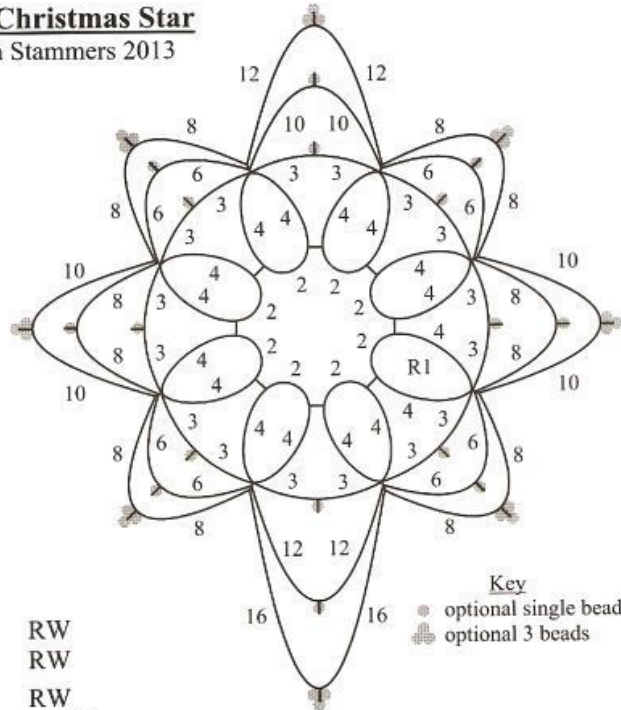
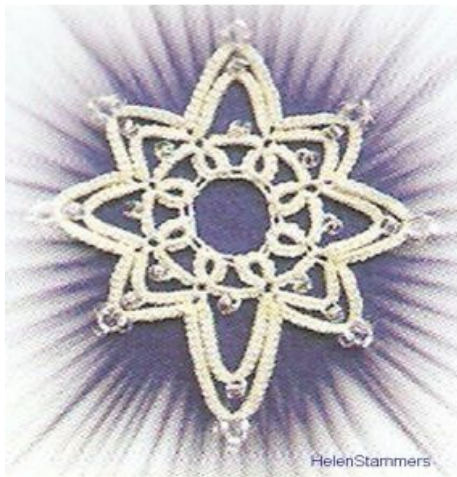


Simple Christmas Star

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**Requirements**

Size 20 thread, one shuttle
(and 40 size 9 seed beads, optional)

Wind about 1.2 m onto the shuttle. Do not cut.

R1: 4, sp, 2, sp, 4 cl RW
Ch: vsp, 3, p, 3 RW
*R: 4, +(2nd p on previous R), 2, sp, 4 cl RW
Ch: vsp 3, p, 3 RW**

Repeat from * to ** 6 times more, then shuttle join the last chain to the vsp at the start of the first. DNRW

The joins in the next two chains are all shuttle joins. After each join in Ch1, make a vsp for the joins in Ch2.

Ch1: vsp, 8, p, 8, +(next vsp on previous round), 6, p, 6, +(next vsp), 10, p, 10, +(next vsp),
6, p, 6, +(next vsp), 8, p, 8, +(next vsp), 6, p, 6, +(next vsp), 12, p, 12, +(next vsp), 6, p, 6,
+(vsp at start of chain) DNRW

Ch2: vsp 10, p, 10, +(next vsp on previous round), 8, p, 8, +(next vsp), 12, p, 12, +(next vsp),
8, p, 8, +(next vsp), 10, p, 10, +(next vsp), 8, p, 8, +(next vsp), 16, p, 16, +(next vsp),
8, p, 8

Join to the vsp at the start of Ch2, then cut & tie.

Note

If adding the beads, thread them before winding the shuttle, and keep them on the ball thread. Replace the picots in the chains between the rings and in Ch1 with a single bead from the ball thread, and the picots in Ch2 with 3 beads.

Abbreviations used in this issue

Sh:	shuttle	- or p:	picot
ds:	double stitch	sp:	small picot
Ch:	chain	vsp:	very small picot
R:	ring	lp:	long picot
SR:	split ring	B:	bead
SCMR:	self-closing mock ring	RW:	reverse work
cl:	close	DNRW:	do not reverse work
+	join	SS:	switch shuttles
+(...):	join to place described in brackets	CTM:	continuous thread method
sj:	shuttle join	SLT:	shoe lace trick