

Booties for Baby

Nine Designs To
Crochet With Thread



1. Tulips

MATERIALS

Bedsread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10), approximately:
Main Color (White) - 65 yards
Contrasting Color (Red) - 35 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed for gauge
Embroidery floss (Green) - small amount
Tapestry needle
¼" Ribbon - 40"

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

SOLE

With CC, ch 22 loosely.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in next 10 dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark joining, dc in last 8 dc; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 82 dc.

INSTEP

With MC, ch 13 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch, dc in next 10 chs: 28 sts.

Note: Place marker to mark last row as **right side**.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as first dc plus ch 1), turn; skip next dc, dc in next dc, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc) 4 times, (ch 1, dc in next dc) 7 times, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next st) 5 times: 17 ch-1 sps.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; (dc in next ch-1 sp and in next dc) 5 times, (2 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc) 8 times, (dc in next ch-1 sp and in next dc) 4 times, ch 39 **loosely**; being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first dc to begin working in rnds: 43 dc.

SIDES

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc across, dc in first 22 chs, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark Top placement, dc in last 17 chs; join with slip st to first dc: 82 dc.

Rnds 2 and 3: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc, do **not** finish off.

JOINING

Ch 1, with **wrong** side of Sides and Sole together, matching first dc of Sides with marked dc of Sole and working in BLO of **both** pieces (**Fig. 3, page 1**), sc in same st and in each dc around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

TOP

Rnd 1: With **right** side facing, join MC with slip st in free loop of ch above marked dc; ch 3, dc in free loop of next 21 chs; working in end of rows, 3 dc in first row, 2 dc in each of next 2 rows, dc in next st (center st of Instep), 2 dc in each of next 2 rows, 3 dc in next row, dc in free loop of each ch around; join with slip st to first dc: 54 dc.

Rnd 2 (Eyelet rnd): Ch 5, skip next 2 dc, ★ dc in next dc, ch 2, skip next 2 dc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-5: 18 ch-2 sps.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, 2 dc in first ch-2 sp, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp) around; join with slip st to first dc: 54 dc.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around, drop MC; join with slip st to first dc, changing to CC (**Fig. 4, page 1**).

Note: Work Popcorn as follows: 5 Dc in next dc, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of 5-dc group, hook dropped loop and draw through.

Rnd 5: Ch 3, 4 dc in same st, drop loop from hook, insert hook in top of beginning ch-3, hook dropped loop and draw through (**beginning Popcorn made**), ch 5, skip next 5 dc, ★ work Popcorn, ch 5, skip next 5 dc; repeat from ★ around, cut CC; join with slip st to beginning Popcorn, changing to MC: 9 Popcorns.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st, working **over** ch-5 and in dc on Rnd 4, dc in next 2 dc, 3 tr in next dc, dc in next 2 dc, ★ sc in next Popcorn, working **over** ch-5 and in dc on Rnd 4, dc in next 2 dc, 3 tr in next dc, dc in next 2 dc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Using Cover Photo as a guide for placement, add leaves and stems using embroidery floss.

Weave a 20" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

2. Summer Rose

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately:
Main Color (Ecru) - 65 yards
Color A (Pink) - 17 yards
Color B (Green) - small amount
Steel crochet hook, size 4 (2.00 mm) or size needed
for gauge
Tapestry needle
¼" Ribbon - 36"

GAUGE: 16 dc and 7 rows = 2"

ROSE

With Color A ch 6, join with slip st to form a ring.

Note: Work Popcorn as follows: 4 Dc in ring, drop loop from hook, insert hook in first dc of 4-dc group, hook dropped loop and draw through.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), 3 dc in ring, drop loop from hook, insert hook in top of beginning ch-3, hook dropped loop and draw through (**beginning Popcorn made**), ch 3, (work Popcorn, ch 3) 3 times; join with slip st to beginning Popcorn: 4 Popcorns.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Slip st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, 5 dc, sc) in each ch-3 sp around; join with slip st to first sc: 4 Petals.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 3, keeping all ch-3 behind Petals, insert hook from **back to front** between second and third dc of same Petal, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through both loops on hook, ch 3, ★ sc in first sc on next Petal, ch 3, insert hook from **back to front** between second and third dc of same Petal, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through both loops on hook, ch 3; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc: 8 ch-3 sps.

