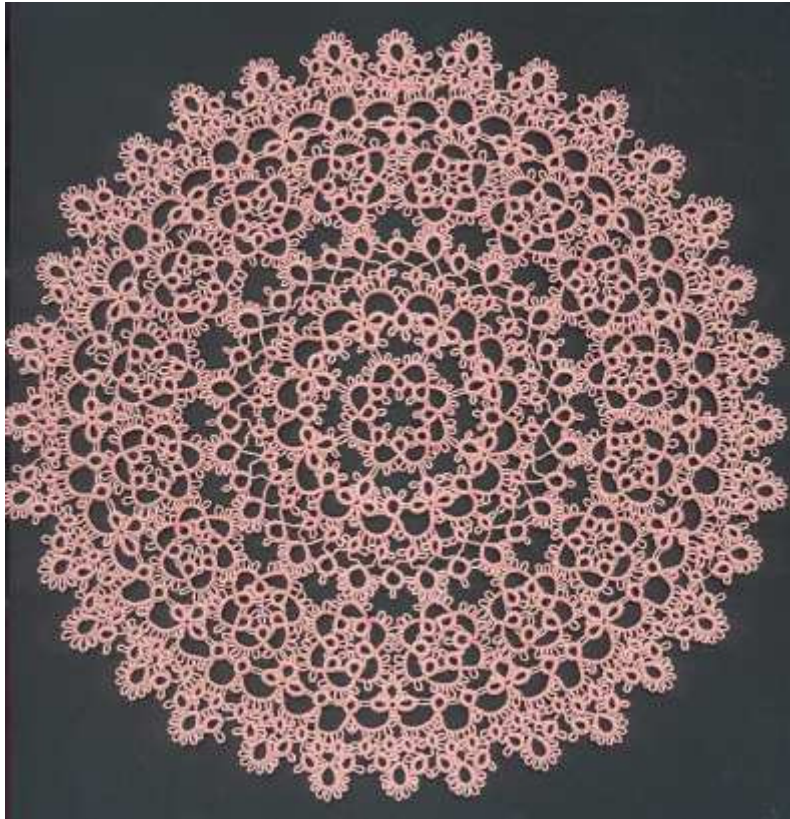


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Mom's Pink Doily



This doily was a gift for my mother, and my first attempt at designing a doily. I entered it in the local county fair in 1997 and won the Champion ribbon! I was a nervous wreck during the judging, but the reward was definitely worth it.

I used DMC perle cotton, size 12, color 224--a very pretty dusty rose. It's about 9 inches in diameter.

ds	double stitch	R	ring
p	picot	sp	small picot
lp	long picot	j	join
Ch	Chain		

Round 1

R: (4ds p) 3 times 4ds close, turn work

*Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work*

Repeat from * to * for a total of 7 R

Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds j to first p of first R 4ds, close, turn work

Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds

Tie off

Round 2

R: 4ds p (3ds p) 4 times 4ds, close, turn work

*Ch: 4ds p (3ds p) 4 times 4ds, turn work

Clover leaf:

R: 8ds j to last p of first R 4ds sp 4ds, close

R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 3ds p 3ds j to center p on Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds sp 4ds, close

R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 4ds p 8ds, close, turn work

Ch: 4ds p (3ds p) 4 times 4ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to last p of previous R (3ds p) 4 times 4ds, close, turn work*

Repeat from * to * for a total of 8 R (not including clover leaves)

Ch: 4ds p (3ds p) 4 times 4ds, turn work

R: 8ds j to last p of first R 4ds sp 4ds, close

R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 3ds p 3ds j to center p on Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds sp 4ds, close

R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 4ds j to first p of first R 8ds, close, turn work

Ch: 4ds p (3ds p) 4 times 4ds

Tie off

Round 3

R: 3ds p 3ds j to 2nd p on Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work

R: leave 1/4" space, 5ds p (2ds p) 8 times 5ds, close, turn work

*R: leave 1/4" space, 3ds p 3ds j to 4th p on Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work

R: leave 1/4" space, 5ds j to last p of 2nd R 5ds p 5ds p 5ds, close, turn work

R: leave 1/4" space, 3ds p 3ds j to 2nd p on next Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work

R: leave 1/4" space, 5ds j to last p of 4th R (2ds p) 8 times 5ds, close, turn work*

Repeat from * to * 14 more times

R: leave 1/4" space, 3ds p 3ds j to 4th p on Ch of previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work

R: leave 1/4" space, 5ds j to last p of 2nd R 5ds p 5ds j to first p of second R in round 5ds, close, turn work

Tie off

Round 4

Medallion:

R: (4ds p) 3 times 4ds close, turn work

*Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work*

Repeat from * to * for a total of 5 R

Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds j to first p of first R 4ds, close, turn work

Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of large R on previous row 2ds p 2ds p 3ds

Tie off

+R: (4ds p) 3 times 4ds close, turn work

*Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work*

Repeat from * to * for a total of 4 R

Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work

R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds j to first p of first R 4ds, close, turn work

Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of next large R on previous row 2ds p 2ds p 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds j to first p of first R 4ds, close, turn work
Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of fourth Ch of previous medallion 2ds p 2ds p 3ds
Tie off+
Repeat from + to + for a total of 16 medallions
R: (4ds p) 3 times 4ds close, turn work
*Ch: 3ds p (2ds p) 4 times 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work*
Repeat from * to * for a total of 4 R
Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of first Ch of first medallion 2ds p 2ds p 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work
Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of next large R on previous row 2ds p 2ds p 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to 3rd p of previous R 4ds p 4ds j to first p of first R 4ds, close, turn work
Ch: 3ds p 2ds p 2ds j to center p of fourth Ch of previous medallion 2ds p 2ds p 3ds
Tie off

Round 5

R: 4ds lp 4ds j to 2nd p of 2nd free Ch on a medallion on previous round 4ds lp 4ds, close, turn work
*Ch: (3ds p) 5 times 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to last lp of previous R 4ds j to 4th p of same Ch on previous round 4ds lp 4ds, close, turn work
Ch: (3ds p) 5 times 3ds, turn work
Clover leaf:
R: 8ds j to last lp of previous R 4ds sp 4ds, close
R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 3ds j to 2nd p of 3rd free Ch on previous round 3ds p 3ds j to 4th p on 1st free
Ch of next medallion of previous round 3ds sp 4ds, close
R: 4ds j to sp of previous R 4ds lp 8ds, close, turn work
Ch: (3ds p) 5 times 3ds, turn work
R: 4ds j to last lp of previous R 4ds j to 2nd p of 2nd free Ch of current medallion of previous round 4ds lp
4ds, close, turn work*
Repeat from * to * around doily
Tie off

Round 6

*R: 3ds p 3ds j to 2nd p of Ch on previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work
R: leave 1/4", 4ds p 4ds sp 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work
R: leave 1/4", 3ds p 3ds j to 4th p of Ch on previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work
R: leave 1/4", 4ds j to sp of adjoining R (2ds p) 7 times 2ds sp 4ds, close, turn work
R: leave 1/4", 3ds p 3ds j to 2nd p of next Ch on previous round 3ds p 3ds, close, turn work
R: leave 1/4", 4ds p 4ds j to sp of adjoining R 4ds p 4ds, close, turn work*
Repeat from * to * around doily
Tie off

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