

Crochet Star Doily



Materials Needed & Measurement:

- **Yarn:** 15 grams each of **King Cole Comfort Aran** in **two colors** (Color 1 and Color 2).
- **Hook:** 5.00mm crochet hook.
- **Finished Size:** Approximately **8.5 inches** (22 cm) in diameter when finished.

Abbreviations (USA):

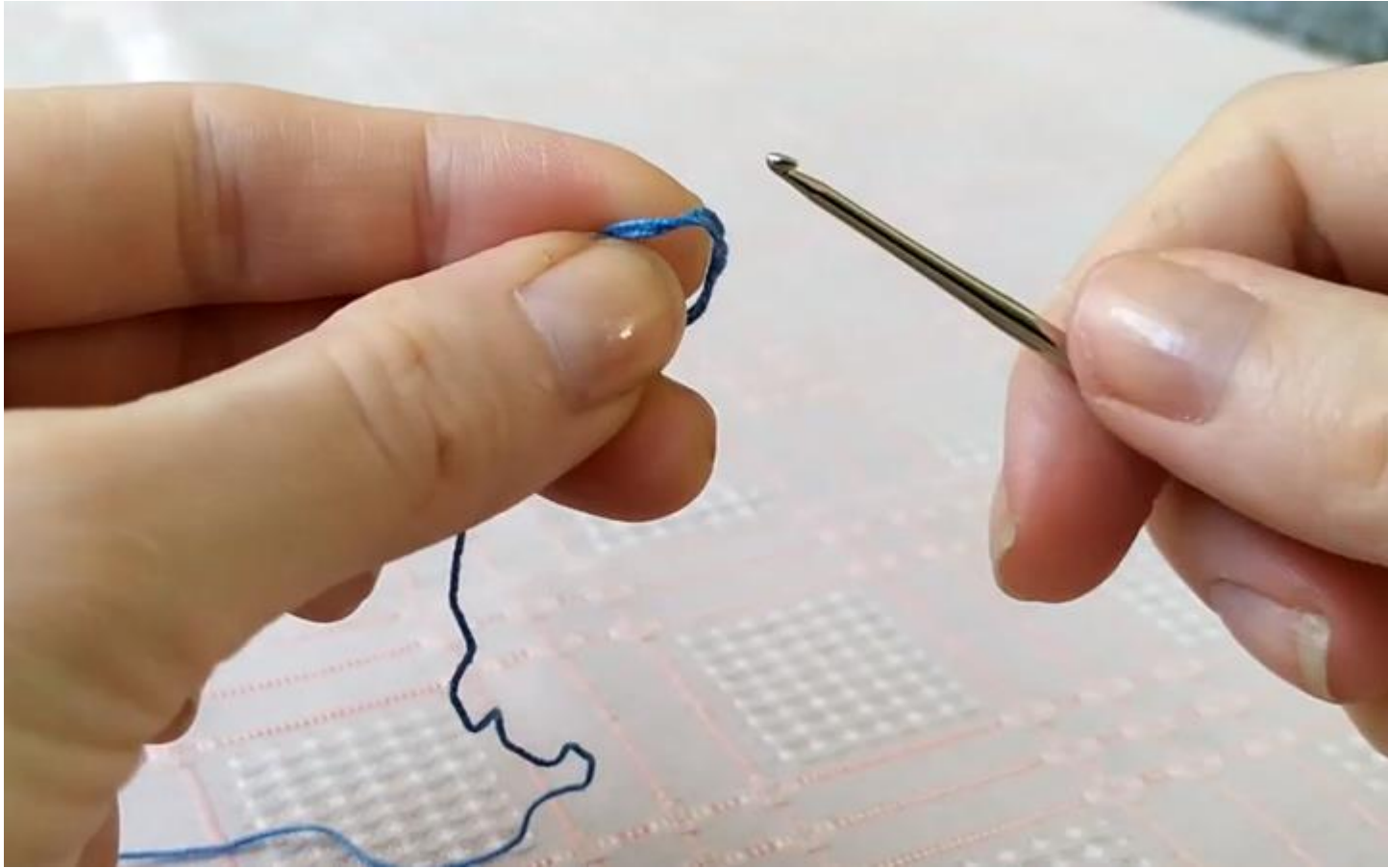
- **RS:** Right Side
- **ch:** Chain
- **sc:** Single Crochet
- **hdc:** Half Double Crochet
- **dc:** Double Crochet
- **rpt:** Repeat
- **sl st:** Slip Stitch
- **yo:** Yarn Over
- **dc2tog:** Double Crochet 2 Together (work 2dc in the same stitch, but leave the last loop of each dc on the hook, yarn over and draw through all 3 loops on the hook).