Rnd 4: Slip st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, 7 dc, sc) in each ch-3 sp around; join with slip st to first sc: 8 Petals.

Rnd 5: Ch 2, insert hook from **back to front** between third and fourth dc of first Petal, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through both loops on hook, ch 4, ★ insert hook from **back to front** between third and fourth dc of next Petal, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through both loops on hook, ch 4; repeat from ★ around, skip beginning ch-2 sp and join with slip st to first sc, finish off: 8 ch-4 sps.

INSTEP

Note: Work Shell as follows: (2 Dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in stitch or space indicated.

Rnd 1: With **right side** facing, join MC with slip st in any ch-4 sp on Rnd 5; ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp (**beginning Shell made**), ch 1, ★ work Shell in next ch-4 sp, ch 1; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to

Rnd 2: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) in same sp, ★ (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-1 sp, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 2 sp; repeat from ★ once **more**, leaving remaining ch-sps unworked, **turn**, ch 41 **loosely**, being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first sc of this rnd: 5 ch-3 sps.

SIDES

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3, **turn**; (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same st as joining, ch 1; working across chs, skip first 5 chs, (work Shell in next ch, ch 1, skip next 5 chs) 6 times, work Shell in next sc, ch 1, ★ work Shell in next Shell (ch-2 sp), ch 1; repeat from ★ 4 times **more**; join with slip st to first dc: 13 Shells.

Rnds 2 and 3: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (work Shell in next Shell, ch 1) around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 4: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, ch 1, work Shell in next Shell, ch 1, dc in next Shell, ch 1, ★ (work Shell in next Shell, ch 1) twice, dc in next Shell, ch 1; repeat from ★ once **more**, (work Shell in next Shell, ch 1, dc in next Shell, ch 1) twice; join with slip st to first dc: 8 Shells.

Rnd 5: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same sp, ch 1, (work Shell in next Shell, ch 1) around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 6: Slip st in next dc and in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, 3 sc in same sp and in each Shell around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Sew bottom seam.

TOP

Row 1 (Right side): With **right side** facing, join MC with slip st in third ch from Instep; ch 3, skip next 2 chs, work Shell in free loop of next ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), ★ ch 1, skip next 5 chs, work Shell in free loop of next ch; repeat from ★ 4 times **more**, skip next 2 chs, dc in next ch: 6 Shells.

Row 2: Ch 6, **turn**; (sc, ch 3) twice in each Shell across, dc in last dc: 12 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3, **turn**; skip first ch-3 sp, work Shell in next ch-3 sp, ★ ch 1, skip next ch-3 sp, work Shell in next ch-3 sp; repeat from ★ 4 times **more**, skip next 3 chs, dc in next ch: 6 Shells.

Row 4 (Eyelet rnd): Ch 6, **turn**; tr in next Shell, ch 2, ★ tr in next ch-1 sp, ch 2, tr in next Shell, ch 2; repeat from ★ across, tr in last dc: 12 ch-sps.

Edging: Ch 1, **turn**; (sc, ch 3, sc) in each ch-sp across; working in end of rows, work (ch 3, sc) twice in Row 4, (sc, ch 3, sc) in each of next 3 rows and in sp of beginning ch, (sc, ch 3, sc) in each of next 5 ch-3 sps of Instep and in sp of beginning ch; working in end of rows, (sc, ch 3, sc) in each of next 3 rows, (sc, ch 3) twice in last row; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

LEAF (Make 2)

With Color B, ch 7 **loosely**; working in back ridge of chs (Fig. 2, page 1), sc in second ch from hook and in next ch, hdc in next ch, dc in last 3 chs; finish off.

3. T-Straps

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately 75 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed
for gauge
Tapestry needle
 $\frac{3}{8}$ " Buttons - 2

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

LEFT BOOTIE SOLE AND SIDES

Ch 22 **loosely**.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (Fig. 1, page 1), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right** side.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in last 18 dc; join with slip st to first dc: 82 dc.

Rnds 4 and 5: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in next 35 dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark Instep placement, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc, finish off.

INSTEP

Note: Work decrease as follows: ★ YO, insert hook in next dc, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook; repeat from ★ **once more**, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Row 1: With **right** side facing, join thread with slip st in marked dc; ch 2, dc in next dc, decrease 16 times, leave remaining dc unworked: 17 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; (skip next st, dc in next st) 8 times: 9 dc.

