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# 'MARGARET'S HUG' HEALING / PRAYER SHAWL

## Materials:

**Note:** This pattern is worked by holding two strands of yarn together.

600g of double knit yarn  
(8ply / yarn weight #3)

**Crochet hook:** 7mm (US size L)

**You will also need:** yarn needle

## Gauge:

3 tr/dc (measured at the top) = 2.5cm /  
1 inch / 1 row = 2.5 cm / 1 inch

Neck edge point to point = 70 inches / 1.8 m

These measurements are approximated, and actual subjects may vary. Pattern will work in other yarns though gauge/size will be different.

## Abbreviations:

**st(s)** = stitch(es)

**sl st** = slip stitch

**ch(s)** = chain

**dc/sc** = UK double crochet / US single  
crochet

**tr/dc** = UK treble / US double crochet

## Stitch Guidance:

**Slip Stitch (sl st):** Insert hook in st indicated, yarn over and draw through all loops.

**Double Crochet/Single Crochet (dc/sc):** Insert hook in st indicated and draw up a loop (two loops on hook), yarn over, draw through both loops on hook.

**Treble / Double Crochet (tr/dc):** Yarn over, insert hook in next st and draw up a loop (three loops on hook), yarn over, draw through two loops, yarn over, draw through remaining two loops on hook.

**Picot Stitch:** Ch 2, 1 dc/sc in 2nd ch from hook (at the base of ch 2).

## Pattern:

### Notes:

- This pattern is worked from the neck downwards and is worked in alternate rows of clusters (3 tr/dc) and V stitch (1 tr/dc, ch1, 1 tr/dc) with a shell cluster to start each row (4 tr/dc)
- The chain 3 between clusters / V-stitches on the point of the shawl counts as sts in this pattern.
- Stitches are worked in-between shell clusters/V-stitches/clusters and not in the ch spaces of the V-stitch row (see photo below)



**Row 1:** Ch 4 (counts as first tr/dc now and throughout the pattern) 3 tr/dc in 4th ch from hook, ch 3, 4 tr/dc in same ch, turn (11 sts)

**Row 2:** Ch 3, 3 tr/dc in same st as ch 3, then in next ch 3 sp work [1 tr/dc, ch 1, 1 tr/dc, ch 3, 1 tr/dc, ch 1, 1 tr/dc] miss 3 sts and in last ch work 4 tr/dc, turn (17 sts)

**Row 3:** Ch 3, 3 tr/dc in same st as ch 3 then \* 3 tr/dc in the next sp between sts of the previous row \* repeat from \* to \* to corner where in the ch sp you need to work [3 tr/dc, 3 ch, 3 tr/dc]. Repeat \* to \* again to final the st; work 4 tr/dc into final st, turn (23 sts)

**Row 4:** Ch 3, 3 tr/dc in same st as ch 3 then \* [1 tr/dc, 1 ch, 1 tr/dc] in the next sp between sts of the previous row \* repeat from \* to \* to corner where in the ch sp you need to work [1 tr/dc, 1 ch, 1 tr/dc, ch, 3, 1 tr/dc, 1 ch, 1 tr/dc]. Repeat \* to \* again to final the st; work 4 tr/dc into final st, turn (29 sts)

**Rows 5 - 40: Note:** Each row increases by 6 sts Repeat alternate rows of rows 3 and 4, turn, on the last row do not fasten off but start the edging (245 sts)



### Edging:

Work along each edge of your shawl EXCEPT the neck edge in picot st.

**Row 1:** \* Ch 2, 1 dc/sc in 2nd ch from hook (at the base of ch 2), dc/sc into next 2 sts \* repeat from \* to \* until end, finish off and weave in ends.

### Chart (Rows 1-7):

