



# We are an organization dedicated to crafting hope, healing & peace one stitch at a time.

### THREE BY TWO RIBBED HAT

From Kathleen Bush

In our first 10 years, we served more than 100,000 individuals in communities across the United States and in countries around the world. If you would like more information about our work, please visit our website at <a href="knitting4peace.org">knitting4peace.org</a>.

**NOTE:** We provide hats locally and globally, in warm climates and cold. This gives you many yarn options -cotton, blends, acrylic and wool.

This stretchy hat is knit in the round and can be knit in any yarn with appropriate size needles. To make a larger or smaller hat (or to substitute lighter or heavier yarn), increase or decrease the number of cast-on stitches in multiples of 5.

# Finished size:

<u>General Guidelines</u> <u>Glossary of terms</u>
For our current needs, refer to our latest <u>newsletter</u>

**Gauge:** 5 stitches to one inch

## **Materials:**

Needles: Size 8 double points or 16inch circular Yarn: Soft, washable worsted weight about 75 grams

Tapestry or yarn needle

### **Directions:**

- 1. Cast on 90 stitches for youth size (18 inch circumference) or 110 stitches for adult size (22 inch circumference)
- 2. Join to knit in the round, taking care not to twist the stitches.
- 3. \*K3, P2\* until 7" (8 ½) or desired length
- 4. Shape Crown

Round 1: \*K2tog, K1, P2\* around -72 (88) stitches

Round 2: \*K2, P2\* around Round 3: Repeat round 2 Round 4: \*K2, P2tog\* around -54 (66) stitches

Round 5: \*K2, P1\* around Round 6: Repeat round 5

Round 7: \*K2tog, P1\* around -36 (44) stitches

Round 8: \*K1, P1\* around Round 9: Repeat round 8

Round 10: \*K2tog\* around-18 (22) stitches

Round 11: \*K2tog\* Repeat until 9 stitches remain

Cut yarn with 8" tail; thread tail onto a tapestry needle and fasten off the remaining stitches.

# **Finishing:**

Weave in ends. Add pom-pom for extra fun!

Bless your completed project with a hug and your love. It will provide comfort, healing, and hope for the recipient.

Your compassion and love are as important as the work of your hands in "knitting together" the Beloved Community. Our work is only possible because of financial support from people like you. If you can, please consider including a donation of any size with your shipment of items. Every gift makes a difference!

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