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CROCHETED GLASS COASTERS FOR THE CHRISTMAS TABLE

Glass piece for the Christmas table.

It decorates the Christmas table, but it also protects the tablecloth from the annoying red wine stains..... so it's probably two birds with one stone. The piece can be varied according to the color theme of the Christmas table. And then it is quickly made. A good alternative to your leftover yarn.



You will need:

Yarn scraps. I have used cotton yarn here.

Crochet hook no. 2.5 or 3 - the needle that fits the yarn you use.

You do this:

chain stitch: ch

double crochet: dc

double crochet: sc

chain stitch: km

Cast on 4 or 5 (try what works best for you) ch and gather into a ring with a km. You can also start with a magic ring if you know that technique.

1st round: crochet 3 ch (functions as the first dc) and then 11 dc

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in the ring (12)

2nd round: start the round with 3 ch - then 2 dc. in each mesh.

Collect the lap with a km. (24)

3rd round: start round with 3 ch. Crochet 2 dc in the same st, 1 dc - round out and join with a sl st (36)

4th round: start round with 3 ch. Crochet 2 dc in the same st, 2 dc - round out and join with a sl st (48)

5th round: start round with 3 ch. Crochet 2 dc in the same st, 3 dc - round out and join with a km (60)

Break the yarn and fasten the ends. If you want it bigger, then you can continue decs and more rounds in the same way as above - by increasing stm between decs.

Top: Change color - crochet 7 sc with the new color. Turn and crochet 7 sc back. Continue crocheting sc straight up until you have 3-4 rows (to taste - try your hand). On the last row, crochet 3 sc, 7 ch, 3 sc - so you get the small loop. Staple ends.

Press the work with a steam iron or similar. Voila - you have your glass piece.

Play with the colors and use your leftover yarn as you see fit. The pieces can be held in e.g. same green or red shades. Or you can mix, mix and play with the colors as you like.