

# Flower Washcloth Soap Purse.

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## My Special Crochet Abbreviations:

mnr.....mark new round.

ch..... chain.

sc.....single crochet.

hdc..... half double crochet.

dc.....double crochet.

ea.....each.

st.....stitch.

sts.....stitches.

tr.....triple crochet.

ss.....slip stitch.

sk st(s).....skip stitch(es).

beg.....beginning.

tog.....together.

( ).....repeat sts inside brackets as many times as indicated after last bracket.

\*\* .....repeat sts inside \*'s as many times as indicated.

yo.....yarn over.

V st.....dc, ch 1, dc (all in on st).

V st sp.....space in V st(between the dc's).  
rnd.....round.  
fl.....front loop.  
bl.....back loop.  
fp.....front post.  
bp.....back post.  
Lsc.....sc into next st 2 rows/rounds (below) previously worked.  
2V st.....V st, V st....in one st.  
tail.....extra string at end...usually for attaching to project.  
mnr...mark new row/round.

I used:

Worsted Weight 4 ply yarn. (Peach, Yellow & Green)  
8 Wooden beads(4 pink & 4 yellow) with large enough holes to work with ribbon.  
Needle with large enough hole to thread ribbon.  
12 inch thick x 23 inches long ribbon.  
4.5 MM crochet hook.  
Hot glue.  
Bar of soap.  
Tape(scotch).

**Advice:**

**Mark new rounds.**

**Save time, measure your gauge.**

**Read Before Proceed.**

**Size may vary by each individuals crochet tention!**

**Be creative and add your own special touch!**

**Hide all knots and ends inside!**

**Do not get glue on the washcloth.**

**Do not knot handle, yellow bead, or string bow too tightly to washcloth. You want to be able to cut the ribbon and bead off to use the washcloth without damaging it.**

Guage:

Approximately 7 sts = 2 inches

Approximately 5 rows = 2 inches

## Starting With The Base.

Starting with Peach

Row 1:

Ch 33. sc in 3rd ch from hook. \*Dc in next st, sc in next st\*. Repeat from \* to \* across.(31sts)

Row 2:

Ch 2. Turn. \*Sc in next dc, dc in next sc\*. Repeat from \* to \* across.(31sts)

Row 3:

Ch 1. Turn. \*Dc in next sc, sc in next dc\*. Repeat from \* to \* across.(31sts)

Rows 4- 24:

Repeat rows 2 & 3 alternating.(31sts)

Row 25:

Ch 1. Turn. \*Dc in next sc, sc in next dc\*. Repeat from \* to \* across. Insert hook into last st, draw up a loop. Draw a new loop of Yellow yarn through 2 peach loops on hook. Tie off Peach.

Round 26: Working this round as evenly as possible.

Turn. Ss in same st, Ch 3, hdc in same st. \*\*Ch 1, sk next st, hdc in next st\* Repeat from \* to \* to next corner. (Hdc, ch 1, hdc) all in corner st.\* Repeat from first \* to last \* around. Ss in ch 2 of 3 to join. Fasten Off.

**Weave in all ends**

**Set Aside**

## Smaller Pieces.

**Five Petal flower**

Using Peach

Ch 2, ss in 2nd ch from hook, (mnr) \*(Sc, hdc, 3dc, hdc, sc, ss)all in same ch. Repeat from \* to \* 4 more times. Fasten off.

*Now using yellow*

Ss to join new yarn in a st in flower border, ss in ea st around placing a long ss through center, between ea petal. Fasten Off.

Weave in ends



**Green Twists ~3 lengths**

**#1:**

Using green

Ch 10, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 3 sc in ea ch across. Ss in last st. Fasten off leaving tail.

Weave in ends

**#2:**

Using green

Ch 12, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 3 sc in ea ch across. Ss in last st. Fasten off leaving tail.

Weave in ends

#3:

Using green

Ch 14, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook. 3 sc in ea ch across. Ss in last st. Fasten off leaving tail.

Weave in ends



## Folding your purse.

Lay washcloth out flat.

Position bar of soap according to photo below.



Fold top and bottom sides toward center approx 1 inch.

Secure with tape.



Fold bottom corners in toward each other (Refer to photo).  
Secure with tape.



Fold top corners in toward each other (Refer to photo).  
Secure with tape. You should have a hexagon.



Fold 'Blue' corners together and 'green corners' together.  
Use round markers to hold in place. (Refer to photo).



## Attaching a handle and motifs.

Thread your needle with the ribbon, add 6 beads  
(3 for each side, they should mirror each other).

Draw the needle and ribbon through corners where round markers were placed (being sure to go through all 4 sides of folds). It is best to go through sts.



String the needle and ribbon back up through 3 of the beads and tighten slightly.



Trim extra length from handle.

Use a small amount of hot glue to hold ribbon from coming undone.

Hot glue the green twists to one side of handle.



Hot Glue the flower on and a yellow bead in it's center.

Carefully sew in a yellow bead and string to act as the purse's 'latch'.



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