



SWEATER
OF THE
WEEK™

Week A42

YARN: 12 (13, 14) skeins King Tut color 111.

GAUGE: 4.5 sts and 6 rows measures 1".

BABY CABLE PATTERN:

Row 1: *P2, sl 1, K2, pss0* end P2

Row 2: *K2, P1, yo, P1* end K2

Row 3: *P2, K3* end P2

Row 4: *K2, P3* end K2

Repeat these 4 rows for pattern.

PATTERN FOR BORDERS OF SWEATER:

(bottom, neck, cuffs) Work in K2, P2 rib and cross as follows on the right side of work on the 2 knit sts. Knit the second st from the back and do not remove from needle, knit the first st and remove both sts from the left needle.

BACK: With smaller needles cast on 68 (72, 76) sts and work pattern for borders for 2". Change to larger needles and inc 11 sts evenly across the row. Work straight until piece measures 13 (14, 15)" or desired length. Shape armhole: bind off 5 sts at the beg of the next 2 rows. Dec 1 st each end every 4th row until armhole measures 8 (8½, 9)". Work a baby cable into the raglan seam as follows: P2, K3, P2 on the first and last 7 sts. Follow baby cable pattern on these sts. Make dec after these 7 sts on the right hand side of work and before these sts on the left side of work.

NEEDLES: 6 & 8 or whatever size is necessary to obtain gauge. 5 circular needle.

SIZES: 34 (36, 38) finished measurement is approx 1" larger

FRONT: Follow instructions for the back. Pattern for front in the following manner. K21 (23, 25) *P2, K3* (7 times) P2, K21 (23, 25). Work in pattern until you reach the armhole. Bind off 4 sts, work across to pattern *P2, K3* (3 times) P2. Place remaining sts (second half of front) on a holder. Turn. Cast on 4 sts at center edge of front (neck edge). Work these 4 sts as purl sts on the right side of work. Continue in pattern working decreases for raglan. When piece measures 2" less than back start neckline shaping. Bind off 14 sts at neck edge. Dec 1 st at neck edge every other row until back and front armholes are the same. Slip sts from holder to needle. Continue the pattern on the center front and work raglan decs as on the other side. Work neckline shaping in the same manner.

SLEEVES: With smaller needles cast on 40 (42, 44) sts and work border pattern for 1.5". Change to larger needles and inc 9 sts evenly across the next row. Place sleeve pattern in the sleeve as follows. K16 (17, 19) 17 sts for sleeve pattern K16 (17, 19). Inc 1 st each end every 4th row 5 times. Work straight until sleeve measures 9 (10, 11)". Shape armhole: Make a baby cable at each end of sleeve following directions on body. Dec 1 st each end every 4th row until sleeve matches armhole shaping. Then bind off rem sts.

FINISHING: Sew side seams tog. Sew seams of sleeves. Attach sleeves to body of the sweater at raglan shaping. With a #5 circular needle pick up all the sts around neckline working back and forth in K2, P2 following the pattern for the border. Sew on buttons to match the holes made by the yo in the baby cable at front edge of sweater.

