

Sacred Space Part 8

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US terms used throughout

Abbreviations

St, sts	Stitch, stitches	Sc	Single crochet	Bl	Back Loop
R	Round	Hdc	Half double crochet	Fl	Front Loop
Ch	Chain	Dc	Double crochet	Bp	Back Post
Sl-st	Slip stitch	Tr	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.

*** *** 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 [YouTube Channel](#) [Special Stitches](#) for video tutorials.

Special Stitches

V stitch: (dc, ch 1, dc) in same st/sp.

Dc-fptrtog: yo, insert hook in indicated st, yo and pull up a loop, yo and through 2 loops, *2 loops on hook*, yo twice, insert hook around post of same st, yo pull up a loop, *5 loops on hook*, yo and through 2 loops twice, yo and pull through all 3 loops.

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

Repeat twice more in same st, 4 loops on hook. Yo and pull through all 4 loops.

Long Sc or Spike Stitch: Insert hook into stitch or space one or more rounds below next st **as instructed**, yo and pull up a loop to level of current round, yo and pull through both loops on hook.

101. Join with a standing sc in 4th dc of any corner shell, (ch 1, sc) in same st, [*place marker in ch-1 space*]

*ch 2, (V-st in next sc, ch 1, sc in 4th st of next shell, ch 1) 34 times, V-st in next sc, ch 2, in 4th dc of corner shell (sc, ch 1, sc). *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last corner group.

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

Stitch count: per side: 36 sc, 35 V-sts, 68 ch-1 spaces, 2 ch-2 spaces, 1 ch-1 corner space.

102. Join with a standing sc in 1st sc of any corner group,

* in ch-1 corner space (dc, (ch 1, dc) 4 times), sc in 1st/hidden sc, (in next V-st (dc, (ch 1, dc) 4 times), long sc over next sc) 34 times, in next V-st (dc, (ch 1, dc) 4 times), sc in next sc. *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last sc.

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

Stitch count: per side: 2 sc, 34 long sc, 35 shells of 5 dc and 4 ch-1 spaces each, 1 corner shell of 5 dc and 4 ch-1 spaces.

103. Join with a standing sc in 3rd dc of any corner shell, (ch 1, sc) in same st, [*place marker in ch-1 space*]

*ch 2, (V-st in next sc, ch 1, sc in 3rd st of next shell, ch 1) 35 times,

V-st in next sc, ch 2, in 3rd dc of corner shell (sc, ch 1, sc). *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last corner group.

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

Stitch count: per side: 37 sc, 36 V-sts, 70 ch-1 spaces, 2 ch-2 spaces, 1 ch-1 corner space.

104. Join with a standing sc in 1st sc of any corner group,

*ch 1, in ch-1 corner space (dc, ch 1) 3 times, sc in 1st/hidden sc,

(ch 1, in next V-st (dc, ch 1) 3 times, long sc over next sc) 35 times,

ch 1, in next V-st (dc, ch 1) 3 times, sc in next sc. *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last sc.

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

Stitch count: per side: 2 sc, 35 long sc, 36 shells of 3 dc and 4 ch-1 spaces each, 1 corner shell of 3 dc and 4 ch-1 spaces.

105. Join with a standing sc in 2nd dc of any corner shell, (ch 2, sc) in same st,

*(ch 2, 3dc cluster in next sc, ch 2, sc in 2nd dc of next shell) 36 times, ch 2, 3dc cluster in next sc, ch 2, in 2nd dc of corner shell (sc, ch 2, sc). *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last corner group.

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

Stitch count: per side: 38 sc, 37 3dc clusters, 74 ch-2 spaces, 1 ch-2 corner space.

106. Join with a standing dc in last sc before any ch-2 corner space,

*in ch-2 corner space (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc), (dc in next sc, 2 dc in next ch-2 space, **fpdc** around next cluster, 2 dc in next ch-2 space) 37 times, dc in next sc. *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last dc.

Join to standing dc with a sl-st.

Stitch count: per side: 190 dc, 37 fpdc, 1 ch-2 corner space.

107. Ch 2 and **fptr** around same st [*beginning dc-fptrtog*], **dc-fptrtog** in next 2 sts,

*in ch-2 corner space (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc), **dc-fptrtog** in next 6 sts,

(ch 1, skip next st, dc in next st) 107 times, ch 1, skip next st, **dc-fptrtog** in next 6 sts. *

Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last 3 dc-fptrtog.

Join to 1st dc-fptrtog, fasten off, and secure ends.

Stitch count: per side: 111 dc, 12 dc-fptrtog, 108 ch-1 spaces, 1 ch-2 corner space.

108. Join with a standing dc in any ch-2 corner space, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same space, *dc-fptrtog in next 8 sts, (dc in next ch-1 space, bptr around next st) 107 times, dc in next ch-1 space, dc-fptrtog in next 8 sts, in ch-2 corner space (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc). * Repeat from * to * 4 times, omit last corner group.
Join to standing dc, fasten off, and secure ends.
Stitch count: per side: 112 dc, 107 bptr, 16 dc-fptrtog, 1 ch-2 corner space.

End part 8

Do not block your work at this point.

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