Row 3: Ch 2, turn; ★ YO, insert hook in next dc, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook; repeat from ★ 7 times **more**, YO and draw through all 9 loops on hook; do **not** finish off: 1 st.

FINISHING

Using Cover Photo as a guide for placement, sew leaves under Rose.

Weave an 18" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

CUFF

Note: Work Picot as follows: Ch 1, sc in top of sc just made.

Ch 1, sc in same st, work Picot; working in end of rows, (sc in next row, work Picot) 3 times; working in dc on Rnd 6 of Sides, sc in next dc, (work Picot, skip next dc, sc in next dc) twice, slip st in next dc, ch 20 **loosely**; working in back ridge of each ch (Fig. 2, page 1), dc in fourth ch from hook, ch 1, skip next ch (**Buttonhole made**), dc in next 15 chs (Band), dc in next 37 dc on Rnd 6 of Sides, place marker around last dc made, ch 1, **turn**; sc in first 37 dc, ch 1, **turn**; sc in first sc, work Picot, (skip next sc, sc in next sc, work Picot) 17 times, skip next sc, 2 sc in next sc, ch 3, slip st in same st as marked dc; working in dc on Rnd 6 of Sides, sc in next dc, work Picot, (skip next dc, sc in next dc, work Picot) twice; working in end of rows, (sc in next row, work Picot) 3 times, slip st in next st (center st of Instep), ch 14 **loosely**; working in back ridge of each ch, sc in eighth ch from hook and in next 6 chs, slip st in center st of Instep (Strap); finish off.

RIGHT BOOTIE

Work same as Left Bootie to Cuff: 1 st.

CUFF

Ch 1, sc in same st, work Picot; working in end of rows, (sc in next row, work Picot) 3 times; working in dc on Rnd 6 of Sides, sc in next dc, (work Picot, skip next dc, sc in next dc) twice, slip st in next dc, ch 3, dc in next 36 dc, ch 1, **turn**; sc in first 37 dc, ch 1, **turn**; sc in first sc, work Picot, (skip next sc, sc in next sc, work Picot) 17 times, skip next sc, (sc, slip st) in next sc, ch 20 **loosely**; working in back ridge of each ch, dc in fourth ch from hook, ch 1, skip next ch (**Buttonhole made**), dc in next 15 chs (Band), slip st in next dc on Row 6 of Sides, sc in next dc, work Picot, (skip next dc, sc in next dc, work Picot) 2 times; working in end of rows, (sc in next row, work Picot) 3 times, slip st in next st (center st of Instep), ch 14 **loosely**; working in back ridge of each ch, sc in eighth ch from hook and in next 6 chs, slip st in center st of Instep (Strap); finish off.

Using Cover Photo as a guide for placement, pull Band through loop on Strap.

Add button to Cuff.

4. Antique Lace

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately 85 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed
for gauge
¼" Ribbon - 40"

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

SOLE AND SIDES

Ch 26 loosely.

Note: Work V-St as follows: (Dc, ch 1, dc) in stitch indicated.

Rnd 1 (Right side): (Dc, work 2 V-Sts) in fifth ch from hook, skip next 2 chs, (work V-St in next ch, skip next 2 chs) 6 times, work 3 V-Sts in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), skip next 2 chs, (work V-St in next ch, skip next 2 chs) 6 times; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch: 18 ch-1 sps.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Slip st in first ch-1 sp, ch 4 (**counts as first dc plus ch 1, now and throughout**), (dc, work V-St) in same sp, work 2 V-Sts in each of next 2 V-Sts (ch-1 sps), work V-St in next 6 V-Sts, work 2 V-Sts in each of next 3 V-Sts, work V-St in next 6 V-Sts; join with slip st to first dc: 24 V-Sts.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first ch-1 sp, ch 4, (dc, work V-St) in same sp, (work V-St in next V-St, work 2 V-Sts in next V-St) twice, work V-St in next 7 V-Sts, work 2 V-Sts in next V-St, (work V-St in next V-St, work 2 V-Sts in next V-St) twice, work V-St in next 7 V-Sts; join with slip st to first dc: 30 V-Sts.

Rnds 4-7: Slip st in first ch-1 sp, ch 4, dc in same sp, work V-St in each V-St around; join with slip st to first dc.