Important Note:

- **ch3** counts as the first dc for this pattern in rounds where dc is used.

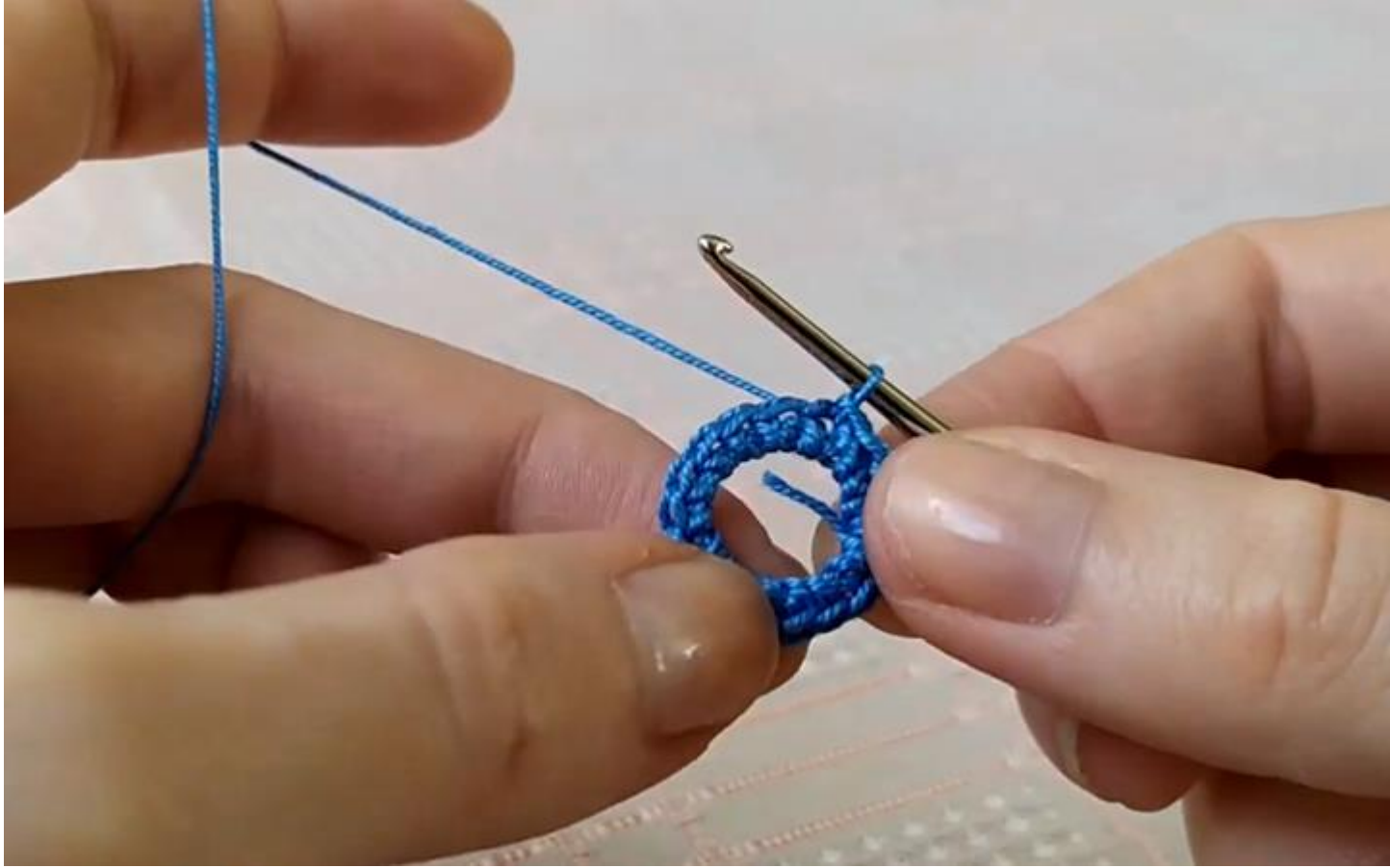
Stitching Instructions for Making the Crochet Star Doily Pattern:

