

Crochet Victorian
fruit & flower
Pillows™

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STANDARD ABBREVIATIONS

begbeginning
ch, chschain, chains
dcdouble crochet
decdecrease
hdchalf double crochet
incincrease
lp, lpsloop, loops
rnd, rndsround, rounds
scsingle crochet
sl stslip stitch
sp, spsspace, spaces
st, stsstitch, stitches
togtogether
trtreble crochet
yoyarn over

sc next 2 sts tog.....(insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st) 2 times, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.

hdc next 2 sts tog.....(yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st) 2 times, yo, pull through all 5 lps on hook.

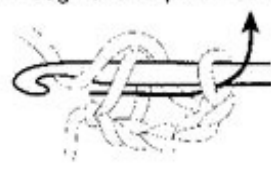
dc next 2 sts tog.....(yo, insert hook in next st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through 2 lps on hook) 2 times, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.

Stitch Guide

Chain—ch: Yo, pull through lp on hook.



Slip stitch—sl st: Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st and lp on hook.



Single crochet—sc: Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.



Half double crochet—hdc: Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.



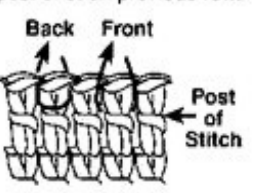
Double crochet—dc: Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, (yo, pull through 2 lps) 2 times.



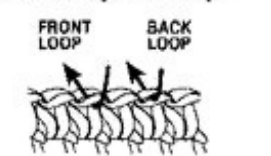
Treble crochet—tr: Yo 2 times, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, (yo, pull through 2 lps) 3 times.



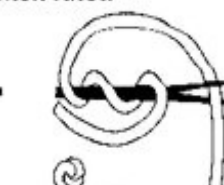
Front post stitch—fp:
Back post stitch—bp:
When working post st, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row.



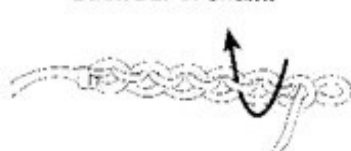
Front loop—front lp:
Back loop—back lp:



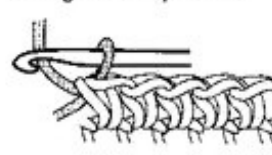
French Knot:



Back bar of chain:



Color change: Drop first color; with second color, pull through last 2 lps of st.



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Although she's best known for her whimsical crochet toys and animals like those in *Santa's Workshop*™, designer Michele Wilcox is quite adept at creating beautiful home decor projects as well! There's no better example of this than the unique, decorator-look designs in *Victorian Fruit & Flower Pillows*™.

Michele draws her inspiration from many different sources, especially the beautiful flowers and foliage of her native Massachusetts where she and her husband, Dick, have three grown children.

Crochet Victorian fruit & flower Pillows™

Designed by Michele Wilcox

Bouquet Pillow

(Shown on front cover at top right.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 12" square.

MATERIALS:

- Bernat® Berella® "4"® yarn by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn:
 - 6 oz. Winter White #8941
 - 2 oz. Med. Olive #8882
 - 1 oz. Ashes of Roses #8937
 - 1 oz. Light Orchid #8769
 - 1 oz. Pale Tap. Gold #8887
 - 1 oz. Lt. Periwinkle #8803
 - 1 oz. China Rose #8923
- Poly-down® Fiberfill by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- Tapestry needle
- 2 yds. olive 1½" ribbon
- Hot glue gun and glue stick if desired
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

5 sc or ch = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sl st, sc, hdc, dc.

PILLOW SIDE (make 2)

Row 1: With Winter White, ch 52, sc in second ch from hook and each remaining ch across, turn. (51 sc made)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, *ch 1, skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from * across, turn. (26 sc, 25 ch-1 sps)

Rows 3-45: Ch 1, sc in first st, *ch 1, skip next ch-1 sp, sc in next st; repeat from * across, turn.

