



Pack-a-ghan

This afghan is created with easy-to-knit rectangles that are crocheted together. It's a superb idea for taking to sports events or for keeping in the car for picnics. When folded, it's easy to carry and a comfy seat.

Designed by Grace Alexander.

Throw measures: 38" x 52".

Folded measurement: 13½" x 17½" x 3".

RED HEART® Super Saver® 3 skeins each 387 Soft Navy **A** and 320 Cornmeal **B**.

Knitting Needles: 5mm [8 US].

Crochet Hook: 4.5mm [F].

Yarn needle, 2 size 10 snaps.

GAUGE: 16 sts = 4"; 25 rows = 4" over pattern st. **CHECK YOUR GAUGE. Use any size needle to obtain the gauge.**

NOTE

Pack-a-ghan is made up of 9 individual rectangles: 5 of Rectangle **A**, and 4 of Rectangle **B**.

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Rectangle A (Make 5)

With **A** cast on 68 sts.

Knit 2 rows.

Change to **B**, work 2 rows St st.

Repeat last 4 rows until piece measures approx 13", ending with 2nd row of **A**. Bind off with **A**.

Rectangle B (Make 4)

With **B** cast on 54 sts.

Knit 2 rows.

Change to **A**, work 2 rows St st.

Repeat last 4 rows until piece measures approx 17", ending with 2nd row of **B**. Bind off with **B**.

Sew rectangles as shown in diagram.

FINISHING

Edging

With **A** sc evenly around all 4 edges of Pack-a-ghan working 3 sc into each of the corners; join with a slip st to first sc, change to **B**, ch 1, turn, sc into each sc of previous round, working 3 sc into corners; join with a slip st to first sc, ch 1, turn, sc into each sc of previous round, 3 sc into corners, *except rectangle 8B*; evenly mark off two 5 sc sections along the edge of 8B, on reaching these sections, ch 5, skip 5 sc, and work as before; join with a slip st to first sc, change to **A**, ch 1, turn; work 2 rounds as before except working 5 sc into ch 5, slip st to first sc, fasten off.

Loops (Make 2)

With **A** cast on 6 sts.

Knit until loop measures 3½". Bind off.

Sew loops to lower edge of 2B ensuring that they correspond to openings on 8B. Sew snaps to ends of loops. Weave in ends.



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ABBREVIATIONS: k = knit; mm = millimeters, p = purl; st(s) = stitch(es); St st = Stockinette stitch; * or ** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated.



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1A	2B ____ Loops ____	3A
4B	5A	6B
7A	8B ____ Openings ____	9A