Round 1: Starting the Base



- **Make a Magic Circle:** Create a loop with the yarn, leaving a tail. Insert your hook into the loop, ch1, and then work **16 sc** into the loop. Pull the yarn tail to secure the loop, then slip stitch into the first single crochet to join the round. (16 single crochets)
- **Tip:** Consider using a stitch marker to mark the first stitch of each round for easier tracking.

Round 2: Creating the Chain Spaces for the Star Points



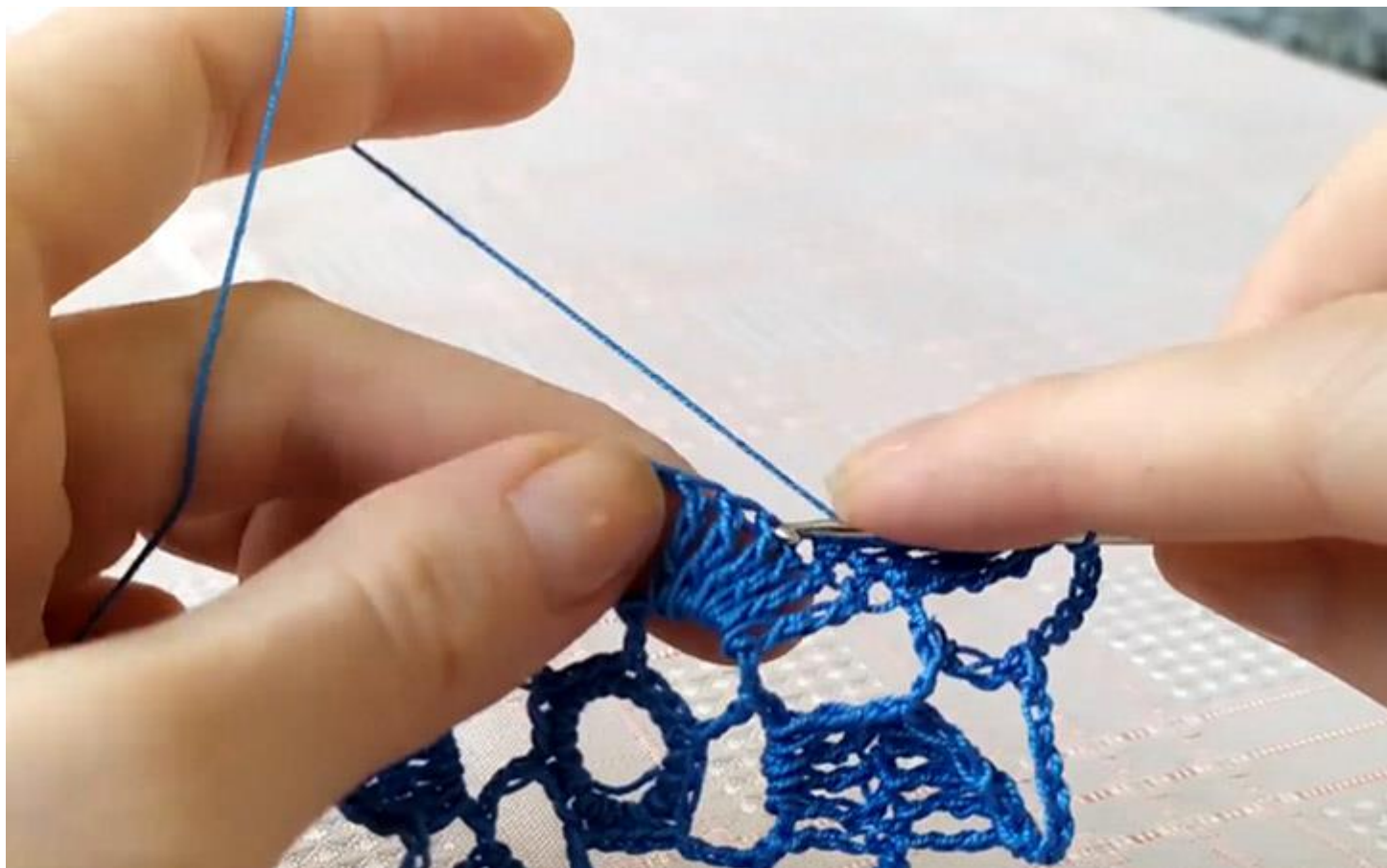
- Ch6 (counts as the first dc + ch3).
- Skip 1 sc, 1 dc in the next sc, ch3. Repeat the instructions from *to* around the entire circle.
- Once you reach the end of the round, **sl st** into the 3rd ch of the beginning ch6 (this closes the round).

