A slice of birthday cake

- free crochet pattern -

Material:

- 100% cotton yarn, colours of choice
- 2 mm crochet hook
- fiberfill
- yarn needle
- scissors

Part 1 – bottom and sides triangles

R1: ch 3, sc in 2nd ch of hook, sc (2), ch 1, turn

R2: 2 sc inc (4), ch 1, turn

R3: 4 sc, ch 1, turn

R4: 1 sc inc, 2 sc, 1 sc inc (6), ch, 1 turn

R5: 6 sc, chain 1, turn

R6: 1 sc inc, 4 sc, 1 sc inc (8), ch 1, turn

R7: 8 sc, ch 1, turn

R8: 1 sc inc, 6 sc, 1 sc inc (10), ch 1, turn

R9: 10 sc, ch 1, turn

R10: 1 sc inc, 8 sc, 1 sc inc (12), ch 1, turn

R11: 12 sc, ch 1, turn

R12: 1 sc inc, 10 sc, 1 sc inc (14), ch 1, turn

R13: 14 sc, ch 1, turn

R14: 1 sc inc, 12 sc, 1 sc inc (16), ch 1, turn

R15: 16 sc, ch 1, turn

R16: 1 sc inc, 14 sc, 1 sc inc (18), ch 1, turn

R17: now work in rounds. ch 1, 16 sc, 1 sc inc (corner), 16 sc, 18 sc, sl st, ch 1 (total 52 ch!)

R18-26: 52 sc (always begin with ch 1 and finish with 1 sl st)

R20 + R22 + R23: change colour.

Finish off and stuff.

Part 2 – top triangle and back

R1-16: same as part 1, ch 1, turn

R18-26: 18 sc in rows

Finish off leaving tail to sew.

Assembly

Place piece of part 2 to be joined atop the bottom of part 1; sew completely closed both pieces together. Weave in and conceal all ends.

Candle

R1: magic ring, ch 1, 10 sc inside ring, pull tight and join to 1st sc, ch 1 (10)

R2: 10 sc in back loops

R3-15: 10 sc in both loops

Stuff. Sc dec until closed. Use needle to weave in ends.

Flame

Ch 8, 8 dc in 4th ch from hook. 1 dc in next ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 sc in next ch. 1 sl st, 1 ch, 1 sl st in last ch. Work up the other side. 1 sc in 1st ch. 1 hdc in next ch. 1 dc in next ch. 8 dc in last ch. Sl st in 1st stitch.

Fasten off leaving tail to sew into candle stick.



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Puffy frosting:

In any free loop of the back edge of cake join yarn and make some bobble stitches down the edge. Fasten off and weave in your ends.

Whipped cream

To make the whipped cream I followed this rose pattern by Attic24. I love this pattern and have used it many times!

Sew or glue the whipped cream on the top of the cake.

Sew or glue the candle on the top of the whipped cream.

Strawberry

R1: magic ring, 6 sc inside ring (6, pull tight and join to 1st sc, ch 1

R2: 3x 1 sc, 1 sc inc (9), sl st, ch 1

R3: 3x 2 sc, 1 sc inc (12), sl st, ch 1

R4: 3x 3 sc, 1 sc inc (15), sl st, ch 1

R5: 3x 4 sc, 1 sc inc (18), sl st, ch 1

R6: 18 sc

R7: 6x 1 sc, 1 dec (12), sl st, ch 1

R8: 6x 1 sc dec (6), sl st, ch 1

Stuff. Sc dec until closed. Use needle to weave in ends.

With another yarn sew some pips on to the strawberry fruit

Leaf

R1: ch 5, sl st into the 1st ch to create a ring

R2: 5x ch 5, sl st into ring

Finish off and glue or sew to strawberry.

Sew or glue the strawberry on the top of your cake.

Finally, I glue down small white beads on the back of the cake.

And now you're done!



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