5. High Tops

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately:
Main Color (Blue) - 90 yards
Contrasting Color (White) - 18 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed
for gauge
Tapestry needle
¾" Buttons - 4

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

INSTEP

Row 1: Slip st in first ch-1 sp, work V-St in next 4 V-Sts, slip st in next V-St, ch 3, slip st in next V-St: 4 V-Sts.

Rows 2-4: Turn; work V-St in next 4 V-Sts, slip st in next V-St on Rnd 7, ch 3, slip st in next V-St.

Row 5: Turn; work V-St in next 4 V-Sts, slip st in next V-St on Rnd 7, leave remaining 16 V-Sts on Rnd 7 unworked.

CUFF

Rnd 1: Ch 4, dc in same sp, work V-St in next 16 V-Sts on Rnd 7, work V-St in next V-St (same st as previous slip st), work V-St in next 4 V-Sts on Row 5 of Instep; join with slip st to first dc: 22 V-Sts.

Rnd 2 (Eyelet rnd): Slip st in first ch-1 sp, ch 5, (dc in next V-St, ch 2) around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-5: 22 ch-2 sps.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first ch-2 sp, ch 5, dc in same sp, (dc, ch 2, dc) in next ch-2 sp and in each ch-2 sp around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-5.

Rnd 4: Slip st in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, (ch 4, sc in next ch-2 sp) around, ch 1, dc in first sc to form last loop: 22 loops.

Rnd 5: Ch 5, dc in same loop, (dc, ch 2, dc) in next loop and in each loop around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-5.

Rnd 6: Slip st in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, ch 4, (sc in next ch-2 sp, ch 4) around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Weave a 20" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

LEFT BOOTIE SOLE

With MC, ch 22 loosely.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right side**.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (**counts as first dc, now and throughout**), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in next 10 dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark joining, dc in last 8 dc; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 82 dc.

INSTEP

With MC, ch 13 **loosely**.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch, dc in next 10 chs: 28 sts.

Note: Place marker to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in last 10 sts: 36 dc.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in each dc across, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark Top placement, ch 36 **loosely**; being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first dc to begin working in rnds: 44 dc.

SIDES

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc and ch around, drop MC; join with slip st to first dc, changing to CC (**Fig. 4, page 1**): 80 dc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st and in next dc, dc in next 2 dc, (sc in next 2 dc, dc in next 2 dc) around, drop CC; join with slip st to first sc, changing to MC.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in next sc, sc in next 2 dc, (dc in next 2 sc, sc in next 2 dc) around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next 13 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in next 7 sts, 2 dc in next st, dc in each st around, cut MC; join with slip st to first dc, changing to CC: 82 dc.

JOINING

Ch 1, with **wrong** side of Sides and Sole together, matching first dc of Sides with marked dc of Sole and working in BLO of **both** pieces (**Fig. 3, page 1**), sc in same st and in each dc around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

TOP

Row 1: With **right** side facing, join MC with slip st in top of marked dc; ch 8, dc in sixth ch from hook (**Buttonhole made**) and in next 2 chs; working in end of rows, 2 dc in each of next 6 rows, dc in free loop of each ch across; do **not** join: 51 dc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across to Buttonhole, sc in Buttonhole and in next ch: 53 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next sc and in each sc across.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across.

Row 5: Ch 4, turn; skip first 2 sc (**Buttonhole made**), dc in next sc and in each sc across: 51 dc.

Row 6: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across to Buttonhole, sc in Buttonhole and in next ch; finish off.

Edging: With **right** side facing, join CC with slip st in same st as joining of Top (marked dc); ch 1, sc in free loop of next 3 chs, 3 sc in Buttonhole; working in end of rows, (sc in next row, 2 sc in next row) twice; working in Rnd 6 of Top, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to last sc, 2 sc in last sc; working in end of rows, skip first row, 2 sc in next row, (sc in next row, 2 sc in next row) twice; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

RIGHT BOOTIE

SOLE

Work same as Left Bootie, page 5: 82 dc.

INSTEP

Work same as Left Bootie through Row 2: 36 dc.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in each dc across, ch 36 **loosely**, tie a scrap piece of thread in last ch made to mark Top placement; being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first dc to begin working in rnds: 44 dc.

SIDES AND JOINING

Work same as Left Bootie.

