

Argyle Afghan

LW1468

Intermediate 

Designed by Belinda "Bendy" Carter.

Afghan measures approximately 42" x 61".

RED HEART® "Light & Lofty"™, Art.E708 (6 ounce/140 yard solid; 4.5 ounce/105 yard multi skeins): 36 Ounces No. 9646 Colorado Multi **CA**, 6 ounces No. 9380 Antique Blue **CB**, 5 ounces No. 9316 Puff **CC**.

Crochet Hook: 10mm [US N-15].
10 Yarn bobbins, yarn needle.

GAUGE: 13 sts = 4"; 12 rows = 8" in pat. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.**

NOTES: Wind 5 bobbins with **CB** and 5 bobbins with **CC**, approximately 100" of yarn per bobbin. A new bobbin will be used in each "X" section of the design. Carry yarn not in use across wrong side of work and work over it with color in use until instructed to drop.

TO CHANGE COLOR: Work the last stitch before a color change until 2 lps remain on hook, drop color in use, with next color to be used, yo and draw through 2 lps.

AFGHAN: With **CA**, ch 66.

Row 1 (Right Side): With **CA**, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across; turn – 65 sc.

Rows 2 and 4: With **CA**, ch 1, sc in each sc across; turn.

Row 3: With **CA** ch 1, 2 sc, with **CB** from skein 1 sc, [with **CA** 11 sc, with **CB** 1 sc] 5 times, with **CA** 2 sc; turn. Cut **CB**.

Row 5: With **CA** ch 1, 4 sc, * with new **CB** bobbin 1 sc, with **CA** 7 sc, with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 2 sc, with new **CC** bobbin 1 sc, with **CA** 7 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CC**, with **CA** 2 sc; rep from * to last 3 sc, end at **; with **CA** 3 sc; turn.

Row 6: With **CA** ch 1, 4 sc, * 7 sc working over dropped **CB** strand, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 5 sc, 7 sc working over dropped **CC** strand, drop **CC**, with **CA** 5 sc; rep from * to last 6 sc, end at **; 6 sc; turn.

Rows 7 and 11: With **CA** ch 1, 6 sc, * with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 3 sc, with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 6 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 3 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CC**, with **CA** 6 sc; rep from * to last 5 sc, end at **; with **CA** 5 sc; turn.

Row 8: With **CA** ch 1, 6 sc, * 3 sc working over dropped **CB** strand, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 9 sc, 3 sc working over dropped **CC** strand, drop **CC**, with **CA** 9 sc; rep from * to last 8 sc, end at **; with **CA** 8 sc; turn.

Row 9: With **CA** ch 1, 8 sc, * with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 10 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CC**, with **CA** 10 sc; rep from * to last 7 sc, end at **; with **CA** 7 sc; turn.

Row 10: With **CA** ch 1, 8 sc, * 3 sc working over dropped **CB** strand, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 9 sc, 3 sc working over dropped **CC** strand, drop **CC**, with **CA** 9 sc; rep from * to last 6 sc, end at **; with **CA** 6 sc; turn.

Row 12: With **CA** ch 1, 6 sc, * 7 sc working over dropped **CB** strand, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 5 sc, 7 sc working over dropped **CC** strand, drop **CC**, with **CA** 5 sc; rep from * to last 4 sc, end at **; with **CA** 4 sc; turn.

Row 13: With **CA** ch 1, 4 sc, * with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 7 sc, with **CB** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CB** **, with **CA** 2 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 7 sc, with **CC** 1 sc, with **CA** 1 sc, drop **CC**, with **CA** 2 sc; rep from * to last 3 sc, end at **; with **CA** 3 sc; turn. Cut **CB** and **CC**.

Rows 14-16: Rep Rows 2-4.

Rows 17-25: Rep Rows 5-13 EXCEPT change **CB** to **CC** and change **CC** to **CB**.

Rows 26-88: Rep Rows 2-25 twice, then rep Rows 2-16.

Row 89: Rep Row 2. Fasten off.

BORDER-Rnd 1: With right side facing, attach **CC** in corner, ch 1, sc evenly around afghan working 3 sc in each corner; join with a sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: Attach **CB** in corner; ch 1, sc in each sc around working 3 sc in each corner; join. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS: beg = beginning; ch = chain; lp(s) = loop (s); mm = millimeters; pat = pattern; rep = repeat; rnd = round; sc = single crochet; sl st = slip stitch; sp(s) = space (s); st(s) = stitch (es); * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated; [] = work directions in brackets the number of times specified.

