



Dainty Cross Bookmark

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Materials:

- Sm amt 100% cotton thread, size 10 (white & lavender)
- Steel crochet hook, size 8 USA (1.50 mm)

Finishing Materials:

- ½-yd (1/2" W) satin ribbon
- Glue

Finished Size: 5 ½" (cross only)
Gauge: Not important to over all size

Skill Level: Beginner - Easy

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Shaft: (Using white)

Row 1) Ch 12; dc in 5th ch from hook (first 4 chs skipped count as first dc), ch 5, sk next 5 ch, dc in last 2 ch: 4 dc/1 ch 5-sp.

Rows 2-17) Ch 3, turn work (counts as first dc); dc in next dc, ch 5, dc in last 2 dc: 4 dc/1 ch 5-sp. Fasten off; secure ends.

Crossbars (Using white)

Row 1) Join thread to dc post on row 11 with a sl st (working toward the top), ch 3, dc over same post, ch 5, sk next row, (2 dc) over dc post in next row (row 13): 4 dc/1 ch 5-sp.

Rows 2-4) Ch 3, turn work; dc in next dc, ch 5, dc in last 2 dc: 4 dc/1 ch 5-sp. Fasten off; secure ends.

Opposite Crossbar: (Using white)

Row 1) Join thread to dc post on row 13 with a sl st (working toward the bottom), ch 3, dc over same post, ch 5, sk next row, (2 dc) over dc post in next row (row 11): 4 dc/1 ch 5-sp.

Rows 2-4) Rep rows 2-4 for crossbar.

Edging: (Using lavender)

Rnd 1) Join thread to dc post on row 1 of bookmark with a sl st, working up the side of the bookmark; ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) over same post, [(sc, ch 3, sc)

over next dc post] 9 times, working over the crossbar, [(sc, ch 3, sc) over next dc post] 4 times; * sc in next dc, ch 3, sc in next dc, (sc, ch 3) twice in next ch 5 sp, sc in same sp, sc in next dc, ch 3, sc in next dc, [(sc, ch 3, sc) over next dc post] 8 times; rep from * twice, [(sc, ch 3, sc) over next dc post] 6 times, sc in first ch of foundation ch, ch 3, sc in next ch, (sc, ch 3) twice in next sp, sc in same sp, sc in next ch (opposite dc), ch 3, sc in last ch; join with a sl st in first sc: 60 ch 3-sps.

Rnd 2) Sl st in next sp; ch 1, (sc, ch 3, sc) in same sp; [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 8 times, (sc in next ch 3 sp) twice, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 10 times, (sc in next ch 3 sp) twice, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 5 times, ch 30, sl st in 10th ch from hook (loop for tassel), ch 20, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 4 times, (sc in next ch 3 sp) twice, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 10 times, (sc in next ch 3 sp) twice, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch 3 sp] 13 times; join with a sl st in first sc.: 52 ch 3-sps. Fasten off; secure ends.

Finishing:

Cut several strands of lavender thread, approx. 6" long. Group strands together and fold in half. Using hook, insert through loop created on bookmark from the back, and grab the folded portion of the tassel and pull partially through the loop. Pull the loose ends of the tassel through the fold and cinch down to tighten. Trim

ends. Weave ribbon through the shaft, gluing the ends to the back. Weave excess ribbon through the crossbars and glue the ends to the back.

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