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Whether you celebrate Easter, Ostara, the Spring Solstice, or none of the above, 'tis the season to crochet a cute little rabbit (if for no other reason, than to make yourself smile)! Click on over to the [Caron Blog](#) today to get the pattern for my [Bitty Bunny](#), stitched in [Simply Soft](#) and [Simply Soft Paints](#). Hop-py hooking! Hey, American Idol fans! Check out this week's Movie(ish) Monday post featuring Crystal

Bowersox's music video for Farmer's Daughter. It's knitting themed!

Watch it on the Caron Blog, [here](#).  
Stitch.Rock.Love,

*Vickie*



**Sof 'n Fuzzy Child's Coat**

Dazzleaire is incredibly soft, making it a great choice for throws, scarves and sweaters. But we particularly love Dazzleaire for garments for kids. As warm and soft as hugging a kitten, Dazzleaire will make this [Sof 'n Fuzzy Child's Coat](#) her favorite for wrapping up on chilly spring nights.

>> [Sof 'n Fuzzy Child's Coat instructions](#)

>> [Find more Dazzleaire projects here](#)



**Just Plain Fun Child's Top**

Sometimes a crochet project can be loads of fun. Ann E. Smith's [Just Plain Fun Child's Top](#) combines mini-granny squares with a sweet little-girl bodice that looks totally fun to wear. (Our model couldn't stop twirling...) Make this darling little top and show a little girl just how much fun crochet can be!

>> [Just Plain Fun Child's Top instructions](#)



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Thanks to all of our faithful fans for making the "KIP and CIP" photo contest a huge success. We're still accepting photos at [BuyCaron](#) for the contest, so click on over soon to learn how you can submit your KIP or CIP photos for a chance to win a mystery box of goodies of Caron products. Not sure what "KIP" and "CIP" means? We're happy to fill you in at [BuyCaron](#), and while you are there take time to browse our **thousands** of knitting and crocheting products and free patterns.

**Sheep Toy**

Yarn lovers can't help but fall in love with KJ Hays' adorable [Sheep Toy](#), crocheted in cuddly [Simply Soft](#). A loopy fleece makes this four-footed friend even more huggable. Make one for a little yarn lover, and one for your yarn shelf, too.

>> [Sheep Toy instructions](#)



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