**Materials:**
Needles: Size US 10 straight knitting needles
Yarn: 2 strands held together from any the Knots of Love’s approved list of yarns
Tapestry needle

**Abbreviations:**
S1pw: Slip 1 st purlwise. Insert your needle into the stitch as if to purl, and slide it from your left needle to your right needle.
S1kw: Slip 1 st knitwise. Insert your needle into the stitch as if to knit, and slide it from your left needle to your right needle.
M1 Stitch: Make One. To make an M1, take the left-hand needle and pick up the bar between the stitches from front to back. Use the right needle to knit this bar through the back loop.

**Instructions:**
Holding two strands of yarn together, and using long tail cast-on method, cast on 26 stitches. (Length or cast on should be no less than 6.5 inches.)

**Pattern:**

**Pattern Note:** Cut long enough tails for sewing up the sides.

**First Edge:**
Rows 1-5: S1kw, *P1, K1* across.
Row 6: S1kw, (K7, M1), 3 times. K4. (29 stitches)
Row 7: S1pw, purl across.

**Body:**
Row 1: S1kw, knit across.
Row 2: S1pw, purl across.
Repeat rows 1 and 2 until the body measures 6 inches, ending with row 2.

**Second Edge:**
Row 1: RS (Right Side) - S1kw, (K6, k2tog), 3 times. K4. (26 stitches)
Row 2: S1pw, purl across.
Rows 3-7: S1kw, *P1, K1* across.

**Finishing:** Bind off in pattern. Cut a long enough tail to use for sewing up the side of your cover. Seam both sides together using the **Mattress Stitch**.
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