords switch position) naturally as sennit lengthens.

**Alternating LSK:** group 2 cords from knot to left in row or tier above with 2 cords from knot to right in row above. Knot-bearing cords from above become knitting cords, knitting cords become knot-bearing cords: tie LSK. When worked in rows, 2 outer cords on each side remain unworked every other row.

**Diagonal Double Half Hitch:** pin specified knot-bearing cord diagonally across knotting cords, placing one pin high, where diagonal begins and one cord low, where diagonal will end. Beginning with knotting cord closest high pin, tie 2 half hitch knots (double half hitch) around bearing cord. Repeat with each knotting cord, tying each knot slightly lower than previous, ending at lower pin.

**3-strand braid** = \*bring left strand over center strand, bring right strand over center strand; repeat from \* to desired length.

**Overhand knot** = loop working end back over cord itself, then under and up through loop. Pull working end to tighten.

## Notes

Work macramé on pin board, heavy cardboard or other fixed point, using T or head pins to hold cords in place. Gridded board makes it easier to set spacing between knots.

For easier knotting, wrap long ends of knotting cords into figure-eight bobbins or wrap around fingers and secure with elastic band. Let out cord as needed.

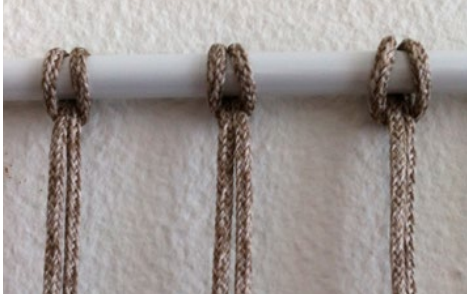
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## WALL HANGING

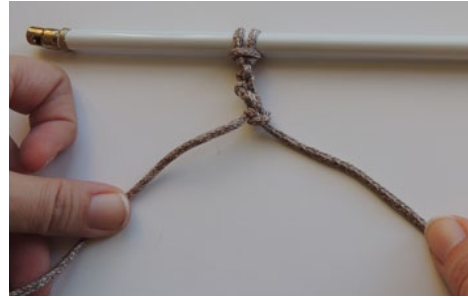
Cut 24 cords 7½ feet [2.5 m] long. Fold each cord in half and attach to curtain rod using Reverse Lark's Head Knot—24 knots, 48 cords.



Number cords from left to right, 1 to 48.

### Left Side

Work as follows with cords 1-24.  
With cords 1 and 2, tie LOH Sennit 24 knots long.



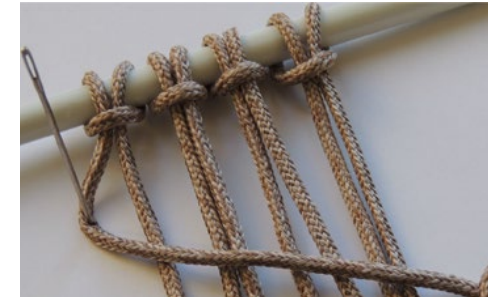
\*With cords 3-6, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.



With cords 7-10, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long. Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.  
With cords 5-8, tie 1 LSK. Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.  
With cords 3-6, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.  
With cords 7-10, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.\*\*  
With cords 11-14, tie LHK Spiral Sennit 18 knots long.



With cords 15-22, repeat from \* to \*\*.  
With cords 23-24, tie LOH Sennit 24 knots long.  
Piece measures 3" [7.5 cm].  
Leave ½" [1.5 cm] space. Separate cords into 6 groups of 4 cords.  
With each group, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long. Leave ½" [1.5 cm] space.  
Reforming groups every row and leaving ¼" [0.5 cm] space between rows, with cords 1-24 work Alternating LSK for 5 rows.  
Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.  
Pin cord 1 in place; take it diagonally across cords 2-24, ending to right of cord 24 3" [cm] down, and pin in place.



