



Creative Grandma

Stitch of the Week # 42

Slanted Cross-Stitch

Skill Level: Intermediate

Stitch Multiple: Multiple of 3 plus 2.

To make a sample swatch ch 17.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook, * ch 2, skip next 2 ch, sc in next ch *, rep from * to * across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), dc in next ch-2 sp, * skip next sc, 2 dc in next ch-2 sp, fptr in previously skipped sc *, rep from * to * across to last sc, dc in last sc, turn.

Row 3: Ch 2, skip first st, sc in next st, ch 3, skip next st, sc in next st, * ch 3, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st *, rep from * to * across to last 2 sts, ch 3, skip next st, sc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

Row 4: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), dc in next ch-3 sp, * skip next sc, 2 dc in next ch-3 sp, fptr in previously skipped sc *, rep from * to * across to last 2 sts, skip next sc, dc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first st, * ch 3, skip next 2 sts, sc in next st*, rep from * to * across to last 2 sts, ch 3, skip next st, sc in top of ending turning ch, turn.

Row 6: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), dc in next ch-3 sp, * skip next sc, 2 dc in next ch-3 sp, fptr in previously skipped sc *, rep from * to * across to last sc, dc in last sc, turn.

Rep Rows 3-6 for pattern.

Special Stitches:

Front Post Treble (fptr): yo twice, insert hook from front to back then from back to front around stitch indicated, yo, pull underneath and around post of st, [yo, pull through 2 lps on hook] 3 times.