Melody's Makings

Little Sweet Heart Hat Crochet Pattern



Materials:

- Yarn: Approximately 50 yards of red bulky (5) yarn for smaller sizes, and approx. 100 yards for larger sizes (I used Serenity from the Deborah Norville Collection) and a small piece of pink yarn or ribbon for the bow.
 - Crochet Hook: Size 9 mm (M/N)
 - 1 Heart Shaped Button
 - Yarn or Tapestry Needle

Abbreviations:

- SC: Single Crochet
- CH: Chain
- TW: Turn Work
- SC2tog: Single Crochet the next two sts together
- $ullet^{**}$: Repeat the section in between the two stars as specified

Gauge:

5 sts and 6 rows = 2 inches (5 centimeters) in single crochet
It is important to check your gauge!

Average Head Circumference:

Newborn: 13-14" 0-3 Months: 14-15" 3-6 Months: 14-17" 6-12 Months: 16-19" 1-3 Years: 18-20" **Note: You will be working in rounds from the bottom of the hat to the top of the hat where it turns into the heart. You will need to use a stitch marker to mark the beginning of each round**

Newborn Pattern

CH 26 sts

Place stitch marker and slip st the two ends of the chain together to make a circle (be careful not to twist it).

Round 1: CH1, SC around (27 total sts including the beginning chain)

Continue to SC in continuous rounds (do not chain at beginning of round – each round should have 27 sts) around each round until your project measures approx. 3.5" from the edge (total of 8 more rounds).

Decreases:

Round 1: *SC2tog, SC7* Repeat around (24 total sts)

Round 2: *SC2tog, SC6* Repeat around (21 total sts)

Round 3: *SC2tog, SC5* Repeat around (18 total sts)

Round 4: *SC2tog, SC4* Repeat around (15 total sts)

Round 5: *SC2tog, SC3* Repeat around (12 total sts)

You will now be working the heart in two separate sections

First Section (just continue on from your stitch marker)

Row 1: SC 6, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 2: SC across, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 3: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC2, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(8 total sts)

Row 4: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC4, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(10 total sts)

Row 5: SC across

Now you are going to work the top section one half at a time

Rows 6&7: SC5, CH1, TW (5 total sts)

Row 8: SC2tog, SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (3 total sts)

Row 9: SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (2 total sts)

Row 10: SC2tog, CH1, TW (1 total st)

Cut yarn and secure end. See picture 1. Go back and repeat rows 6-10 for the second half of top. You will need to reattach your yarn to the first un-worked stitch in the second section of the heart. Repeat rows 1-10 (including repeat of top section) for the other 6 sts (the second section) from the base of the heart. See picture 2.

0-3 Month Pattern

CH 32 sts

Place stitch marker and slip st the two ends of the chain together to make a circle (be careful not to twist it).

Round 1: CH1, SC around (33 total sts including the beginning chain)

Continue to SC in continuous rounds (do not chain at beginning of round – each round should have 33 sts) around each round until your project measures approx. 3.5" from the edge (total of 8 more rounds).

Decreases:

Round 1: *SC2tog, SC9* Repeat around (30 total sts)

Round 2: *SC2tog, SC8* Repeat around (27 total sts)

Round 3: *SC2tog, SC7* Repeat around (24 total sts)

Round 4: *SC2tog, SC6* Repeat around (21 total sts)

Round 5: *SC2tog, SC5* Repeat around (18 total sts)

Round 6: *SC2tog, SC4* Repeat around (15 total sts)

Round 7: *SC2tog, SC3* Repeat around (12 total sts)

You will now be working the heart in two separate sections

First Section (just continue on from your stitch marker)

Row 1: SC 6, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 2: SC across, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 3: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC2, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(8 total sts)

Row 4: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC4, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(10 total sts)

Row 5: SC across

Now you are going to work the top section one half at a time

Rows 6&7: SC5, CH1, TW (5 total sts)

Row 8: SC2tog, SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (3 total sts)

Row 9: SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (2 total sts)

Row 10: SC2tog, CH1, TW (1 total st)

Cut yarn and secure end. See picture 1. Go back and repeat rows 6-10 for the second half of top. You will need to reattach your yarn to the first un-worked stitch in the second section of the heart. Repeat rows 1-10 (including repeat of top section) for the other 6 sts (the second section) from the base of the heart. See picture 2.

3-6 Month Pattern

CH 35 sts

Place stitch marker and slip st the two ends of the chain together to make a circle (be careful not to twist it).

Round 1: CH1, SC around (36 total sts including the beginning chain)

Continue to SC in continuous rounds (do not chain at beginning of round – each round should have 36 sts) around each round until your project measures approx. 3.5" from the edge (total of 8 more rounds).