TOP

Row 1: With **right** side facing, join MC with slip st in marked ch; ch 3, dc in free loop of each ch across; working in end of rows, 2 dc in each of next 6 rows, dc in top of first dc on Row 3 of Instep, ★ YO, insert hook in base of last dc made, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 1 loop on hook, (YO and draw through 2 loops on hook) twice; repeat from ★ once **more**, ch 1, tr in base of last dc made (**Buttonhole made**): 51 dc.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn; sc in first tr and in Buttonhole, sc in each dc across: 53 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next sc and in each sc across.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in each dc across.

Row 5: Ch 3, turn; dc in next sc and in each sc across to last 2 sc, ch 1, skip next sc (**Buttonhole made**), dc in last sc: 52 dc.

Row 6: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc and in Buttonhole, sc in each dc across; finish off.

Edging: With **right** side facing, join CC with slip st in same st as joining of Top (marked ch); ch 1, sc in same st; working in end of rows, 2 sc in next row, (sc in next row, 2 sc in next row) twice; working in Rnd 6 of Top, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each sc across to last sc, 2 sc in last sc; working in end of rows, skip first row, (2 sc in next row, sc in next row) twice, 3 sc in Buttonhole, sc in base of next 2 dc; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Add buttons.

6. Irish Rose

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately 65 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 4 (2.00 mm) **or** size needed
for gauge
¼" Ribbon - 40"

GAUGE: 16 dc and 7 rows = 2"

ROSE

Ch 6, join with slip st to form a ring.

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 1, 12 sc in ring; join with slip st to first sc: 12 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 5, skip next sc, ★ sc in next sc, ch 5, skip next sc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc: 6 loops.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first loop, ch 1, (sc, 5 dc, sc) in each loop around; join with slip st to first sc: 6 Petals.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 5, ★ keeping loop **behind** Petal, sc in first sc of next Petal, ch 5; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 5: Slip st in first loop, ch 1, (sc, 7 dc, sc) in each loop around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 5, ★ keeping loop **behind** Petal, sc in first sc of next Petal, ch 5; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 7: Slip st in first loop, ch 1, (sc, ch 5) twice in same loop and in next 4 loops, (sc, ch 5, sc) in last loop, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop: 12 loops.

SIDES

Rnd 1: Ch 1, sc in same loop, ★ ch 5, sc in next loop, 5 dc in next sc, sc in next loop; repeat from ★ 3 times **more**, ch 44 **loosely**; skipping remaining loops and being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first sc: 4 loops.

Rnd 2: Slip st in first 2 chs of first loop, ch 1, sc in same loop, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 5, ★ sc in next loop, ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 5; repeat from ★ 2 times **more**, (sc in next ch, ch 5, skip next 3 chs) 11 times, tie a scrap piece of thread around last loop made to mark Cuff placement, sc in next sc (same sc as joining slip st), ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop: 20 loops.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same loop, (ch 5, sc in next loop) around, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same loop, ch 5, sc in next 2 loops, 5 dc in next sc, ★ sc in next 2 loops, ch 5, sc in next 2 loops, 5 dc in next sc; repeat from ★ around to last loop, sc in last loop; join with slip st to first sc: 25 dc.

Rnd 5: Slip st in first 2 chs of first loop, ch 1, sc in same loop, (ch 5, skip next 2 dc, sc in next dc, ch 5, sc in next loop) twice, (ch 5, skip next dc, sc in next dc) twice, ★ ch 5, sc in next loop, (ch 5, skip next dc, sc in next dc) twice; repeat from ★ **once more**, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop: 13 loops.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same loop, (ch 5, sc in next loop) around, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, sc in same loop, ch 5, (sc in next loop, ch 5) around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 8: Slip st in first loop, ch 1, 3 sc in each loop around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Sew bottom seam.

CUFF

Rnd 1: With **right** side facing and working over beginning ch, join thread with slip st in sp above marked ch-5; ch 1, sc in same loop, ch 5, (sc in next loop, ch 5) 10 times, working in loops on Rnd 7 of Rose, sc in next loop, (ch 5, sc in next loop) 4 times, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop: 16 loops.

Rnd 2 (Eyelet rnd): Ch 6, (dc in next loop, ch 3) around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-6.

Rnd 3: Slip st in first ch-3 sp, ch 1, sc in same sp, (ch 5, sc in next ch-3 sp) around, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop.

