MANDALA BLANKET—PART 3

Materials

worsted weight yarn in 3 colors (I used I Love this Yarn from Hobby Lobby)

H/5.0 mm hook

yarn needle

scissors

Level

intermediate

Pattern notes & stitches to know

ch – chain

sl st - slip stitch

hdc - half double crochet

TL - third loop - insert hook into "third loop" of hdc and work stitch

sc – single crochet

dc - double crochet

vst - v stitch - (dc, ch 1, dc) in one stitch

2dcCL - 2 double crochet cluster

ldc - long double crochet

lhdc - long half double crochet

tr - treble crochet

picot - ch 3, sl st to same stitch

3dcCL - 3 double crochet cluster

hdcCL - half double crochet cluster - *yarn over, insert hook into stitch, pull up a loop* repeat 1 more time, yarn over, pull through 5 loops

Pattern notes cont.

- written in US terms

- beginning ch 1 does not count as stitch

- beginning ch 2 does not count as stitch

- This pattern starts in the middle and works outwards in joined rounds.

- Pattern is made with 3 colors. Linen is Color A, Blue is Color B, Pink is Color C.

- It is indicated in the pattern when to change colors.

- Do not fasten off each color. Carry each color.

Approx Finished size: 21.5'' diameter from

MANDALA BLANKET CROCHET PATTERN - PART 3

Part 3 Video Tutorial

Change to Color A

Round 20: sl st to next, *dc in 3 stitches, hdc in 3, scTL in 3, ch 2, scTL in 3, hdc in 3, dc in 3, tr3tog* repeat from * to * around, join to first dc with sl st (48 dc, 48 hdc, 48 sc, 8 tr)

Round 21: sl st to next, ch 2, *[2dcCL, ch 2, skip 1] x2, hdcCL, ch 2, skip 1, hdcCL, ch 3, skip 2 sc, hdcCL, ch 2 ,skip 1, hdcCL, ch 2, skip 1, [2dcCL, ch 2 skip 1] x3* repeat from * to * around, join to first dc with sl st (40 2dcCL, 32 hdc CL)

Change to Color B

Round 22: ch 1, *[sc, ch 1, ldc, ch 1] x2, ch 1, sc, ch 1, lhdc, ch 1, sc, ch 1, ldc (in 3rd row below), ch 1, sc, ch 1, lhdc, ch 1, [sc, ch 1, ldc, ch 1] x2, sc, ch 5, skip CL* repeat from * to * around, join to first sc with sl st (64 sc, 40 dc, 16 hdc)

Change to Color C

Round 23: sl st 3 stitches to next sc, ch 1, *hdc in next 10, fpdc, hdc in next 10, ch 1, skip 4, ((3dcCL, ch 2,) x3, 3dcCL) in ch-5, ch 1, skip 4*, join to first hdc with sl st (160 hdc, 8 dc, 32 CL)

Change to Color B

Round 24: ch 1, *hdcTL in next 10, fpdc, hdcTL in next 10, ch 1, hdcCL in ch-1 space, ch 2, [hdcCL in ch-2 space, ch 2] x 3, hdcCL in ch-1 space, ch 1* repeat from * to * around, join to first hdc with sl st *(160 hdc, 8 dc, 40 hdcCL)

Change to Color A

Round 25: sl st 2 stitches to 3rd hdc, ch 1, *scTL in 6 stitches, ch 1, skip 2, (hdcCL, ch 1, hdcCL, ch 1, hdcCL) in dc, ch 1, skip 2, scTL in 6 stitches, ch 1, skip 2, [sc, ldc] x4, sc in next, ch 1, skip 2* repeat from * to * around, join to first sc with sl st (136 sc, 24 hdcCL, 32 dc)

Round 26: sl st 1 to next sc, ch 2, *vst, skip 2, vst, ch 1, skip sc, sl st to middle hdcCL, picot, ch 1, skip sc, vst, skip 2, vst, skip 1, hdc in next, sc in 7, hdc in next, skip 1* repeat from * to * around, join to first dc with sl st (32 vst, 16 hdc, 56 sc)