



## Colors of America Throw

*Crochet this throw as a symbol of your patriotism. It can be sent to someone serving our country here or abroad, or be given to their family members.*

Designed by Martha Brooks Stein.

Throw is 44" x 58".

**RED HEART® "Super Saver®":** 2 skeins each of 376 Burgundy **A**, 385 Royal **B** and 311 White **C**.

**Crochet Hook:** 5.5 mm [US I-9]  
Yarn Needle

**GAUGE:** Motif = 6¾" square. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE.**  
Use any size hook to obtain the gauge.

**NOTE:** Following Color Sequence Chart for color placement, make 8 each Motifs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

### THROW

#### Motif

With round 1 color, ch 3 and join with a slip st in first ch to form a ring.

**Round 1 (right side):** Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 2), [dc, ch 2] 7 times in ring; join with slip st in 2nd ch of beginning ch-4—8 ch-2 spaces. Fasten off.

**Round 2:** With right side facing, join **C** with a slip st in any ch-2 space, ch 2, dc in same space, \*ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-2 space, ch 1, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next ch-2 space; repeat from \* twice, ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-2 space, ch 1, 2 dc in beginning corner space, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

**Round 3:** With right side facing, join next color in sequence with a slip st in ch-2 corner space opposite last joining, ch 2, dc in same space, \*[ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 space] twice, ch 1\*\*, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next corner space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, 2 dc in beginning ch-2 corner space, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

**Round 4:** With right side facing, join **C** with a slip st in any ch-2 space, ch 2, dc in same space, ch 1, \*[2 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1] across to next corner ch-2 space\*\*, (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in next corner space, ch 1; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, 2 dc in beginning ch-2 corner space, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

**Round 5:** With right side facing, join next color in sequence in any ch-2 corner space, repeat round 4.

**Round 6:** With right side facing, join **C** in any ch-2 corner space opposite last joining, ch 2, dc in same space, ch 1, \*[2 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1] across to next corner ch-2 space\*\*, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next corner space, ch 1; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, 2 dc in beginning ch-2 corner space, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off leaving an 18" sewing length.

### ASSEMBLY

Weave in ends. With yarn needle and **C**, sew motifs together following assembly diagram for placement.

### Border

**Round 1:** With right side facing, join **B** with a slip st in any ch-2 corner space, ch 2, dc in same space, \*ch 1, [2 dc in



COLORS OF AMERICA THROW | CROCHET

next ch-1 space, ch 1] across to next corner\*\*, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in ch-2 corner space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, 2 dc in beginning corner space, dc in top of beginning ch-2 instead of last ch-2 space.

**Round 2:** Ch 2, dc in beginning space, \*ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1] across to next corner\*\*, (2 dc, ch 3, 2 dc) in ch-2 corner space; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, 2 dc in beginning corner space, ch 2; join with a slip st in top of beginning ch-2. Fasten off.

**Round 3:** With right side facing, join **C** with a slip st in any ch-2 corner space, ch 1, sc in same space, \*[sc in next ch-1 space, ch 2] across to next corner\*\*, (sc, ch 3, sc) in next ch-2 corner space, ch 2; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, sc in beginning ch-3 space, ch 2; join with a slip st in beginning sc. Fasten off.

**Round 4:** With right side facing, join **A** with a slip st in any ch-3 corner space, ch 1, sc in same space, \*[sc in next ch-2 space, ch 3] across to next corner\*\*, (sc, ch 4, sc) in ch-3 corner space, ch 3; repeat from \* around, ending last repeat at \*\*, sc in beginning corner space, ch 3; join with a slip st in beginning sc. Fasten off.

**FINISHING**

Weave in ends.



**RED HEART® “Super Saver®” Art. E300** available in solid color 7 oz (198 g), 364 yd (333 m); multicolor, heather and print 5 oz (141 g), 244 yd (223 m), flecks 5 oz (141g), 260 yds (238 m) skeins.

**ABBREVIATIONS:** **A, B, C** = color A, B, C; **ch** = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **mm** = millimeters; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch(es); **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; \* or \*\* = repeat whatever follows the \* or \*\* as indicated.

COLOR SEQUENCE CHART

MOTIF	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Round 4	Round 5	Round 6
1	A	C	B	C	B	C
2	B	C	A	C	A	C
3	A	C	A	C	B	C
4	B	C	B	C	A	C
5	B	C	A	C	B	C
6	A	C	B	C	A	C

1	2	3	4	5	6
6	1	2	3	4	5
5	6	1	2	3	4
4	5	6	1	2	3
3	4	5	6	1	2
2	3	4	5	6	1
1	2	3	4	5	6
6	1	2	3	4	5

ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM