Baby Henry's Designer Heirloom Afghan Crochet Along {PART 7}



In this part, we will be making the first part of the partial corner mandalas.

Resources

- Incorporated Designs: This blanket incorporates patterns by three amazing designers. They are all beautifully written patterns with great photo tutorials. You will need to purchase "Mandala N°6" by CAROcreated, available on Ravelry or Etsy, and "Dandelion Border-Overlay Crochet" by Lilla Bjorn, also available on Ravelry or Etsy. "Sophie's Garden Squaring" by Dedri Uys is available on her website. To assemble this blanket, you will need these three patterns and the modifications released in this CAL.
- Blog: All information and files can be found on the <u>CAL Crochet A Long website</u>
- Facebook: This CAL is organized and hosted by the <u>CAL Crochet A Long Group on Facebook</u>
- Ravelry: Add <u>Baby Henry's Designer Heirloom CAL</u> to your Ravelry Queue

Materials:

You will need yarn, an appropriately sized crochet hook and a tapestry needle for joining. For more details on this see the introduction information.

Colors for Part 7

| Round | Henry's Original Blanket | Henry's Voyage |
|-------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 72 | Root Beer-157 | Dark Olive -387 |
| 73 | Root Beer-157 | Dark Olive -387 |
| 74 | Caramel-506 | Champagne -248 |
| 75 | Root Beer-157 | Dark Olive -387 |
| 76 | Caramel-506 | Champagne -248 |
| 77 | Black Coffee-162 | Light Navy -164 |
| 78 | Root Beer-157 | Champagne -248 |
| 79 | Dark Olive-387 | Dark Olive -387 |
| 80 | Black Coffee-162 | Light Navy -164 |
| 81 | Black Coffee-162 | Light Navy -164 |
| 82 | Jet Black-110 | Ultramarine -124 |
| 83 | Black Coffee-162 | Light Navy -164 |
| 84 | Dark Olive-387 | Dark Olive -387 |

Abbreviations

This pattern uses US terms

| ch | chain | FPtr | front post treble crochet |
|------|---------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| sc | single crochet | FLtr2Tog | front loop treble crochet 2 together |
| hdc | half double crochet | inc | increase/increases |
| dc | double crochet | st-sc | knotless standing single crochet |
| tr | treble crochet | ESS | end slip stitch |
| FL | front loop | SSS | starting slip stitch |
| FP | front post | st(s) | stitch(es) |
| FLdc | front loop double crochet | sk | skip |
| FPdc | front post double crochet | rd | round |
| FLtr | front loop treble crochet | | |

Special Stitches:

Ending Slip Stitch (ESS) — Remove the loop that is on your hook after the last stitch {left photo below}. Insert the hook, from the back, into both loops of the stitch from the round where you will be joining. Pull the loop through to the back. Cut the yarn leaving a tail for weaving in. Pull the tail through the loop {middle photo below}, and pull the tail to tighten the stitch a bit {right photo below} then weave in the ends. You can also watch the video instructions here.



Starting Slip Stitch (SSS) – Insert hook into the indicated stitch in the round where you will be joining {left photo below}. Leaving a tail, pull through a loop of your new working yarn {middle photo below}, ch 1, {right photo below}. Pull the tail to tighten the stitch a bit. I recommend weaving in the ends as you go, either by crocheting over the tail as you complete the round or by another means shortly after completion of round. You can also watch the video instructions here.



BEFORE YOU START:

- 1. Note that all single stitches in this pattern should be worked BACK-LOOP ONLY unless otherwise noted.
- 2. For most rounds of the partial mandalas you will need both these instructions and the original pattern. You should read through both the original pattern and these instructions for the round before starting.
- 3. I recommend watching this video that will provide a tutorial on how to do the beginning and end joining.
- 4. Rounds 72-84 will be repeated on each of the corners of Part 6 to create the four partial corner mandalas.
- 5. Note that the joins will be rather visible at first. When all partial mandalas are completed we will be making a slip stitch round that will hide this and make it look much tidier.

Instructions

Round 1-71

Instructions are in the previous parts.

Round 72

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the first stitch before the corner in rd 71 (DO NOT start with st-sc).

In the ch1 corner sp make 6 sc (both loops).

End with an ESS (both loops) in the first stitch after the ch in rd 71, this stitch may be hidden.

(6 stitches per mandala)



Round 73

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the second stitch before the corner in rd 71.

For this round only work in both loops.

Inc in the first st, 1 sc in the second st, inc in the next 2 sts, 1 sc in the 5th st, and inc in the last st.

End with an ESS (both loops) in the second stitch after the ch in rd 71.

(10 stitches per mandala)



Round 74

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the third stitch before the corner in rd 71.

 ${\it Resume working BACK LOOP ONLY here and for remainder of part 7.}$

* 1 sc , 1 inc* 5 times.

End with ESS (both loops) in third stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(15 stitches per mandala)

Round 75

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 4th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

* 1 sc, 1 inc, 1 sc* 5 times.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 4th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(20 stitches per mandala)



Round 76

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 5th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

* 2 sc, 1 inc, 2 sc* 4 times.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 5th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(24 stitches per mandala)

Round 77

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 6th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

* FLtr into the FL of the sc in rd 73 directly below it, (sk no st), 2 sc, FLtr (sk 1 st

End with ESS (both loops) in the 6th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(28 stitches per mandala; 10 FLtr, 18 sc)

Round 78

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 7th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

2 sc, FLtr2Tog working both FLtr into the FL of the sc in rd 74 most visible in between the FLtr from rd 77, (sk no st), *3 sc, FLtr2Tog (sk no st)* 8 times, 2 sc.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 7th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(37 stitches per mandala; 9 FLtr2tog, 28 sc)

Round 79

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 8th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

Sc in each st around.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 8th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(37 stitches per mandala)

Round 80

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 9th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

2 FLdc into the FL of the underlying FLtr in rd 77, (sk 1 st), 3 sc 9 times, 2 FLdc into the FL of the underlying FLtr in rd 77 (sk 1 st).

End with ESS (both loops) in the 9th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(47 stitches per mandala; 20 FLdc, 27 sc)

Round 81

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 10th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

46 sc, skipping the last FLdc.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 10th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(46 stitches per mandala)

Round 82

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 11th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

1 sc, 2FLdc in each FL of rd 79 which is visible between the FLdc of Rd 80, skip 4 sts of rd 81 9 times, 1 sc.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 11th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(46 stitches per mandala; 36 FLdc, 10 sc)

Round 83

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 12th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

2 FPtr -- work these stitches around the underlying FLdc's of rd 80, (sk 1 st), *4 sc, 2 FPtr - work these stitches around the underlying FLdc's of rd 80, (sk 1 st)* 9 times.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 12th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(56 stitches per mandala; 20 FPtr, 36 sc)

Round 84

Join yarn with a SSS (both loops) in the 13th stitch before the corner in rd 71.

*3 sc, 1 inc, 2 sc * 9 times, 2 sc.

End with ESS (both loops) in the 13th stitch after the corner in rd 71.

(65 stitches per mandala)



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