# Christine's Cap

Size: Adult Materials:

Yarn: 2 skeins Cascade Yarns Cherub Aran

Needles: 16" circular US #9 and 5 double point needles US #9

(Use size 8 needles if you are a loose knitter)

Yarn Needle Stitch marker

#### Instructions:

With main color, cast on 72 stitches. Join into a round being careful not the twist at the join. Mark beginning of round with a stitch marker.

# Cap:

Rnds 1 to 7: Knit around Change to contrasting color. Rnds 8 to 30 (approximately a 4" band): Knit around Change to main color.

Rnds 31 to 43. Knit around

# Crown Shaping:

Rnd 1: \*(K7, K2 together) Repeat from \* around 7 more times, for a total of 8 sections

Rnd 2: and each even number round: Knit around

Rnd 3: \*(K6, K2tog) Repeat from \* around

Rnd 5: \*(K5, K2tog) Repeat from \* around

When circular needles become too long for the decreasing amount of stitches, begin knitting off onto double point needles, 2 sections per needle. Or if you know how to work in the round with 2 circulars, divide the knitting in half while knitting a round.

Rnd 7: \*(K4, K2tog) Repeat from \* around Rnd 9: \*(K3, K2tog) Repeat from \* around Rnd 11: \*(K2, K2tog) Repeat from \* around Rnd 13: \*(K1, K2tog) Repeat from \* around

Break yarn, leaving 12". Thread onto tapestry needle and loosely thread through remaining stitches. Thread through a 2nd time and pull tightly to close remaining hole. Thread to inside and stitch in place to secure. Weave in and out of a few stitches, clip remaining yarn. ~ Attach a flower or pin.

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