Round 3: Forming the Star Points with Sc, Hdc, and Dc



- In each **ch3 space** (created in Round 2), work the following: (1 sc, 1 hdc, 1 dc, ch1, 1 dc, 1 hdc, 1 sc). This creates a star point in each ch3 space.
- After completing the round, **sl st** to the first sc to join and fasten off the color.

Round 4: Adding More Chain Loops for the Next Round



- Join **color 2** to the first ch1 space with a **sl st**.
- Make a chain 1, then work 1 single crochet into the same chain-1 space.
- Ch6, 1 sc in the next ch1 space. Repeat from to around the entire round.
- Once you reach the end, **ch6** and **sl st** into the first sc to close the round.

Round 5: Increasing the Star's Points with Double Crochet



- Ch3 (counts as the first dc).
- Work **7 dc** in the next **ch6 space** (this creates a group of 8 dc in the space).
- 1 dc in the next sc, 7 dc in the next ch6 space. Repeat from to around.
- After completing the round, **sl st** into the top of the starting ch3 to close the round. (63 dc + ch3)

Round 6: Forming the Petals with Dc2tog



- Ch2, 1 dc in the base of ch2 (this counts as the first dc).
- Chain 2, skip 1 double crochet, then work a double crochet two together (dc2tog) in the next double crochet. Repeat from to around.
- After completing this round, **ch2** and skip the next dc, then **sl st** into the first dc to close the round.

Round 7: Creating the Next Set of Star Points



- Ch6.
- Skip the ch2 space, work 1 dc in the next dc2tog, ch3. Repeat from to around the entire round.
- Once you reach the end, **sl st** into the 3rd chain of the starting ch6 to close the round.
- Fasten off.

Round 8: The Final Round with Color 1



- Attach color 1 to the first ch3 space by making a slip stitch.
- Ch3, work **(2 dc, ch2, 3 dc)** into the same ch3 space.
- Work 1 single crochet in the next ch3 space, then work (3 double crochets, chain 2, 3 double crochets) in the next ch3 space. Repeat from to around the entire round.
- At the last ch3 space, work **1 sc**, and **sl st** to the top of the starting ch3 to close the round.

Finishing Touches:



- Thread a yarn needle with the loose ends and weave them in securely to finish the project.
- **Block the Doily:** Gently block your doily by wetting it and pinning it to the desired shape on a flat surface to allow the stitches to relax and set into place. This will give the doily its final round shape and smooth appearance.

Now you have your **Crochet Star Doily** complete! Enjoy your beautiful creation!