Working left to right, tie Diagonal Double Half Hitch, with cord 1 as knot-bearing cord, 2-24 as knotting cords and using LOH.



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Side measures 11" [28 cm].

### Right Side

Work as follows with cords 25-48.

With cords 25 and 26, tie LOH Sennit 24 knots long.

\*With cords 27-30, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.

With cords 31-34, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long. Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.

With cords 29-32, tie 1 LSK.

Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.

With cords 27-30, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.

With cords 31-34, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long.\*\*

With cords 35-38, tie LHK Spiral Sennit 18 knots long.

With cords 39-46, repeat from \* to \*\*.

With cords 47-48, tie LOH Sennit 24 knots long.

Piece measures 3" [7.5 cm].

Leave ½" [1.5 cm] space. Separate cords into 6 groups of 4 cords.

With each group, tie LSK Sennit 3 knots long. Leave ½" [1.5 cm] space.

Reforming groups every row and leaving ¼" [0.5 cm] space between rows, with cords 25-48 work Alternating LSK for 5 rows.

Leave ¼" [0.5 cm] space.

Pin cord 48 in place; take it diagonally across cords 25-47, ending to left of cord 25 3" [7.6 cm] down, and pin in place.

Working right to left, tie Diagonal Double Half Hitch, with cord 48 as knot-bearing cord, 25-47 as knotting cords and using ROH.

Side measures 11" [28 cm].

### Join Sides

Leave 1" [2.5 cm] space.

### Next Row

Using cords 21-22 as left knotting cord, 27-28 as right knotting cord and 23-26 as bearing cords, tie LSK.

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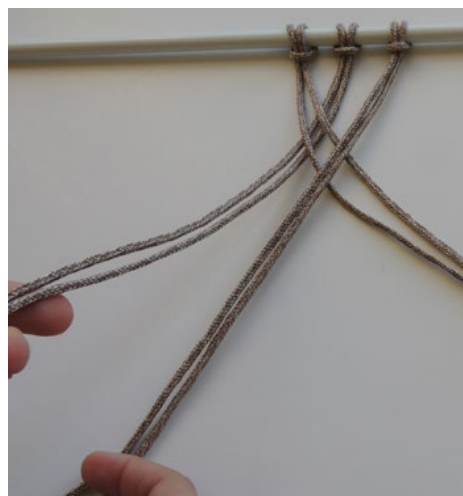
Using cords 15-16 as left knotting cord, 21-22 as right knotting cord and 17-20 as bearing cords, tie LSK.

Using cords 27-28 as left knotting cord, 33-34 as right knotting cord and 29-32 as bearing cords, tie LSK.

### FINISHING

Braids at bottom will all be different lengths; work each group of braids until overall length is same as first group worked.

**Separate cords 21-28 into 3 sets:** 2 with 2 cords, 1 with 4 cords. Work 3-strand braid for 4" [10 cm].



Using left-most cord as knotting cord, work LOH Sennit of 5 knots over all other cords. Tie overhand knot with knotting cord. Trim ends to same length, approximately 1" [2.5 cm] below sennit.

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Group cords 7-14 and 35-42. Within each group, separate cords into 3 sets of cords: 2 with 2 cords, 1 with 4 cords. Work 3-strand braid to same overall length as first braid. Using left-most cord as knotting cord, work LOH Sennit of 5 knots over all other cords. Tie overhand knot with knotting cord. Group cords 1-6, 15-20, 29-34, and 43-48. Within each group, separate cords into 3 sets of 2 cords. Work 3-strand braid to same overall length as first braid. Using left-most cord as knotting cord, work LOH Sennit of 5 knots over all other cords. Tie overhand knot with knotting cord. Trim all cords to same length.

### ABBREVIATIONS

**LOH** = Left Over Half Hitch; **ROH** = Right Over Half Hitch; **LSK** = Left Square Knot; **RSK** = Right Square Knot; **LHK** Left Half Knot; **RHK** = Right Half Knot; **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* = repeat whatever follows the \* as indicated.