Rnds 4 and 5: Ch 1, sc in same loop, (ch 5, sc in next loop) around, ch 2, dc in first sc to form last loop.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same loop, ch 5, sc in third ch from hook, ch 2, ★ sc in next loop, ch 5, sc in third ch from hook, ch 2; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Weave a 20" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

7. Pixies

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10), approximately:
Main Color (Lavender) - 70 yards
Contrasting Color (White) - 20 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed for gauge
¼" Ribbon - 32"

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

SOLE

With MC, ch 22 loosely.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right** side.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in next 10 dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark joining, dc in last 8 dc; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 82 dc.

INSTEP

With MC, ch 13 loosely.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch, dc in next 10 chs, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark Top placement: 28 sts.

Note: Place marker to mark last row as **right** side.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as first dc plus ch 1), turn; skip next dc, dc in next dc, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc) 4 times, (ch 1, dc in next dc) 7 times, (ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next st) 5 times: 17 ch-1 sps.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; (dc in next ch-1 sp and in next dc) 5 times, (2 dc in next ch-1 sp, dc in next dc) 8 times, (dc in next ch-1 sp and in next dc) 4 times, ch 39 **loosely**; being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first dc to begin working in rnds: 43 dc.

SIDES

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc and ch around; join with slip st to first dc: 82 dc.

Rnds 2 and 3: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc, do **not** finish off.

JOINING

Ch 1, with **wrong** side of Sides and Sole together, matching first dc of Sides with marked dc of Sole and working in BLO of **both** pieces (**Fig. 3, page 1**), sc in same st and in each dc around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

TOP

Row 1: With **wrong** side facing and working in end of rows on Instep, join CC with slip st in marked dc; ch 1, 2 sc in same row and in each of next 2 rows; sc in free loop of each ch across; working in end of rows, 2 sc in each of next 3 rows; do **not** join: 51 sc.

Row 2 (Eyelet rnd): Ch 4, turn; skip next sc, dc in next sc, ★ ch 1, skip next sc, dc in next sc; repeat from ★ across: 25 ch-1 sps.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn; sc in first dc, (ch 5, sc in next dc) across to last dc, ch 2, dc in last dc to form last loop.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; sc in same loop, (ch 2, sc in next loop) across.

Row 5: Turn; slip st in first ch-2 sp, ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) in same sp and in each ch-2 sp across; working in end of rows, work 7 sc evenly spaced across to center of Instep, sc in center of Instep; working in end of rows, work 7 sc evenly spaced across; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Weave a 16" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

8. Mom and Dad

MATERIALS

Bedsread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately:
Color A (White) - 40 yards
Color B (Blue) - 13 yards
Color C (Red) - 9 yards
Color D (Green) - 15 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) or size needed
for gauge
Tapestry needle
1/4" Ribbon - 40"

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

SOLE

With Color B, ch 22 **loosely**.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right** side.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in next 10 dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark joining, dc in last 8 dc; join with slip st to first dc, finish off: 82 dc.

INSTEP

With Color C, ch 13 **loosely**.

Row 1 (Right side): Dc in fourth ch from hook and in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch, dc in next 10 chs: 28 sts.

Row 2: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in last 10 sts: 36 dc.

Row 3: Ch 3, turn; dc in next 9 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in each dc across changing to Color A in last dc (**Fig. 4, page 1**), ch 38 **loosely**; being careful not to twist ch, join with slip st to first dc to begin working in rnds: 44 dc.

SIDES

Rnd 1 (Right side): Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc across, dc in next 20 chs, tie a scrap piece of thread around last dc made to mark Cuff placement, dc in last 18 chs; join with slip st to first dc: 82 dc.

Rnds 2-4: Ch 1, sc in each st around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 3, dc in next sc and in each sc around; join with slip st to first dc, do **not** finish off.

JOINING

Ch 1, with **wrong** side of Sides and Sole together, matching first dc of Sides with marked dc of Sole and working in BLO of **both** pieces (**Fig. 3, page 1**), sc in same st and in each dc around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

CUFF

Rnd 1: With **right** side facing, join Color D with slip st in free loop of ch above marked dc; ch 3, dc in next 19 chs; working in end of rows, 3 dc in next row, 2 dc in each of next 2 rows, 2 dc in next st (center st of Instep), 2 dc in each of next 2 rows, 3 dc in next row, dc in free loop of each ch around; join with slip st to first dc: 54 dc.

