

# Squares Have It!



**Getting Started!** I suggest using 4-ply yarn and a “K” sized hook for best results.

**Chain 4** – Join with SS to create a ring.

**Round 1** – CH 1, make 11 SC into the center of the ring, join with SS to first CH.

**\*\*** From this point forward, work in back loops of stitches only!

**Round 2** – CH 1, SC in first SC, 3 SC in next SC, (SC in next 2 SC, 3 SC in next SC) three times, join with SS to first CH.

**Round 3** – CH 1, SC in first 2 SC, 3 SC in next corner SC (this is the center SC of group), (SC in next 4 SC, 3 SC in corner SC) three times, SC in last SC, join with SS to first CH.

**Round 4** – CH 1, (SC in each SC across to the corner, 3SC in corner) 4 times, SC in each SC across, join with SS to first CH.

**Round 5 +** - Repeat round 4 until the piece is about 20 inches square. Switch colors on some of the rows to add interest. Have fun!

**Key:**

CH- Chain

SC – Single crochet

SS – Slip stitch