Rnd 46: For Edging, working around outer edges, ch 1, sc in each st and in each ch-1 sp across row 45, 3 sc

in corner, sc in end of each row along side, 3 sc in corner, sc in remaining loop of each ch on opposite side of starting ch, 3 sc in corner, sc in end of each row along second side, 3 sc in corner, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnds 47-49: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, working 3 sc in each center corner st, join. At end of rnd 49, for first side, fasten off; for second side, do not fasten off.

JOINING

Hold Sides wrong sides together; working through both thicknesses, ch 1, sc in each st of rnd 49, working 3 sc in each center corner st and stuffing firmly before closing, join. Fasten off.

Tie ribbon around center of Pillow in the manner of wrapping a package; tie ends in front. Trim ends as shown in photo.

LARGE FLOWER (make 6 in the following petal colors—3 China Rose, 2 Light Orchid, 1 Ashes of Roses)

Rnd 1: With Pale Tap. Gold, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook, join with sl st in first sc. (6 sc made)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each st around, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. (12)

Rnd 3: Working this rnd in back lps (see *Stitch Guide*), join petal color with sl st in back lp of any st of rnd 2, *ch 2, 2 dc in same st, sl st in next st; repeat from * around with last sl st in front lp (see *Stitch Guide*) of st joined in.

Rnd 4: Working this rnd in front lps, *ch 3, sl st in next st; repeat from * around, join with last sl st in same st as first ch 3. Fasten off.

SMALL FLOWER (make 7)

Rnd 1: With Lt. Periwinkle, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook. (6 sc made)

Rnd 2: Sl st in first sc, *ch 4, sl st in next sc; repeat from * around with last sl st in first sl st. Fasten off.

LEAF (make 7)

Row 1: With Med. Olive, ch 8, sc in second ch from hook, sc in next 5 ch, 3 sc in last ch; working in remaining lps on opposite side of starting ch, sc in next 6 ch, turn. (15 sc made)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, hdc in next st, dc in each of next 3 sts, 2 dc in each of next 5 sts, dc in each of next 3 sts, hdc in next st, sc in last st, join with sl st in first st. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Glue or sew Flowers and Leaves to center front of Pillow as shown in photo. JJ

Victorian Pillow

(Shown on front cover at bottom.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 8" x 16", excluding tassels.

MATERIALS:

- Bernat® Berella® "4"® yarn by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn:
 - 3 oz. China Rose #8923
 - 2 oz. Med. Olive #8882
 - 1½ oz. Pale Tap. Gold #8887
 - 1 oz. Lt. Tap. Gold #8886
- Poly-down® Fiberfill by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- 6" square of cardboard
- Tapestry needle
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

4 sc = 1"; 4 sc rows = 1".

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sc, tr.

NOTE:

For color change (see *Stitch Guide*), drop first color; with second color, pull through last 2 lps on hook. Always change to next color in last st made. Fasten off each color when no longer needed.

PILLOW SIDE (make 2)

Rnd 1: With Med. Olive, ch 32, sc in second ch from hook and each remaining ch, turn. (31 sc made)

Rows 2-6: Working in back lps (see *Stitch Guide*), ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 6, change to China Rose (see *Note*).

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in first st, *tr in next sc, sc in next sc; repeat from * across, turn.

Rows 9-12: Repeat rows 7 and 8 alternately.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to Pale Tap. Gold, turn.

Rows 14-16: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 16, change to Lt. Tap. Gold.

Rows 17-18: Repeat rows 7 and 8.

Row 19: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to Pale Tap. Gold, turn.

Rows 20-22: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 22, change to Med. Olive.

Row 23: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 24-26: Working in back lps, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 26, change to China Rose.

Rows 27-32: Repeat rows 7-8 alternately.

Row 33: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to Med. Olive, turn.

Row 34: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 35-37: Working in back lps, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 37, change to Pale Tap. Gold.

Rows 38-40: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 40, change to Lt. Tap. Gold.

Rows 41-42: Repeat rows 7 and 8.

Row 43: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to Pale Tap. Gold, turn.

Rows 44-46: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 46, change to China Rose.

Rows 47-52: Repeat rows 7 and 8 alternately.

Row 53: Ch 1, sc in each st across, changing to Med. Olive, turn.

