SWEATER OF THE WEEK ™

Week #48

Yarn: 11 (12, 13) skeins of Knitting Fever's King Tut Color 108

Needles: #6 and #9 (or whatever size is necessary to obtain gauge) #6 circular needle (16")

Sizes: 33 (35, 37) finished measurement

Gauge: 4 sts. = 1" in stockinette stitch on larger needles

Yarn Substitutions

Yarn	Needles
Exotic	Same
Exotic Chine	Same
Pierre Cardin #32	Same
Kiku	Same

To Make Bobble: (K1, yo, K1, yo, K1) in one stitch; turn; P5; turn; K5; turn; P2 tog., P2 tog., P1; turn; K3 tog.

Front: With smaller needles and King Tut, cast on 66 (70, 74) sts. Work K1, P1 rib for 3". Change to larger needles and work in stockinette stitch until piece measures 6" including rib. Start graphed pattern. Work even in pattern. AT THE SAME T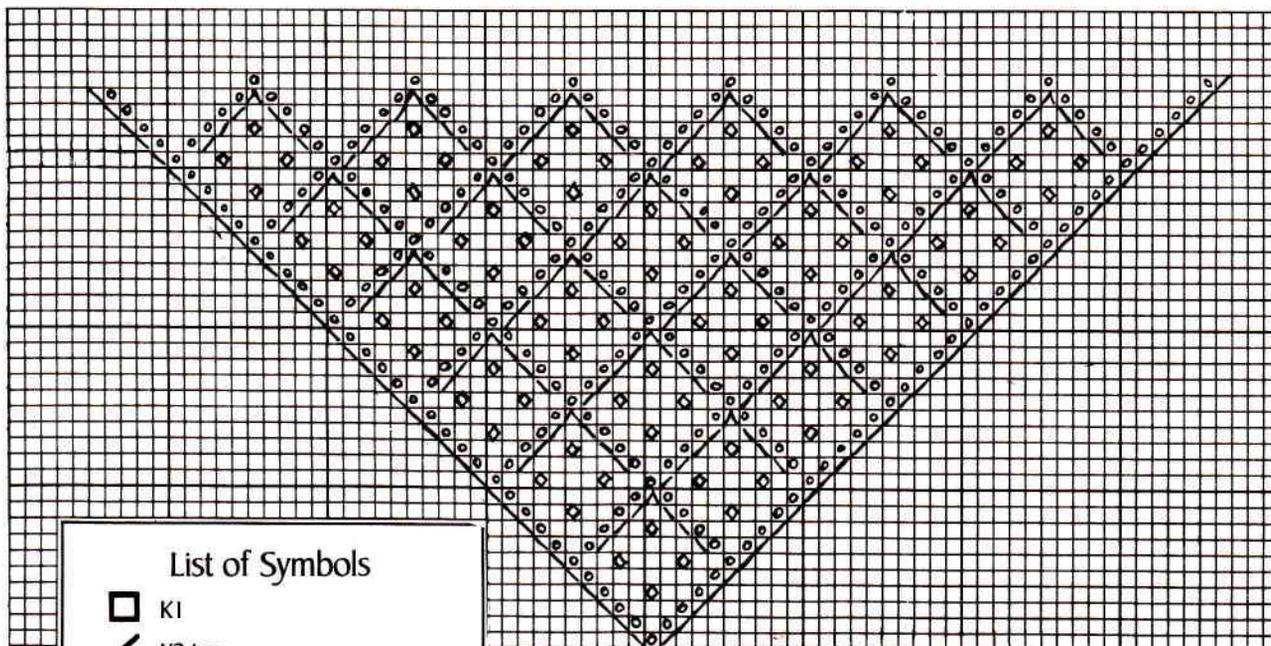IME: When piece measures 11" cast on 1 stitch each end of every row 10 times. Continue working in pattern. When piece measures 18" SHAPE NECK: Keeping in pattern, work 36 (38, 40) sts. Place center 14 sts. on a holder. Tie a new skein of yarn onto second half of sweater and finish the row. Continue in pattern, working both sides at the same time but from separate balls of yarn. Bind off 5 sts. each side of center neck edge 1 time. Decrease 1 stitch each neck edge every other row 5 times. Work straight keeping in pattern until piece measures 20". Bind off all sts.

Back: Work same as front omitting pattern and neckline shaping. When piece measures 20" bind off all sts. straight across.

Finishing: Sew shoulders together. Pick up 70 sts. around neckline and work K1, P1 rib for 1½". Bind off all sts., loosely in rib. Pick up 64 sts. around armhole edge & work in K1, P1 rib for 1". Repeat for second armhole. Sew side and underarm seams closed.

List of Symbols

☐ K1

╱ K2 tog.

◇ Make bobble

⋀ Sl 1—K2 tog.—psso

O Yo

╲ Ssk

Work "ssk" as follows: slip the first and second stitches KNITWISE, one at a time, then insert the tip of the left-hand needle into the FRONTS of these two stitches from the left, and knit them together from this position.