Rnd 2 (Eyelet rnd): Ch 4, skip next dc, ★ dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to third ch of beginning ch-4: 27 ch-1 sps.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in each ch-1 sp and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 54 dc.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in same st, ch 2, skip next dc, ★ sc in next dc, ch 2, skip next dc; repeat from ★ around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

Using Cover Photo as a guide for placement, add embroidery to sc rounds on outside of each Bootie.

Weave a 20" length of ribbon through Eyelet round.

9. Mary Janes

MATERIALS

Bedspread Weight Cotton Thread (size 10),
approximately:
Main Color (Red) - 65 yards
Contrasting Color (White) - 60 yards
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.80 mm) **or** size needed
for gauge
Tapestry needle
 $\frac{3}{8}$ " Buttons - 2

GAUGE: 18 dc and 7 rows = 2"

SOLE AND SIDES

With MC, ch 22 loosely.

Rnd 1 (Right side): 7 Dc in fourth ch from hook, dc in each ch across to last ch, 8 dc in last ch; working in free loops of beginning ch (**Fig. 1, page 1**), dc in next 17 chs; join with slip st to top of beginning ch: 50 sts.

Note: Loop a short piece of thread around any stitch to mark last round as **right** side.

Rnd 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc, now and throughout), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 7 dc, dc in next 17 dc, 2 dc in each of next 8 dc, dc in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc: 66 dc.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same st and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 6 times, dc in next 18 dc, 2 dc in next dc, (dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc) 7 times, dc in last 18 dc; join with slip st to first dc: 82 dc.

Rnds 4 and 5: Ch 3, dc in next dc and in each dc around; join with slip st to first dc.

Note: Work decrease as follows: ★ YO, insert hook in next dc, YO and pull up a loop, YO and draw through 2 loops on hook; repeat from ★ once **more**, YO and draw through all 3 loops on hook.

Rnd 6: Ch 3, decrease, (dc in next dc, decrease) 12 times, dc in next 29 dc, decrease, (dc in next dc, decrease) 4 times; join with slip st to first dc: 64 dc.

Rnd 7: Ch 2, dc in next dc, decrease 7 times, sc in each dc around to last dc, tie a scrap piece of thread around last sc worked to mark Instep placement, sc in last dc; join with slip st to first dc: 56 sts.

Edging: Ch 3, **turn**; 2 dc in same st as joining, ★ skip next 2 sts, working in BLO (**Fig. 3, page 1**), (slip st, ch 3, 2 dc) in next st; repeat from ★ around to last st, skip last st; join with slip st to base of beginning ch, finish off.

INSTEP

Row 1 (Right side): With **right** side facing, join CC with slip st in marked sc, ch 3; working in free loops on Rnd 7 of Sides, dc in next 11 sts (across toe): 12 dc.

Row 2: Ch 1, **turn**; sc in each dc across.

Row 3: Ch 3, **turn**; dc in next sc and in each sc across.

Rows 4-6: Repeat Rows 2 and 3 once, then repeat Row 2 once **more**.

TOP

Rnd 1: Ch 1, **turn**; sc in each sc across, skip next 7 sts on Rnd 7 of Sides; working in free loops on Rnd 7, sc in next 30 sts, leave remaining 7 sts unworked; join with slip st to first sc: 42 sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same st, ★ ch 3, skip next st, sc in next st; repeat from ★ around to last st, ch 1, skip last st, hdc in first sc to form last ch-3 sp: 21 ch-3 sps.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same sp, 2 dc in each ch-3 sp around; join with slip st to first dc: 42 dc.

Rnds 4-7: Repeat Rnds 2 and 3 twice.

Rnd 8 (Ruffle): Ch 1, **turn**; sc in same st, ch 5; working in BLO, (sc in next dc, ch 5) around; join with slip st to first sc.

Rnd 9 (Right side): Ch 3, **turn**; working in free loops on Rnd 7, dc in next st and in each st around; join with slip st to first dc: 42 dc.

Rnd 10: Ch 1, working in both loops, sc in each dc around; join with slip st to first sc, finish off.

STRAP

With MC, ch 17 **loosely**; working in back ridge of each ch (**Fig. 2, page 1**), dc in third ch from hook and in each ch across; finish off.

Sew Instep to Sides.

Using Cover Photo as a guide for placement, sew Strap to Bootie and add button.

Booties for Baby