Row 54: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 55-59: Working in back lps, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of row 59, fasten off.

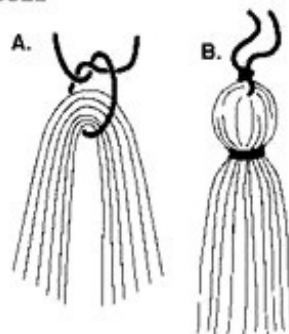
FINISHING

Hold Pillow Sides wrong sides together; with tapestry needle threaded with one strand of Med. Olive, sew edges together, stuffing firmly before closing.

For tassel (make 4), wrap China Rose around 6" square of cardboard 30 times. Tie a separate strand of yarn around center of all strands (see *illustration A*). Cut ends and remove cardboard. Tie another strand of yarn about 1" below center (see *illustration B*).

Sew one tassel to each corner of Pillow. □□

TASSEL



Wild Roses Pillow

(Shown on back cover at center.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 13" square.

MATERIALS:

- Bernat® Berella® "4" yarn by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn:
 - 3½ oz. Black #8994
 - 3½ oz. Lt. Taupe #8765
 - 1 oz. Med. Ocean #8762
 - 1 oz. Med. Orchid #8770
 - 1 oz. Lt. Tap. Gold #8886
- Poly-down® Fiberfill by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle and black thread
- Two 15" squares black velvet
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

Block rnds 1-3 = 3½" across.

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sl st, sc, dc, tr.

BLOCK (make 8)

Rnd 1: With Black, ch 4, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 3, 2 dc in ring, (ch 2, 3 dc in ring) 3 times, ch 2, join with sl st in top of ch 3. (Ch 3 counts as first dc; 12 dc; 4 ch-2 sps made.)

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in next 2 dc; for corner, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 sp (corner made); *dc in next 3 dc, make corner; repeat from * 2 more times, join.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in next 4 dc, make corner, *dc in next 7 dc, make corner; repeat from * 2 more times, dc in next 2 dc, join.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next 6 dc, make corner, *dc in next 11 dc, make corner; repeat from * 2 more times, dc in next 4 dc, join. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join Lt. Taupe with sl st in first st, ch 3, dc in next 8 dc, make corner, *dc in next 15 dc, make corner; repeat from * 2 more times, dc in next 6 dc, join.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next 10 dc, make corner, *dc in next 19 dc, make corner; repeat from * 2 more times, dc in next 8 dc, join. Fasten off.

FLOWER PETALS (make 4)

With Med. Orchid, ch 12, sl st to first ch to form ring, (ch 3, 4 tr, ch 3, sl st) in ring 7 times. Fasten off. (7 petals made)

FLOWER CENTER & LEAVES (make 4)

Rnd 1: With Lt. Tap. Gold, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook, do not join. (6 sc made)

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. (12)

Rnd 3: Join Med. Ocean with sl st in any sc of rnd 2, (ch 9, dc in fourth ch from hook, tr in each of next 4 ch, dc in last ch, skip next 2 sts of rnd 2, sl st in next st) around with last sl st in joining sl st. Fasten off. (4 Leaves made)

FINISHING

For pillow form, allowing ½" for seam, sew two squares of black velvet right sides together, leaving an opening for turning. Turn right side out, stuff firmly, and sew opening closed.

With tapestry needle threaded with one strand of matching color yarn, sew one Flower Center & Leaves to each of 4 Blocks, sew one Flower Petals around outer edges of each Flower Center. Matching stitches, sew these 4 Blocks together as shown in photo, leaving ch-2 sps at center unworked (*this will be the Front of Pillow*).

With tapestry needle threaded with one strand of matching color yarn, sew remaining 4 Blocks together, leaving ch-2 sps at center unworked. (*Back of Pillow made.*)

Holding Front and Back of Pillow wrong sides together and matching sts, with Black yarn and working in **back lps**, join with sc in first st on any side, sc 3 sides of Pillow together, Insert pillow form, sc remaining side together, join. Fasten off. □□

Grape Pillow

(Shown on back cover at bottom.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 11" square.

