

Christmas Tree Ornament

Materials:

Sport weight yarn

Size D hook

MC: Main color

CC: Contrasting color

Beads or small bits of yarn to decorate your tree

Ribbon to hang the tree from

Crafting needle

Sewing needle and a small amount of thread

Small amount of stuffing (optional)

Abbreviations:

Dec: Decrease by working a sc2tog

BLO: Work in back loop only

FLO: Work in front loop only

FSC: Foundation single crochet

Sl st: Slip stitch



Pattern Notes:

When working row 1, be sure to use the back bar of the chain to work your stitches. Here is a YouTube video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uhJxRp-GwyY>

I've tried to explain the best I can how to work this ornament. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to send me an email. I am more than happy to help out! You can reach me at storerboughtcreations@gmail.com

In MC, Ch 19:

1. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next 17 ch (18)
2. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 14, dec. (16)
3. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across. (16)
4. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 12, dec. (14)
5. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across. (14)
6. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 10, dec. (12)
7. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (12)
8. Ch 3, turn. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and next ch, sc in BLO of next 12 sc, work 2 FSC (16)
9. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (16)
10. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 12, dec (14)
11. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (14)
12. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 10, dec (12)
13. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (12)
14. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 8, dec (10)
15. Ch 3, turn. Sc in 2nd ch from hook and next ch, sc in FLO of next 10, work 2 FSC (14)
16. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (14)

17. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 10, dec. (12)
18. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (12)
19. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 8, dec (10)
20. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (10)
21. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 6, dec (8)
22. Ch 1, turn. Sc in each across (8)
23. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 4, dec (6)
24. Ch 1, turn. Dec, sc in next 2, dec (4)
25. Ch 1, turn. Dec, dec. (2) Do not finish off.
26. Ch 1, turn. Sc around the entire tree in the end of each row, working 1 sc in each stitch on a straight stretch, and working 3 sc in each corner to turn the work so it won't bunch up/pucker. When working along the foundation chain, be sure to only work the border in the back loop only. You will use the front loop for the frill. Finish off.

You will need to make a second tree. If you want to decorate both sides, work rows 8 and 15 the same as you worked the first tree. If you want to leave the back undecorated, you don't need to work in the FLO or BLO as you won't be adding the frill. If leaving undecorated, just work through both loops as normal on those two rows.

Frill:

1. With right side facing (you will see the raised loops from rows 8 and 15 where you worked in the FLO and BLO on those rounds), and with top of tree facing you, insert your hook through the first loop of row 8 as pictured. Join contrasting color with a sl st.
2. Work 1 sc in first loop (where you joined with sl st). Skip next loop, 5 dc in next loop (one shell worked). Repeat to end. Sc in last loop. (3 scallops)
3. Attach CC with sl st to bottom right of your foundation row and work the same as row two. (4 scallops)
4. Finally, attach CC to the final row of loops left from row 15. Repeat row 2. (2 scallops)



Once finished with the scallops, decorate your tree however you'd like. I used glass beads, but you could use any assortment of beads in any size you'd like, or you can use small bits of yarn to make baubles.



Once you've finished decorating your tree, take a piece of ribbon approximately 7.5 inches long. Fold in half and stitch to the back piece of the tree. This will be hidden on the inside when you sew the front and back together. Be sure you have it hidden on the inside, and sew the front and back together. Then hang on your tree, use as a gift wrapping bauble, or hang anywhere your heart desires!