## Eyelets and Spines<sup>1</sup>



Size 7 needles. Acrylic worsted (#4) yarn – works well with Caron One Pound solid colors.

Finished size should be 7" wide x 9" tall.

Cast on 31 stitches. Be sure to leave an 18" tail at the beginning.

Rows 1 & 2: \*K1 P1\* repeat between \* to the end of the row, K1. (Seed stitch rows)

## Pattern set:

Row 1 (right side): K2, \*K2tog (knit 2 stitches together), K2, yo (yarn over), K1, yo, K2, K2tog,\* repeat between \* 3 times, K2.

Rows 2, 4, 6: K1, P29, K1

Row 3: K2, \*K2tog, K1, yo, K3, yo, K1, K2tog,\* repeat between \* 3 times, K2.

Row 5: K2, \*K2tog, yo, K5, yo, K2tog,\* repeat between \* 3 times, K2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adapted from "Dame Daphne Du Maurier, 1907-1989, *Jamaica Inn*" in <u>Mystery Blanket Stitch-Along Volume One</u> by Kim Anthony Davis (2010), Stitch Therapy, 335 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11215.

STOP! Check the width to make sure it is 7". If not, change needle size to get the appropriate width...

Repeat rows 1-6 for a total of 8 complete pattern sets.

STOP! Check the length to make sure it will not exceed 9". Add one more complete or a partial pattern set (ending with an even row) to adjust the final length while allowing room for two final seed stitch rows.

Repeat Rows 1 and 2. Bind off in the second row.

Be sure to leave an 18" tail at the end.

Now, knit another one since having two blocks in the same color and pattern is great for making shawls!

## **Knitting abbreviations:**

K: Knit | P: Purl