

## **HEKELWERK**

### **VEELKLEURIGE GEHEKELDE MANDALA ARTIKEL**

(Mandalas simboliseer die sirkelgang van die lewe. Byna soos die jaarringe van 'n boom.)

#### **TIPIESE KENMERKE**

Sirkelvormig (rond) met ryke kleur-, patroonsteek en tekstuurvariasies. Die patroonsteke moet redelik dig wees.

#### **VOORKOMS**

Patroonsteke verskaf tekstuur aan die mandala. Verskillende patroonsteke word vereis.

Hekeldraad eie keuse. Tooisels is nie kenmerkend van mandala hekelwerk nie. Geen krale of los hekelwerk wat bo-op vasgewerk word nie. Pars oordeelkundig.

#### **WERKSGEHALTE**

Spanning is stewig en egalig. Mandala hekelwerk lê plat en behou sy vorm.

Aan- en afhegting na elke ry, moet onsigbaar wees.

## **RANDAFWERKING**

'n Stewige randafwerking is nodig.

#### **AANBIEDING**

Ryg twee derdes van artikel vas op 'n stewige agtergrond (oorgetrekte harde basis vertoon netjies). Groot artikels hoef nie gemonteer te word nie.

#### **CROCHET**

### **MULTI-COLOURED CROCHET MANDALA ARTICLE**

(Mandalas symbolize the circle of life.)

#### **TYPICAL FEATURES**

Circular with rich colour, pattern stitch and textural variations. The pattern stitches must be relatively dense.

#### **APPEARANCE**

Pattern stitches create texture in mandala crochet. This article requires different pattern stitches. Crochet yarn of your choice. Trimmings are not typical features of mandala crochet.

No loose beads or loose crochet work must be sewn onto the finished article. Judicious light pressing will improve the appearance of the article.

#### **WORKMANSHIP**

Tension is fairly firm and even. Mandala crochet lies flat and keeps its shape. Casting on and casting off in each row should not be visible.

#### **EDGING**

Should be firm to allow the mandala article to keep its shape and lie flat.

#### **PRESENTATION**

An effort should be made to enhance the appearance of the mandala article. Attach two thirds of the article to a firm background (a covered hard base give a neat appearance).

No mounting needed for large articles.