Crochet Rose Appliqué

Add a bit of handmade floral beauty to a fashion accessory or home décor item. This sweet rose can even replace the usual bow on a gift. Chic Sheep yarn offers the perfect, happy color possibilities for crocheting your flowers!

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Designed by Marly Bird

What you will need:

Red Heart® Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™: 1 ball
5907 Sangria

Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 5.5 mm [US I-9]

Pin or barrette backing (optional)

Yarn needle

NOTE
Gauge is not essential for this item.

BUY YARN

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RED HEART® Chic Sheep by Marly Bird™, Art. R170 100% Merino Wool available 3.5 oz (100 g), 186 yd (170 m) balls

Rose measures approximately 2″ (5 cm) across.

SPECIAL STITCHES
V-st (V stitch) = (Dc, ch 2, dc) in indicated st or space.

ROSE
Ch 18.
Row 1: Skip 5 ch, V-st in 6th ch from hook, * skip 2 foundation ch, ch 2, V-st in next ch; repeat from * to end, turn – 5 V-sts.
Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as first dc), 5 dc in first V-st, [sc in next ch-2 space, 6 dc in next V-st] twice, [sc in next ch-2 space, 9 dc in next V-st] twice, sc in last space. Fasten off leaving a 10″ (25.5 cm) tail.

FINISHING
Using yarn needle and tail, with right side facing, and beginning with largest petal, roll your petals inward, sewing foundation edge as you go.
Use yarn tails to sew on to a pin or barrette backing, or directly onto a garment or accessory.

ABBREVIATIONS
ch = chain; **dc** = double crochet; **sc** = single crochet; **st(s)** = stitch (es); **[ ]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified; *** or **** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.