MATERIALS:

- Bernat® Berella® "4" yarn by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn:
 - 5 oz. Pale Tap. Gold #8887
 - 2 oz. Damson #8996
 - 1 oz. Med. Ocean #8762
 - 1 oz. Oak #8796
- Poly-down® Fiberfill by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- Tapestry needle
- F hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

3 (sc, hdc, dc) groups = 2"; 2 rows = 1".

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sl st, sc, hdc, dc.

PILLOW SIDE (make 2)

Row 1: With Pale Tap. Gold, ch 42, (hdc, dc) in third ch from hook, *skip 2 ch, (sc, hdc, dc) in next ch; repeat from * across to last 3 ch, skip 2 ch, sc in last ch, turn.

Rows 2-25: Ch 1, (hdc, dc) in first st, *skip next 2 sts, (sc, hdc, dc) in next st; repeat from * across to last 2 sts,

skip next 2 sts, sc in starting ch 1, turn.

Rnd 26: Working around outer edge, ch 1, work 29 sc evenly spaced across each edge with 3 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. (128 sc—Center sc of 3 sc in corner is corner st)

GRAPE (make 35)

NOTE: Work in rnds, do not turn or join unless otherwise stated. Mark first st of each rnd.

Rnd 1: With Damson, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook. (6 sc made)

Rnd 2: Sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, (sc in next st, 2 sc in next st) 2 times. (9)

Rnd 3: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 4: (Sc next 2 sts tog) 4 times, sc in last st, join with sl st in first st. (5) Fasten off, leaving an end for sewing. Weave end through sts on rnd 4, pull tight, secure.

VINE

With Med. Ocean, ch 20, 3 sc in second ch from hook and in each remaining ch across. Fasten off.

STEM

NOTE: Work in rnds, do not join or turn unless otherwise stated. Mark first st of each rnd.

Rnd 1: With Oak, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook. (6 sc made)

Rnds 2-6: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 7: Sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, (sc in next st, 2 sc in next st) 2 times. (9)

Rnd 8: Sc in each st around. Fasten off. Flatten rnd 8 and sew tops of sts together.

LEAF

Row 1: With Med. Ocean, ch 10, sc in second ch from hook, sc in next 7 ch, 3 sc in last ch; continuing on opposite side of ch, sc in next 8 ch, turn. (19 sc made)

Row 2: Ch 1, (hdc, dc) in first sc, dc in next st, *ch 3, sl st in second ch from hook, sc in next ch, dc in same st on row 1 as last dc made*, hdc in next sc, (ch 3, sl st in second ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in same st on row 1 as last hdc), hdc in next 3 sts; repeat between (), sc in next 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in next 3 sts, hdc in next st; repeat between (), hdc in next 3 sts; repeat between (), dc in next st; repeat between first and second *. (dc, hdc) in last st. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Using tapestry needle threaded with one strand of matching color yarn, sew Grapes, Vine, Stem and Leaf to one Pillow Side as shown in photo.

EDGING

Rnd 1: Holding Sides wrong side together, matching sts and working in **back lps** of both thicknesses, join Pale Tap. Gold with sc in st before any corner, work 3 sc in corner st, sc in each sc around Pillow, working 3 sts in each corner st, stuffing firmly before closing; join with sl st in first sc. (136 sc made)

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, skip next st, 5 dc in corner st, skip next st, (sc in next st, skip next st, 5 dc in next st, skip next st) around, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off. □□

Fruit Bolster Pillow

(Shown on front cover at center.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 19" long.

MATERIALS:

- Bernat® Berella® "4" yarn by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn:
 - 6 oz. Black #8994
 - 2½ oz. China Rose #8923
 - 1 oz. Lt. Tap. Gold #8886
 - 1½ oz. Pale Tap. Gold #8887
 - ½ oz. Med. Olive #8882
- Small amounts Winter White #8941 and Oak #8796
- Poly-down® Fiberfill by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- 17" x 20" piece and two 7" circles of black fabric for pillow form
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle and black thread
- Hot glue gun and glue stick, if desired
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

1 shell and 1 sc = 1½"; 2 shells and 2 sc in rows = 2".

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sl st, sc, hdc, dc.

SPECIAL STITCHES:

For shell, 5 dc in next st or ch.

For **beginning half shell (beg half shell)**, ch 3, 2 dc in first st.

For **ending half shell (end half shell)**, 3 dc in last st.

For **beginning popcorn (beg pc)**, (ch 3, 3 dc) in first st, drop loop from hook, insert hook in top of ch 3, pull dropped loop through top of ch 3.

For **popcorn (pc)**, work 4 dc in st or sp indicated, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of dc group, pull dropped loop through first dc of group.

SIDE

Row 1: With Black, ch 62, sc in second ch from hook, *skip next 2 ch, **shell** (see *Special Stitches*), skip next 2 ch, sc in next ch; repeat from * across, turn. (*Front of row 1 is right side of work*) (61 sts made)

Row 2: **Beg half shell** (see *Special Stitches*), skip next 2 sts, sc in next st, *skip next 2 sts, **shell** in next sc, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st; repeat from * across to last st, **end half shell** (see *Special Stitches*), turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, *skip next 2 sts, **shell** in next sc, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st; repeat from * across, turn.

Rows 4–40: Repeat rows 2 and 3 alternately. At end of row 40, fasten off.

FRUIT

Apple (make 2)

Row 1: With China Rose, ch 8, sc in second ch from hook, sc in next 2 ch, 3 sc in next ch, sc in next 2 ch, 2 sc in last ch, turn. (10 sc made)

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across to last st, 2 sc in last st, turn. (11)

Rows 3–4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, (sc in next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st) across to last st, sc in last st, turn. (15)

Rows 6–9: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 10–13: Ch 1, skip first st, sc in each st across to last 2 sts, skip next st, sc in last st, turn. At end of last row, **do not turn**. (13, 11, 9, 7)

Rnd 14: Ch 1, sc in each st and end of each row around, join with sl st in first st. Fasten off.

Leaf (make 5)

Row 1: With Med. Olive, ch 8, sc in second ch from hook, sc in next 5 ch, 3 sc in end ch; continuing on opposite side of ch, sc in next 6 ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, hdc in next st, dc in next 3 sts, 2 dc in each of next 5 sts, dc in each of next 3 sts, hdc in next st, sc in last st. Fasten off.

Blossom (make 4)

Rnd 1: With Winter White, ch 2, 6 sc in second ch from hook, join with sl st in first st.

Rnd 2: (Ch 4, sl st in next sc) around, ch 4, join with sl st in same st as first ch 4. Fasten off.

Short Stem (make 3)

With Oak, ch 7, sl st in second ch from hook, sl st in each ch across. Fasten off.

Long Stem (make 2)

With Oak, ch 15, sl st in second ch from hook, sl st in each ch across. Fasten off.

Pear

Row 1: With Lt. Tap. Gold, ch 7, 2 sc in second ch from hook, sc in next 4 ch, 2 sc in last ch, turn. (8 sc made)

Rows 2–4: Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in each st across to last st, 2 sc in last st, turn. (10, 12, 14)

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 6–9: Repeat rows 4 and 5 alternately. (18 sc at end of row 9)

Row 10: Ch 1, skip first st, sc in each st across to last 2 sts, skip next st, sc in last st, turn. (16)

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 12: Ch 1, skip first st, sc across to last 2 sts, skip next st, sc in last st, turn. (14)

Rows 13–16: Repeat rows 11 and 12. (10 sc at end of row 16)

Rows 17–18: Repeat row 12. (8, 6)

Rows 19–21: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 22: Repeat row 12. (4)

Row 23: Ch 1, skip first st, (sc, hdc) in next st, (hdc, sc) in next st, sl st in last st, **do not turn**.

Rnd 24: Ch 1, sc in end of each row and in each st around Pear, join with sl st in first st. Fasten off.

With Lt. Tap. Gold, work 3 French Knots (see *Stitch Guide*) in center of each Blossom. Sew one Short Stem to top of each Apple and Pear. Arrange Fruit, Leaves, Stems and Blossoms as shown in photo and glue or sew in place across center of

Side, stuffing Fruit lightly before closing.

