

# Free Crochet Pattern LION BRAND® BONBONS®-A STAR IS BORN: OH BABY CHAMPION BOUQUET - CROCHET

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## **SKILL LEVEL –** EASY

## SIZES

About 11 in. (28 cm) from bottom of Holder to top of Bouquet.

## MATERIALS

- LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> BON BONS<sup>®</sup> (Art. #601) #630 Beach 1 pack
   White (A) Red (B) Yellow (C)
- LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> A STAR IS BORN: OH BABY (Art. #173) #174 Olive 1 ball (D) #109 Denim 1 ball (E)
- LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> crochet hook size D-3 (3.25 mm)
- LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> stitch markers
- LION BRAND<sup>®</sup> large-eyed blunt needle



6 in. (15 cm) length of tubing or PVC pipe, 3/4 in. (2 cm) diameter Thin craft or floral wire Craft glue

**Materials Note:** If you can't locate tubing or pipe, simply roll a piece of cardboard into a tube. Secure the rolled shape with glue or tape.

## GAUGE

GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT.

## STITCH EXPLANATION

sc2tog (sc 2 sts together) (Insert hook in next st and draw up a loop) twice, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on hook -1 st decreased.

## NOTES

- 1. Flowers and Leaves are crocheted separately.
- 2. Bouquet Holder (made from tubing or pipe) and flower stems are wrapped with yarn. Note that stem ends will be hidden in the Holder so you can stop wrapping an inch (cm) or two above the stem end.
- 3. Each Rose is made from 6 petals worked separately. A center petal is rolled then placed on a wire stem. The remaining petals are sewn in a spiral around center petal, then a base is crocheted onto the Rose.

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- 4. Hydrangea blossoms are worked separately and placed onto wire stems, then twisted together to form Sprays.
- 5. Leaves are worked separately and placed onto wire stems then twisted together to form Sprigs.
- 6. Bow is made in 2 pieces: Bow and Center Tie.

#### **ROSES** (make 2 – one each with B and C) Small Petals (make 2)

Ch 2.

Row 1: Work 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook – you will have 3 sc in this row.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across – 3 sc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, 3 sc in next st, sc in last st – 5 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) 2 times – 7 sc.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, (sc in next st, 2 sc in next st) 2 times, sc in last 2 sts – 9 sc.

Rows 6 and 7: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rows 8 and 9 (Decrease Rows): Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc in each st to last 2 sts, sk next st, sc in last st – you will have 5 sc in Row 9.

Fasten off.

#### Medium Petals (make 2)

Ch 2.

Rows 1-5: Work same as Rows 1-5 of Small Petal – 9 sc in Row 5.

Rows 6-9: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

**Rows 10 and 11 (Decrease Rows):** Work same as Rows 8 and 9 of Small Petal – 5 sc in Row 11. Fasten off.

#### Large Petals (make 2)

Ch 2.

Rows 1-5: Work same as Rows 1-5 of Small Petal – 9 sc in Row 5.

Rows 6-11: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rows 12 and 13 (Decrease Rows): Work same as Rows 8 and 9 of Small Petal – 5 sc in Row 13.

Fasten off.

Roll one Small Petal tightly to make rose center. Take a few sts through base of center to hold. Cut a 16 1/2 in. (42 cm) length of wire and bend into a 'U' shape. Push wire U through center of piece and twist ends together to form stem.

Arrange remaining petals in a spiral around the center, sewing each petal in place near base of Rose.

Weave in ends.

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#### Base

Note: The Base is worked around the stem already inserted through the Rose center.

**Rnd 1:** Hold Rose upside down and join D with sl st about 1/2 in. (1.5 cm) from lower point of Rose. Working in spaces between sts, work 9 sc all the way around the outside of Rose forming a circle around base of Rose; do not join, work in continuous rnds (spiral) – 9 sc.

Place a marker in last sc made to indicate end of rnd. Move marker up as each rnd is completed.

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 3: \* (Sl st, ch 3, sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in next ch, sl st) in next st, sc in next 2 sts; rep from \* 2 times.

Rnd 4: Skipping all other sts, sc in each of the 6 sc around.

**Rnd 5:** (Sc2tog) 3 times – 3 sc.

Rnd 6: Sc2tog, sc in next st – 2 sc.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for wrapping stem.

#### Stem

Wrap yarn tail tightly around stem. Cut yarn and secure with a small amount of craft glue.

#### HYDRANGEA SPRAYS (make 3)

#### Hydrangeas (make 4)

Wrap A around index finger. Insert hook into ring on finger, yarn over and draw up a loop. Carefully slip ring from finger and work the stitches of Rnd 1 into the ring.

