

Guardian Angel

This little angel is just the right size to be a small gift for a friend or a co-worker. One ball of thread provides enough material for 10 or more pins.

MATERIALS

20 yds white bedspread weight cotton thread, size 10
Small amount metallic gold crochet thread
Steel crochet hook, size 6 (1.50 mm)
1" bar pin, stick pin, or magnet
Hot-glue gun and glue sticks
Tapestry needle

HEAD

Rnd 1 (rs): With white, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook; do not join, place marker; 6 sc.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in ea sc around; 12 sc.

Rnd 3: (2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc) around; 18 sc.

Rnd 4: (2 sc in next sc, sc in next 2 sc) around; sl st in next sc; finish off, leaving long end for sewing.

BODY

Row 1: With white, ch 13 loosely; sc in 2nd ch from hook and in ea ch across.

Row 2 (rs): Ch 1, turn; working in bk lps only, sc in first 2 sc, hdc in last 10 sc.

Row 3: Ch 2, turn; working in bk lps only, hdc in first 10 hdc, sc in last 2 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn; working in bk lps only, sc in first 2 sc, hdc in last 10 hdc.

Rows 5-7: Rep rows 3 and 4 once, then rep row 3 once more.

Edging: Ch 1, turn; working in both lps, sc in ea st across; working in ends of rows, work 12 sc evenly sp across; working in free lps of beg ch, sc in ea ch across; working in ends of rows, work 3 sc evenly sp across; join with sl st to first sc; finish off.

WINGS

Row 1 (rs): With white, ch 16 loosely; sc in 2nd ch from hook and in ea ch across; 15 sc.

Rows 2-4: Ch 2, turn; working in bk lps only, hdc in first 6 sts, sc in next 3 sc, hdc in last 6 sts.

Edging: Ch 1, turn; working in bk lps only, sc in ea st across; working in ends of rows, sc evenly across; working in free lps of beg ch, sc in ea ch across; working in ends of rows, sc evenly across; join with sl st to first sc; finish off.

HALO

With gold, ch 12, join with sl st to form ring.

Rnd: Ch 1, 15 sc in ring; join with sl st to first sc; finish off.

FINISHING

Assembly: Using photo as placement guide, sew Head to Body. Gather center of Wings and sew behind neck. Glue Halo to Head. Glue pin or magnet to Angel.