With tapestry needle threaded with one strand of Black yarn, sew first and last rows of Side together, matching sts and shell pattern.

To make **pillow form**, sew 20" edges of black fabric wrong sides together to form a tube, leaving a 6" opening at center of seam for turning. Sew one 7" circle to each end of tube. Turn right side out, stuff, and sew opening shut.

END (make 2)

Rnd 1: With China Rose, ch 4, 11 dc in fourth ch from hook, join with sl st in top of ch 4. (12 dc made)

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in same st, 2 dc in each st around, join. (Ch 3 counts as first dc; 24 dc)

Rnd 3: **Beg pc** (see *Special Stitches*), *ch 1, **dc front post** (fp—see *Stitch Guide*) around next st, **pc** (see *Special Stitches*) in next st; repeat from * 10 more times, ch 1, fp around last st, join with sl st in top of beg pc. (12 pc, 12 fp, 12 ch-1 sps)

Rnd 4: Ch 3, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, fp around next fp, *dc in top of next pc, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, fp around next fp; repeat from * around, join with sl st in top of ch 3.

Rnd 5: **Beg pc** in first st, *ch 1, fp around next 3 sts, ch 1, pc in next st; repeat from * 10 more times, ch 1, fp around last 3 sts, ch 1, join in top of beg pc.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next ch sp, *(fp around next st, pc in next st, fp around next st, dc in next ch-1 sp), dc in pc, dc in next ch-1 sp; repeat from * 10 more times; repeat between (), join with sl st in top of ch 3.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join. Fasten off.

JOINING

To join first End, hold one edge of Side and one End wrong sides together; working through both thicknesses with Pale Tap. Gold, join with sc in any st, evenly space 71 more sc around, join. **Do not fasten off**. (72 sc made)

RUFFLE

Rnd 1: Ch 3, 5 dc in same st, skip next st, sc in next st, skip next st, *6 dc in next st, skip next st, sc in next st, skip next st; repeat from * around, join with sl st in top of ch 3.

Rnd 2: Ch 4, (dc in next st, ch 1) 5 times, sc in next sc, *(ch 1, dc in next st) 6 times, ch 1, sc in next sc; repeat from * around, join with sl st in third ch of ch 4. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With Lt. Tap. Gold, join with sc in any ch-1 sp, (ch 2, sc) in same sp, (sc, ch 2) 2 times in each ch-1 sp around, join. Fasten off.

Repeat joining for second End, stuffing or inserting pillow form before closing, then work Ruffle.

TRIM BAND (make 2)

With Pale Tap. Gold, ch 72, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 2; working in **back bar** of ch (see *Stitch Guide*), hdc in each ch around, join with sl st in top of ch 2. Fasten off.

Tack or glue each Trim Band over joining at base of each Ruffle, covering sc sts completely. □□

Round Doily Pillow

(Shown on back cover at top.)

FINISHED SIZE:

About 15" across.

MATERIALS:

- 8 oz. Winter White #8941 Bernat® Berella® "4" by Spinrite®, Inc. or worsted yarn
- 14" Poly-down® Pillow Pals® pillow insert PP-14R by Hobbs Bonded Fiber
- G hook or hook needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE:

Rnds 1-4 = 3½" across.

BASIC STITCHES:

Ch, sl st, sc, dc.

SPECIAL STITCHES:

For **beginning popcorn (beg pc)**, (ch 3, 3 dc) in first st, remove loop from hook, insert hook in top of ch 3 and pull dropped loop through.

For **popcorn (pc)**, 4 dc in next st, remove loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of group and pull dropped loop through.

For **beg V st**, (ch 4, dc) in first st or ch sp.

For **V st**, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next st.

For **cluster**, yo, insert hook in next st or ch sp, yo, pull through st, yo,

pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, insert hook in same st or ch sp, yo, pull through st or ch sp, yo, pull through 2 loops on hook, yo, pull through all 3 loops on hook.

