# Sacred Space Part 5

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### UK terms used throughout

#### **Abbreviations**

St, sts	Stitch, stitches	Dc	Double crochet	ВІ	Back Loop
R	Round	Htr	Half treble crochet	Fl	Front Loop
Ch	Chain	Tr	Treble crochet	Вр	Back Post
SI-st	Slip stitch	Dtr	Double treble crochet	Fp	Front Post

[] Hints: Are typed in italics and coloured purple, they are to help and guide you and hopefully make life a little easier, especially for beginners.

Reference to photos is [P] with the relevant photo number

- \* \* Repeat instructions between asterisks the amount of times specified.

  This is normally a repeat for a complete side and will consist of multiple instructions.
- () Repeat instructions between parentheses the amount of times specified.
- () This is a lower level repeat.

There are many special stitches used in this pattern, please go to my <u>YouTube Channel</u> <u>Special Stitches</u> for video tutorials.

#### Special Stitches

**Tr2 tog:** Yo, place hook in stitch to be worked, yo and pull up a loop, 3 loops on hook, yo and pull through 2 loops, 2 loops on hook.

Repeat in next st, 3 loops on hook. Yo and pull through all 3 loops.

Cluster Shell: in same st (2dtr cluster, ch 1, tr, ch 1, 2dtr cluster).

Beginning 2dtr cluster: Chain 3.

Yo twice, insert hook in same st/sp, yo and pull up a loop, yo and pull through 2 loops 3 times.

**Slanting Cluster**: Fpdc around post of indicated stitch, ch 3, **fp3dtr cluster**: Yo twice, place hook around post of same st, yo and pull up a loop, 4 loops on hook, yo and pull through 2 loops twice, 2 loops on hook.

Repeat twice more around same st, 4 loops on hook. Yo and pull through all 4 loops, working from top to bottom.

**Popcorn**: Make 5 tr in same st, remove hook from loop and insert from front to back of 1st tr and then into dropped loop and pull through. Ch 1 to close. This closing chain is not counted in any chains you are asked to make after the popcorn.

To make a **beginning popcorn**, simply start with a standing tr or ch 3 as your 1st st.

67. Join with a standing tr in  $1^{st}$  bphtr of any repeat, tr in next 2 sts, [P1] (tr2tog over next 2 sts, tr in next 3 sts, tr2tog over next 2 sts, tr in next 8 sts) [P2] 43 times, omit last 3 tr.

Join to standing tr with a sl-st.

Stitch count: per repeat: 11 tr, 2 tr2tog.





68. Ch 3 [*counts as tr*], tr in same st [P1], tr in next 558 sts. [P2] Join to top of ch-3, fasten off, and secure ends. Stitch count: 560 tr.



69. Join with a standing tr in any st, tr in next st, [P1] (ch 2, skip next 2 sts, tr in next 2 sts) 139 times, ch 2, skip next 2 sts. [P2] Join to standing tr, fasten off, and secure ends after R71. Stitch count: 280 tr, 140 ch-2 spaces.



Hint: Slanting clusters are made around the post of 2<sup>nd</sup> st of each pair. Rotate your work 90' for easier completion of the slanting clusters.

70. Join with a standing **fpdc** around  $2^{nd}$  tr of any repeat, (ch 3, **fp3dtr cluster** around post of same st) [ $1^{st}$  slanting cluster made], [P1]

(skip next ch-2 space and next tr, **fpdc** around next st, ch 3, **fp3dtr cluster** around same st) [P2] 139 times.

Join to standing fpdc, fasten off, and pull ends through to back of work, secure after R71.

Stitch count: 140 fpdc, 140 slanting clusters.

Hint: your work will cup.



Hint: for the next 2 rounds each repeat is made over 7 slanting clusters, use stitch markers to help you with repeat counts.

71. Join with a standing htr, working over R70 and between  $1^{st}$  tr R69 and slanting cluster, [P1]

((3 htr working over ch-3 and into ch-2 space R69, htr between tr R69 and slanting cluster) twice,

4 htr working over ch-3 and into ch-2 space R69,

(htr between tr R69 and slanting cluster, 3 htr working over ch-3 and into ch-2 space R69) 3 times,

htr between tr R69 and slanting cluster,

4 htr working over ch-3 and into ch-2 space R69,

htr between tr R69 and slanting cluster) [P2] 20 times, omit last htr.

Join to standing htr, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: per repeat: 30 htr.



## Hint: use markers in 2<sup>nd</sup> tr of each increase to help keep track of stitch count for next 2 rounds.

72. Join with a standing tr in any htr made between clusters, tr in same st, [P1] (tr in next 29 sts, 2 tr in next st) [P2] 20 times, omit last 2 tr. Join to standing tr with a sl-st.



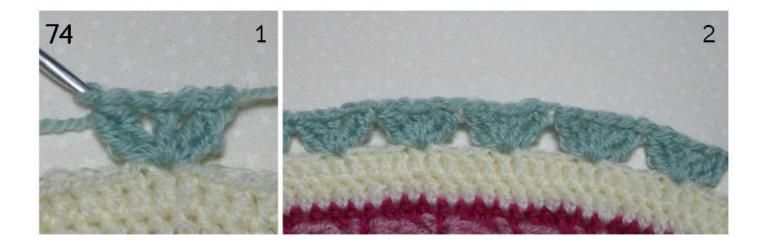
73. Ch 3 [counts as tr], tr in next 13 sts, [P1] (2 tr in next st, tr in next 30 sts) [P2] 20 times, omit last 14 tr. Join to top of ch-3, fasten off, and secure ends. Stitch count: per repeat: 32 tr.



74. Join with a beginning 2dtr cluster in any st, (ch 1, tr, ch 1, 2dtr cluster) in same st [cluster shell made], [P1]

(skip next 4 sts, cluster shell in next st) [P2] 127 times, skip next 4 sts. Join to beginning 2dtr cluster, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: 128 cluster shells.



Hint: closing ch-1 of popcorns is not counted in any other chains you are asked to make after the popcorn.

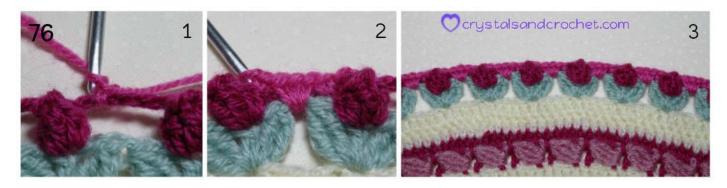
75. Join with a beginning popcorn in tr of any cluster shell, [P1] (ch 4, popcorn in tr of next cluster shell) [P2] 127 times, ch 4. Join to beginning popcorn, fasten off, and secure ends. Stitch count: 128 popcorns, 128 ch-4 spaces.



76. Join with a standing dc in ch-4 space before any popcorn, [P1] (ch 1, skip next popcorn, dc in ch-4 space, working over ch-4 3 dc between cluster shells R74, dc in ch-4 space) [P2,3] 128 times, omit last dc.

Join to standing dc with a sl-st.

Stitch count: 640 dc, 128 ch-1 spaces.



77. Sl-st into next ch-1 space, ch 3 [counts as tr], 4 tr in same ch-1 space, [P1] (skip next 2 sts, dc in next st, skip next 2 sts, 5 tr in next ch-1 space) [P2] 127 times, skip next 2 sts, dc in next st, skip next 2 sts.

Join to top of ch-3, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: 128 dc. 640 tr.



#### End part 5

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