



crochet

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What you will need:

RED HEART® Super Saver®:

1 skein each 672 Spring Green A, 885 Delft B, 381 Light Blue C, 389 Hunter Green D, 365 Coffee E, 319 Cherry Red F, 313 Aran G, 320 Cornmeal H, 341 Light Grey I Note: Only small quantities of E, G, and H are needed for this project.

Susan Bates® Crochet Hooks: 4mm [US G-6] and 5mm [US H-8]

Yarn needle, 16" (40.5 cm) square pillow form, red crayon (to shade cheeks), small amount of fiberfill stuffing

GAUGE: 9 sts = 2½" (6.5 cm); 6 rows = 2½" (6.5 cm) in alternating rows of double crochet and single crochet with larger hook. CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

Buy Yarn



RED HEART® Super Saver®, Art. E300 available in solid color

7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); prints, multicolor and heather 5 oz (141 g), 236 yd (215 m), flecks 5 oz (141 g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins



Red Riding Hood Pillow

No matter what our age, the story of the girl meeting up with the big bad wolf never loses its appeal. Create this charming depiction of Red Riding Hood and the Wolf in crochet to love and enjoy. Back features grandma's house.

Pillow measures 16" x 16" (40.5 x 40.5 cm).

Special Stitches

sc2tog = [Insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up a loop] twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook.
sc3tog = [Insert hook in next stitch, yarn over and pull up a loop] 3 times, yarn over and draw through all 4 loops on hook.
loop st = Wrap yarn from front to back over the index finger of your yarn hand to a height of about 1½" (4 cm), insert hook in indicated stitch, hook the strand of yarn from behind your index finger and draw through the stitch; with the yarn loop still on your index finger, yarn over and draw through 2 loops on your hook.

Special Technique

Join with sc = Place a slip knot on hook, insert hook in indicated stitch, yarn over and draw up a loop, yarn over and draw through both loops on hook.

Notes

- 1. Pillow is made from 2 sides worked back and forth in rows with larger hook.
- 2. All other pieces are worked separately with smaller hook and sewn to sides of pillow. Fasten off all pieces with long tails for sewing.
- To change color, work last stitch of old color to last yarn over. Yarn over with new color and draw through all loops on hook to complete stitch. Proceed with new color. Cut old color.

PILLOW Sides (make 2)

Grass

With larger hook and **A**, ch 51.

Row 1 (right side): Dc in 4th ch from hook (beginning ch count as first dc) and in each ch across, turn—49 sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, (sc, 2 dc) in first st, *skip next 2 sts, (sc, 2 dc) in next st; repeat from * across to last 3 sts, skip next 2 sts, sc in top of beginning ch, turn—32 dc and 17 sc.

Row 3: Ch 3 (counts as first dc here and throughout), dc in each st across, turn—49 sts.

Rows 4–11: Repeat Rows 2 and 3 four times. **Row 12:** Repeat Row 2; change to **B**.

Sky

Row 13: Ch 3, working in back loops only, dc in each st across, turn.

Row 14: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 15: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn.

Rows 16–33: Repeat Rows 14 and 15 nine times.

Row 34: Repeat Row 14. Fasten off. **Last Round:** With right side facing, join **C** with sc in any st, sc evenly around working sc in end of each sc row, 2 sc in end of each dc row, and 3 sc in each corner; join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

Note: Work all remaining pieces with smaller hook. Fasten off with long tails for sewing.

TREE

Tree Top (make 3)

Beginning at top, with **D**, ch 2.

Row 1: Work 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, turn—3 sts.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in next sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn—5 sts.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next st, 2 sc in next sc, sc in last sc, turn—7 sts.

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Row 5: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each st to last 2 sts. 2 sc in next sc, sc in last sc. turn—9 sts.

Row 7: Ch 3, dc in each st across, turn.

Rows 8-11: Repeat Rows 6 and 7 twice— 13 sts.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 13: Ch 3. dc in each st across. turn.

Fasten off.

Trunk (make 3)

With E. ch 7.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and each ch across, turn—6 sc.

Rows 2-4: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Fasten off.

GIRL Hood

Beginning at neck edge, with **F**, ch 31.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—30 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, slip st in first 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, hdc in next 2 sc, 2 hdc in next sc. dc in next sc. 2 dc in next 2 sc. dc in next dc. 2 hdc in next sc. hdc in next 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. sc in next 3 sc. 2 sc in next sc, slip st in remaining 5 sc. Fasten off.

Face

With G. ch 6.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—5 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next st. 2 sc in next sc. sc in last sc. turn—7 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each st to last 2 sc. 2 sc in next sc. sc in last sc, turn—9 sc.

Rows 4–8: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. **Row 9:** Ch 1, sc in first sc, sc2tog, sc in next 3 sc, sc2tog, sc in last sc. Fasten off.

Dress

Beginning at neckline, with **C**, ch 8.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—7 sc.

Rows 2–5: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc across, turn— 14 sc.

Rows 7-14: Ch 1. sc in each sc across. turn. Fasten off.

Arm (make 2)

With G. ch 2.

Round 1: Work 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, do not join or turn—6 sc. Continue in rows.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first 2 sc; leave remaining sts unworked, turn—2 sc.

Rows 3-9: Ch 1, sc in each sc, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc2tog. Fasten off.

Cape (make 2)

With **F**. ch 7.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—6 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc across, turn— 12 sc.

Rows 3–8: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Fasten off.

Leg (make 2)

Fasten off.

Leaving a long tail for sewing, with **E**, ch 5. **Row 1:** Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 2 chs. 2 sc in last sc. turn—5 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in next 3 sc, turn— 4 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sc; change to **G**; leave remaining sc unworked, turn—3 sc. Rows 4-8: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Basket

With H. ch 8.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—7 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc across, turn—

Rows 3–5: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. **Row 6:** Ch 1, sc in first 2 sc, [sc2tog] 5 times, sc in last 2 sc, ch 10, slip st in first sc (handle made), turn.

Row 7: Slip st in each ch across, slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

WOLF

Head and Body

Beginning at top of head, with **I**, ch 2.

Row 1 (right side): Work 4 sc in 2nd ch from hook, turn—4 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first sc. 2 sc in next 2 sc. sc in last sc. turn—6 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 4 and 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc. 2 sc in next sc, sc in each st to last 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in last sc. turn—10 sc.

Rows 6 and 7: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. **Row 8:** Ch 6, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 4 chs. sc in each sc across, turn—15 sc.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in each remaining sc. turn—14 sc.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 11 and 12: Repeat Rows 9 and 10— 13 sc.

Row 13: Ch 1, sc in first 11 sc, sc2tog, turn—

Row 14: Repeat Row 10—11 sc.

Row 15: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in next 7 sc; leave remaining sc unworked, turn—8 sc.

Row 16: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in each st to last 2 sc, sc2tog, turn—6 sc.

Rows 17 and 18: Ch 1, sc in each sc across.

Rows 19-22: Repeat Rows 5 and 6 twice—10 sc.

Rows 23-26: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn. Rows 27–29: Repeat Row 16 three times—

4 sc. Fasten off.

Hind Leg (make 2)

Beginning at top of leg, with **I**, ch 7.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—6 sc.

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

Row 3: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in each remaining sc, turn—5 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first 3 sc; leave remaining sc unworked, turn—3 sc.

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

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first 2 sc, 2 sc in last sc, turn-4 sc.

Row 7: Ch 1, 2 sc in first sc, sc in remaining sc. turn—5 sc.

Row 8: Ch 1. sc in first 4 sc. 2 sc in last sc. turn-6 sc.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in first 4 sc, sc2tog, turn—

Row 11: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in each remaining sc. turn-4 sc. Fasten off.

