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CARON free patterns



It's October (already?!) which in my house means, Halloween *month*--so why not kick-off the creepy, with crochet? This week, I dug into the archives to post my pattern for **Skully Appliques**--they're ghoulishly great for tote bags, pillows, the back of jackets, and more. Really feelin' in the spirit? Make a few of these **Ghost Ornaments**. Both projects work-up perfectly in Simply Soft®! Oh, and of course

you'll need a spooky tree to hang 'em from; [learn how to make your own here.](#)

Stitch.Rock.Boo!



Vickie

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Hop over to [Buy.caron.com](#) and check out Tulip's line of Etimo crochet hooks and sets! Designed to fit perfectly in your hand, the elastomeric comfort grip allows you to crochet for hours. The Etimo hooks won't be on sale much longer, so click on over to [Buy.caron.com](#) and take advantage of this great offer while it lasts!



Two-Tone Vest

Vests are hot this year, and this **Two-Tone Vest**, designed by Kim Guzman, is, as they say, *smokin'*. Crocheted in two complimentary shades of **Simply Soft®**, the vest features an openwork back and fabulous shaping for exquisite lines. Flattering every figure, this beautiful design is a standout.

>> [Get the Two-Tone Vest instructions](#)



Broomstick Lace Scarf

Doris Chan has created a fantastic **Broomstick Lace Scarf** for us, in Celestial, one of the new **Simply Soft® Collection** colors. If you've never tried broomstick lace, you are in for a treat with this pattern. Make it scarf-size, or continue stitching for a stole or even a throw. Easy and eye-catching, this time-honored technique achieves beautiful results.

>> [Get the Broomstick Lace Scarf instructions](#)



Party Ballet Slippers

What could be more fun than a pair of sparkly, polka-dot, **Ballet Slippers** knit in new **Simply Soft® Party**? Designed by Kelly Klem, these slippers make terrific gifts. Worn with or without the optional lace-ups, the Party Ballet Slippers will keep your tootsies toasty and make you smile all at the same time.

>> [Get the Party Ballet Slippers instructions](#)



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