**Rnd 1:** Ch 1, work 7 sc in ring; join with sl st in first sc -7 sc.

Gently but firmly, pull tail to tighten center of ring.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 1, (hdc, 2 dc, hdc) in same sc as joining sl st (petal made), \* sl st in next sc, (hdc, 2 dc, hdc) in next sc; rep from \* 2 more times; join with sl st in first hdc – 4 petals.

Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

#### Note

If you have any A yarn left over after making 4 Hydrangeas for each Spray, make more short-stemmed Hydrangeas and attach them to any of the Sprays.

Cut a 24 in. (61 cm) length of wire and bend into a 'U' shape. Push wire U through center of one Hydrangea and twist ends together to form stem.

Cut lengths of wire about 5 in. (12.5 cm) long and bend each into a 'U' shape. Push wire U through center of each of the remaining Hydrangeas and twist ends together to form stems.

Twist stems of the short-stemmed Hydrangeas around stem of the long-stemmed Hydrangea to form Spray.

With D, wrap stem of Spray.

Cut yarn and secure with a small amount of craft glue.

Repeat to make 2 more Sprays.

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## LEAF SPRIGS

#### Large Leaf (make 4)

With D, ch 2.

Row 1: Work 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook – you will have 3 sc in this row.

**Row 2:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across – 3 sc.

Row 3: Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, 3 sc in next st, sc in last st – 5 sc.

Row 4: Ch 1, turn, sc in first st (2 sc in next st, sc in next st) 2 times – 7 sc.

Row 5: Ch 1, turn, sc in first st, (sc in next st, 2 sc in next st) 2 times, sc in last 2 sts – 9 sc.

Rows 6 and 7: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rows 8-10 (Decrease Rows): Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc in each st to last 2 sts, sk next st, sc in last st – 3 sc in Row 10.

Row 11: Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc2tog – 1 sc.

Fasten off.

### Medium Leaf (make 4)

With D, ch 2.

Rows 1-4: Work same as Rows 1-4 of Large Leaf – 7 sc in Row 4.

Rows 5 and 6: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Rows 7 and 8 (Decrease Rows): Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc in each st to last 2 sts, sk next st, sc in last st – 3 sc in Row 8.

**Row 9:** Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc2tog – 1 sc.

Fasten off.

#### Small Leaf (make 4)

With D, ch 2.

Rows 1-3: Work same as Rows 1-3 of Large Leaf – 5 sc in Row 3.

Rows 4 and 5: Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across.

Row 6 (Decrease Rows): Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc in each st to last 2 sts, sk next st, sc in last st – 3 sc.

**Row 7:** Ch 1, turn, sk first st, sc2tog – 1 sc.

Fasten off.

Cut short lengths of wire and fold in half. From back of each Leaf, beg at tip, weave both ends of wire through center of Leaf. Twist ends of wire together for stem. Wrap stem with D, then cut yarn and secure with a small amount of craft glue.

Twist stems of 2 Large, 2 Medium, and 2 Small Leaves together to make first Sprig; repeat with remaining Leaves for second Sprig.

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## **BOUQUET HOLDER**

With E, wrap outside of pipe or tubing. Secure yarn ends with glue.

## BOW

With E, ch 13.

Row 1 (RS): Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 12 sc in this row.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, sk first st, dc in each st across – 12 dc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across working last sc in top of beg ch-3 - 12 sc.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 11 in. (28 cm) from beg, end with a Row 3 (sc row) as the last row you work.

Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail for sewing.

### Center Tie

With E, ch 5.

Row 1: Sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across – you will have 4 sc in this row.

Row 2: Ch 3 (counts as dc), turn, sk first st, dc in each st across – 4 dc.

**Row 3:** Ch 1, turn, sc in each st across working last sc in top of beg ch-3 - 4 sc.

Rep Rows 2 and 3 until piece measures about 24 in. (61 cm) from beg, end with a Row 3 (sc row) as the last row you work.

Fasten off.

With yarn tail, sew ends of Bow together to make a ring. Flatten Bow with seam at center.

Wrap Center Tie around center of Bow, covering seam. Apply a small amount of glue to hold Center Tie in place.

Glue Bow to Holder, leaving ends of Center Tie loose.

## FINISHING

Arrange flowers and leaves in Holder.

#### ABBREVIATIONS

beg = begin(ning)
ch = chain
dc = double crochet
rem = remain(ing)(s)
rep = repeat
rnd(s) = round(s)
sc = single crochet
sk = skip
sl st = slip stitch
st(s) = stitch(es)

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