PILLOW SIDE (make 2)

Rnd 1: Ch 4, 11 dc in fourth ch from hook, join with sl st in top of ch 4. (12 dc made)

Rnd 2: For **Petals**, working in **front lps** (see *Stitch Guide*), ch 1, sc in first st, 5 dc in next st, (sc in next st, 5 dc in next st) 5 times, join with sl st in first st. (6 petals)

Rnd 3: Working in remaining **back lps** of rnd 1, (ch 3, dc) in first st, 2 dc in each st around, join with sl st in top of ch 3. (24 dc)

Rnd 4: **Beg pc** (see *Special Stitches*), ch 2, (**pc**—see *Special Stitches*, ch 2) around, join with sl st in top of beg pc. (24 ch sps)

Rnd 5: (Sl st, ch 3, dc) in first ch-2 sp, 2 dc in each ch sp around, join with sl st in top of ch 3. (48 dc)

Rnd 6: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in next 2 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 2 sts) around, join. (64 dc)

Rnd 7: (Ch 3, dc) in first st, dc in next 7 sts, (2 dc in next st, dc in next 7 sts) around, join. (72)

Rnd 8: **Beg V st** (see *Special Stitches*) in first st, **dc front post (fp**—see *Stitch Guide*) around next 2 sts, ch 1, skip next st, fp around next 2 sts, (**V st**—see *Special Stitches*—in next st, fp around next 2 sts, ch 1, skip next st, fp around next 2 sts) around, join with sl st in third ch of ch 4. (12 V sts, 48 fp)

Rnd 9: Sl st into next ch sp, beg V st in same sp, ch 1, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 1, V st in next V st, ch 1, fp around next 2 sts) 11 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 1, join with sl st in third ch of ch 4.

Rnd 10: Sl st into next ch sp, beg V st in same sp, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 3, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, V st in next V st, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts) 11 times, ch 3, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, join.

Rnd 11: Sl st into next ch sp, beg V st in same sp, (ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, **cluster**—see *Special Stitches*—in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, V st in next V st) 11 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, cluster in next ch-3 sp, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 2, join. (12 V sts, 12 clusters, 48 fp)

Rnd 12: Sl st into next ch sp, beg V st in same sp, *ch 1, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 2 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 1, V st in next V st; repeat from * 11 times, ch 1, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 2 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, ch 1, join. (12 V sts, 24 clusters, 48 fp)

Rnd 13: Sl st into next ch sp, beg V st in same sp, *fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 3 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, V st in next V st; repeat from * 11 times, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 3 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, join. (12 V sts, 36 clusters, 48 fp)

Rnd 14: Sl st into next ch sp, ch 3, *fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 4 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, dc in next V st; repeat from * 11 times, fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 4 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, join with sl st in top of ch 3. (48 clusters, 48 fp, 12 dc)

Rnd 15: Ch 3, *fp around next 2 sts, (ch 2, cluster in next ch sp) 5 times, ch 2, fp around next 2 sts, skip next st; repeat from * around, skip ch 3, join with sl st in top of first fp. Fasten off.

JOINING

Matching sts and sps, hold both sides together; working through both thicknesses, join with sc in any st, work 185 more sc evenly spaced around, inserting pillow form before closing, join with sl st in first sc. **Do not fasten off.** (186 sc made)

RUFFLE

Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sts, ch 3, skip next 3 sts, (sc in next 3 sts, ch 3, skip next 3 sts) around, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 2: (Sl st, ch 1, 3 sc) in next st, (dc, ch 2) 3 times in next ch sp, dc in same ch sp, skip next st, *3 sc in next st, (dc, ch 2) 3 times in next ch sp, dc in same ch sp, skip next st; repeat from * around, join with sl st in first sc.

Rnd 3: (Sl st, ch 1, sc, ch 5, sc) in next st, ch 2, (sc, hdc, 2 dc, hdc, sc) in each of next 3 ch-2 sps, ch 2, skip next sc, *(sc, ch 5, sc) in next sc, ch 2, skip next sc, (sc, hdc, 2 dc, hdc, sc) in each of next 3 ch-2 sps, ch 2, skip next sc; repeat from * around, join. Fasten off. □□



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