Front Leg (make 2)

With I. ch 4.

Row 1 (right side): Work 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, 2 sc in last ch, turn-5 sc.

Rows 2 and 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc across. turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in next sc, sc2tog, turn—3 sc.

Rows 5-10: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc3tog. Fasten off.

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Ear (make 2)

With I. ch 4.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next ch, 5 hdc in next ch; working on opposite of foundation ch. hdc in first ch. sc in next 2 ch. Fasten off.

Tail

With I. ch 12.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—11 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 loop sts in each sc across, slip st in last sc. Fasten off.

GRANDMA'S HOUSE

Front

With **G**, ch 13.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—12 sc.

Rows 2-8: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 9-12: Ch 1, sc2tog, sc in each st to last 2 sc, sc2tog, turn—4 sc.

Row 13: Ch 1, [sc2tog] twice, turn—2 sc.

Row 14: Ch 1, sc2tog—1 sc. Fasten off.

Roof

Row 1: With right side of front facing, join **F** with sc in end of Row 8, 2 sc in same row; working in ends of rows of first side, sc in next 6 rows, 3 sc in st of Row 14; working in ends of rows of other side, sc in next 6 rows. 3 sc in next row. Fasten off.

Door

With C. ch 6.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining ch, turn—5 sc.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, sc in end of row; working in opposite side of foundation ch. sc in each ch. Fasten off.

Flowers (make 5 – 2 with C and 3 with H) Ch 4.

Row 1 (right side): Sc in 2nd ch from hook, skip next ch, slip st in last ch (first petal made), *ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook, skip next ch, slip st in last ch of first petal (petal made); repeat from * twice—4 petals. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Use photograph as a guide for embroidery stitches and placement of pieces. Position all pieces with right side facing unless otherwise instructed. For best results. place and sew pieces in the order listed. To minimize finishing, draw ends of all tails to wrong side.

Trees

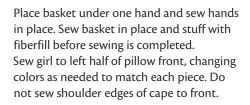
Turn trunks so that rows are vertical. Position trunks and tree tops evenly spaced along top edge of grass on pillow front and sew in place.

Girl

Position hood slightly over edge of face and sew in place with neck edges of hood meeting at chin. With **E**, embroider straight stitch bangs and satin stitch eyes. With F, embroider smiling mouth with back stitches. Color cheeks with a red crayon.

Sew lower edge of head to top edge of dress. Sew arms in place, leaving hands free until basket is sewn. Do not cut yarn tail from arms.

Wrap one cape piece around neck, keeping most of cape to front side of dress and draping over arm. Sew back of cape to wrong side of dress. Sew top edge to neckline and across ends of rows ¾" (2 cm) down front of dress. Repeat for other cape piece. Position top row of each leg under dress and sew in place.



Wolf

With **E**, embroider satin stitch nose and eyes. Embroider back stitch smile. Place ears at top of head, tucking left ear behind head. Sew in place.

With wrong side of one hind leg facing and right side of other leg facing, sew straight edge of hind legs to wrong side of body. Center front legs to front of body and sew. Sew first row of tail to wrong side of body above right hind leg.

Sew wolf to right half of pillow front leaving loops of tail and top of right ear unsewn.

Grandma's House

With **F**, embroider chain stitches along inner edge of roof to cover stitches worked in ends of rows. With **D**, embroider straight stitches for windows. Place door vertically and sew in place. With F, embroider a French knot door handle. Sew house with lower edge at top of grass.

Flowers Sew in place as shown. With A, embroider a French knot in center of each flower.

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Sides

Hold front and back sides with wrong sides together. With a long strand of ${\bf C}$, sew through inner loops around 3 sides, insert pillow form, and sew through remaining stitches to close pillow sides. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS

A, B, C = Color A, Color B, Color C, etc.; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **hdc** = half double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **()** = work directions in parentheses into same st; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; * = repeat whatever follows the * as indicated.

