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This is a “gripper” towel ring because the towel is inserted between two rings that make it difficult for the towel to slide off the ring. You can use holiday buttons and colors to make these for your holiday kitchen. They’re also handy on garden carts, golf carts, BBQ grills, in the laundry room, in the garage, in the car, for camping, etc.



Materials:

- Worsted weight yarn (cotton or acrylic)
- Crochet hook size G
- Two 2” lucite rings
- 3/4” - 1” button
- Needle and thread
- Small towel

To work sc dec: (Insert hook in next st and pull up a loop) 2 times; yo and pull through all 3 remaining loops on hook.

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Stack one lucite ring on top the other.

Round 1: Work 6 sc around both rings, ch 31, sc in the 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, work 2 sc around both rings, turn; skip the first 2 sc’s, sc in each of the next 29 sc’s, 2 sc in the next sc, ch 1, turn; work 2 sc in the first sc, ch 3, skip

next 3 sc, sc in each of the next 27 sc, work 2 sc around both rings, turn; skip first 2 sc, sc in each of the next 27 sc, sc in each of the next 3 ch's, sc dec over the next 2 sc, ch 1, turn; sc dec over the first 2 sts, sc in each of the next 29 sc; work 6 sc around both rings; work 20 sc around the top ring ONLY; join with a sl st to the first sc; turn.

Round 2: Sl st in each st around (ring AND strap); join with a sl st to the first sl st. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Finishing: Sew button to strap just above ring. Gently pull two rings apart at the bottom and insert towel between rings.



Happy Crocheting!