**Materials:**
Needles: US 8 16” Circular Needles; US 8 Double Point Needles
Yarn: 200-225 yards of any yarn from the Knots of Love’s approved list of yarns.
Tapestry needle
Stitch marker

**Instructions:**

Cast On: 80 stitches

Ribbing:
Rows 1 - 12: *K3, P1. Repeat from * around
Row 13: Increase 20 stitches evenly around. (100 stitches)

Body:
Rows 14 - 18: *K5, P5. Repeat from * around
Rows 19 - 23: *P5, K5. Repeat from * around
Continue working basket weave until cap reaches 6 inches from bottom of brim.

Decrease rows: (Switch to Double Point Needles when necessary)
End body of hat on Row 18 or 23
Next row: Keeping in pattern, repeat Row 14 or 19
Row 1 of decrease: Keeping in pattern K5, P2tg, P1, P2tg. (Or P2tg, P1, P2tg, K5) Repeat from * around. (80 sts)

Row 2-4: Keeping in pattern, K the K sts and P the P sts. NOTE: This is a good place to add more rows if want more length.
Row 5: *K5, P1, P2tg, (or P1, P2tg, K5). Repeat from * around.
Row 6-8: Work even in pattern.
Row 9: *K5, P2tg, (or P2tg, K5) Repeat from *
Row 10: *ssk, k1, k2tg, p1 (or p1, ssk, k1, k2tg). Repeat from * around.
Row 11: Slip 1, K2tg, pass slip st over (psso) K1. (or) K1, slip 1, K2tg, psso. Repeat from * around
Row 12: K2tg around.

Cut yarn, leaving enough to pass thru remaining sts. Pull tight and secure. Weave in ends.

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