HeartStrings Pattern: H67 - 0006

White Lotus Stole

White Lotus features lovely scintillating organic forms enhanced by beaded nupps. The lotus flowers are framed by the bobble-like texture of the nupps, and the beads appear as dew drops on the flowers.



Shown in Colinton Australian Angoras Ultrafine Laceweight Kid Mohair; Miyuki seed beads, color 6-131S Silver-lined Crystal

The scallops along the edges naturally form from the heavily-biasing nature of the stitch pattern.

The shape of this stole is a cross between a rectangle and a triangle, thus providing both an interesting project to knit as well as to wear.

Size Finished blocked measurements: 72" (183 cm) width at top edge and 30" (76 cm) width at bottom edge; length of 22" (56 cm)

Yarn, Beads and Needles

1000 yards (914 m) lace weight or light weight fingering yarn.

Knitting needles US 4 (3.5 mm) or size you need to obtain gauge; a circular needle is suggested as there will be many stitches in a row.

Gauge 24 stitches and 32 rows = 4" (10 cm) in lace stitch pattern after blocking.

Knitting needle US 8 (5 mm) - only one needed for binding off.

404 size 6/0 (4 mm diameter) glass seed beads, approximately 35 g.

Crochet hook that is small enough to insert into holes in the beads.



Skill Level Experienced or adventurous intermediate. Good control over tension is required for making uniform nupps. The pattern stitch is heavily biased and requires confident skills in severe blocking. A test sample is suggested to assure your completed project will be the look you want. Both charted and line-by-line written instructions are provided.