Decreases:

Round 1: *SC2tog, SC10* Repeat around (33 total sts)

Round 2: *SC2tog, SC9* Repeat around (30 total sts)

Round 3: *SC2tog, SC8* Repeat around (27 total sts)

Round 4: *SC2tog, SC7* Repeat around (24 total sts)

Round 5: *SC2tog, SC6* Repeat around (21 total sts)

Round 6: *SC2tog, SC5* Repeat around (18 total sts)

Round 7: *SC2tog, SC4* Repeat around (15 total sts)

Round 8: *SC2tog, SC3* Repeat around (12 total sts)

You will now be working the heart in two separate sections

First Section (just continue on from your stitch marker)

Row 1: SC 6, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 2: SC across, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 3: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC2, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(8 total sts)

Row 4: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC4, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(10 total sts)

Row 5: SC across

Now you are going to work the top section one half at a time

Rows 6&7: SC5, CH1, TW (5 total sts)

Row 8: SC2tog, SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (3 total sts)

Row 9: SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (2 total sts)

Row 10: SC2tog, CH1, TW (1 total st)

Cut yarn and secure end. See picture 1. Go back and repeat rows 6-10 for the second half of top. You will need to reattach your yarn to the first un-worked stitch in the second section of the heart. Repeat rows 1-10 (including repeat of top section) for the other 6 sts (the second section) from the base of the heart. See picture 2.

6-12 Month Pattern

CH 38 sts

Place stitch marker and slip st the two ends of the chain together to make a circle (be careful not to twist it).

Round 1: CH1, SC around (39 total sts including the beginning chain)

Continue to SC in continuous rounds (do not chain at beginning of round – each round should have 39 sts) around each round until your project measures approx. 5" from the edge (total of 14 more rounds).

Decreases:

Round 1: *SC2tog, SC11* Repeat around (36 total sts)

Round 2: *SC2tog, SC10* Repeat around (33 total sts)

Round 3: *SC2tog, SC9* Repeat around (30 total sts)

Round 4: *SC2tog, SC8* Repeat around (27 total sts)

Round 5: *SC2tog, SC7* Repeat around (24 total sts)

Round 6: *SC2tog, SC6* Repeat around (21 total sts)

Round 7: *SC2tog, SC5* Repeat around (18 total sts)

Round 8: *SC2tog, SC4* Repeat around (15 total sts)

Round 9: *SC2tog, SC3* Repeat around (12 total sts)

You will now be working the heart in two separate sections

First Section (just continue on from your stitch marker)

Row 1: SC 6, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 2: SC across, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 3: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC2, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(8 total sts)

Row 4: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC4, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(10 total sts)

Row 5: SC across

Now you are going to work the top section one half at a time

Rows 6&7: SC5, CH1, TW (5 total sts)

Row 8: SC2tog, SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (3 total sts)

Row 9: SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (2 total sts)

Row 10: SC2tog, CH1, TW (1 total st)

Cut yarn and secure end. See picture 1. Go back and repeat rows 6-10 for the second half of top. You will need to reattach your yarn to the first un-worked stitch in the second section of the heart. Repeat rows 1-10 (including repeat of top section) for the other 6 sts (the second section) from the base of the heart. See picture 2.

12 Month - 3 Year Pattern

CH 44 sts

Place stitch marker and slip st the two ends of the chain together to make a circle (be careful not to twist it).

Round 1: CH1, SC around (45 total sts including the beginning chain)

Continue to SC in continuous rounds (do not chain at beginning of round – each round should have 45 sts) around each round until your project measures approx. 3.5" from the edge (total of 8 more rounds).

Decreases:

Round 1: *SC2tog, SC13* Repeat around (42 total sts)

Round 2: *SC2tog, SC12* Repeat around (39 total sts)

Round 3: *SC2tog, SC11* Repeat around (36 total sts)

Round 4: *SC2tog, SC10* Repeat around (33 total sts)

Round 5: *SC2tog, SC9* Repeat around (30 total sts)

Round 6: *SC2tog, SC8* Repeat around (27 total sts)

Round 7: *SC2tog, SC7* Repeat around (24 total sts)

Round 8: *SC2tog, SC6* Repeat around (21 total sts)

Round 9: *SC2tog, SC5* Repeat around (18 total sts)

Round 10: *SC2tog, SC4* Repeat around (15 total sts)

Round 11: *SC2tog, SC3* Repeat around (12 total sts)

You will now be working the heart in two separate sections

First Section (just continue on from your stitch marker)

Row 1: SC 6, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 2: SC across, CH1, TW (6 total sts)

Row 3: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC2, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW (8 total sts)

Row 4: SC1, SC twice in next stitch, SC4, SC twice in next stitch, SC1, CH1, TW

(10 total sts)

Row 5: SC across

Now you are going to work the top section one half at a time

Rows 6&7: SC5, CH1, TW (5 total sts)

Row 8: SC2tog, SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (3 total sts)

Row 9: SC1, SC2tog, CH1, TW (2 total sts)

Row 10: SC2tog, CH1, TW (1 total st)

Cut yarn and secure end. See picture 1. Go back and repeat rows 6-10 for the second half of top. You will need to reattach your yarn to the first un-worked stitch in the second section of the heart. Repeat rows 1-10 (including repeat of top section) for the other 6 sts (the second section) from the base of the heart. See picture 2.



Picture 1 Picture 2

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