

THE CRAFTED KNOT

CROCHET DAISY KEYCHAIN

A cheerful handmade accessory with flower, leaves, beads & tassel



Approx. 16-18 cm finished length	3.0 mm suggested hook	Easy skill level	1-2 hours typical making time
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“Small stitches, big joy.”

WELCOME TO THE CRAFTED KNOT

This pattern creates a decorative crochet daisy keychain inspired by the sample shown on the cover. It combines a layered flower, two small leaves, wooden beads, a yarn tassel and a metal key ring. The project is small, giftable and ideal for using leftover yarn.

Pattern design note: hardware and bead sizes can vary. The stitch counts below are designed to produce a similar overall look and can be adjusted slightly for your chosen materials.

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Finished item

The sample is approximately 16–18 cm from the top of the key ring to the bottom of the tassel. Your finished length will depend on tassel length, bead size and hardware.

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01 — MATERIALS & TOOLS

Cotton yarn — cream	Approx. 15–20 g for petals.
Cotton yarn — mustard/yellow	Approx. 5–8 g for the flower center.
Cotton yarn — sage/green	Approx. 10–15 g for leaves, cord and tassel accents.
Crochet hook	3.0 mm (US C/2), or size that gives a firm fabric.
Key ring	1 sturdy 30–35 mm metal split ring or swivel clasp.
Jump rings	2–3 small metal rings, approximately 6–8 mm.
Wooden beads	3–5 beads, approximately 8–12 mm, with holes large enough for your yarn.
Tapestry needle	For weaving ends and assembly.
Scissors	Sharp scissors.
Optional	Fabric glue, lighter for controlled synthetic-yarn finishing, or stitch marker.

02 — GAUGE, SIZE & ABBREVIATIONS

Gauge: no strict gauge is required. Aim for a firm, neat fabric so the flower holds its shape. Keep the same tension throughout the project.

ch	chain	sl st	slip stitch
sc	single crochet	dc	double crochet
hdc	half double crochet	st/sts	stitch/stitches
sp	space	rep	repeat
rnd	round	FO	fasten off

03 — FLOWER CENTER

Use mustard/yellow yarn. Work tightly enough that the center stays compact.

ROUND 1

Make a magic ring. Ch 1 (does not count as a stitch). Work 8 sc into the ring. Pull the ring closed. Join with a sl st to the first sc. (8 sc)

ROUND 2

Ch 1. Work 2 sc in each stitch around. Join with a sl st. (16 sc)

ROUND 3

Ch 1. Sc in the first stitch, 2 sc in the next stitch. Repeat around. Join with a sl st. (24 sc)

ROUND 4 — PETAL BASE

Ch 1. Sc in the first 2 stitches, 2 sc in the next stitch. Repeat around. Join with a sl st. (32 sc). Fasten off if you want the petals to be worked separately in cream.

Tip: If you prefer a smaller flower center, stop after Round 2. The finished daisy will look more compact.

04 — DAISY PETALS

Attach cream yarn to a stitch on the outer edge of the center. The sample uses a full ring of rounded petals.

1. Ch 3.
2. Work 2 dc into the same stitch.
3. Ch 2.
4. Sl st into the same stitch to close the petal.
5. Sl st into the next stitch and repeat the petal sequence around.
6. Aim for 8 petals for a full, balanced daisy. If your center has 32 stitches, you can space petals every 4 stitches for an even result.

Petal shaping: gently pinch each petal with your fingers while the yarn is still flexible. Keep the center flat rather than allowing the petals to twist.

05 — LEAVES

Make 2 leaves in sage/green.

LEAF — BASIC SHAPE

1. Ch 9.
2. Starting in the 2nd ch from hook, sc in the next 2 ch, hdc in the next 2 ch, dc in the next 3 ch, 5 dc in the final ch.
3. Working down the opposite side of the foundation chain, dc in the next 3 ch, hdc in the next 2 ch, sc in the next 2 ch.
4. Sl st into the first stitch. Fasten off, leaving a long tail for attaching.

For a pointed leaf, pinch the end containing the 5 dc. For a softer leaf, gently round the end with your fingers.

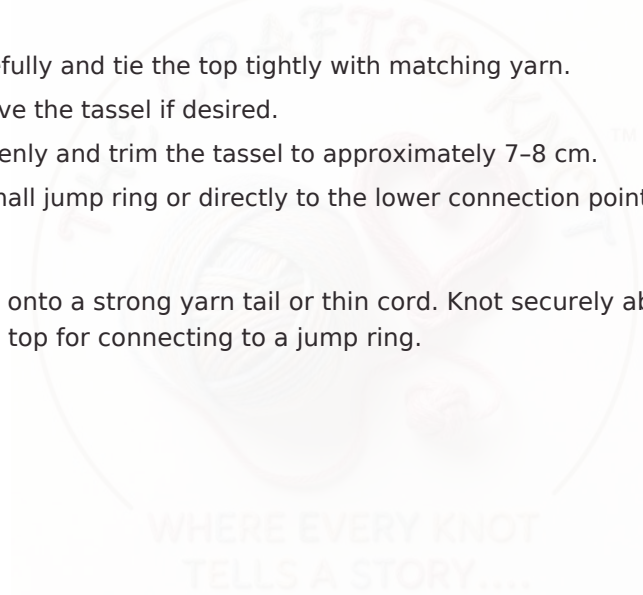
06 — TASSEL & BEADS

TASSEL

1. Wrap sage, cream and/or white yarn around a piece of cardboard approximately 10-12 cm wide, 25-35 times.
2. Slide the bundle off carefully and tie the top tightly with matching yarn.
3. Add a wooden bead above the tassel if desired.
4. Cut the bottom loops evenly and trim the tassel to approximately 7-8 cm.
5. Attach the tassel to a small jump ring or directly to the lower connection point.

BEAD STRAND

Thread 2-4 wooden beads onto a strong yarn tail or thin cord. Knot securely above and below the bead group. Leave a loop at the top for connecting to a jump ring.



07 — ASSEMBLY

FLOWER ASSEMBLY

1. Place the flower center face up.
2. Arrange the two leaves behind the flower, slightly offset to the lower-left and lower-right.
3. Use the long leaf tails to sew the leaves securely to the back of the flower.
4. Weave in all yarn ends carefully so nothing is visible from the front.

TOP CONNECTION

1. Choose the top point of the flower and attach a small jump ring.
2. Connect the jump ring to the metal key ring or swivel clasp.
3. Add one wooden bead near the upper connection for decoration.
4. Check that the flower hangs face-forward when the keychain is held by the ring.

BOTTOM DECORATION

1. Attach a second small jump ring near the lower edge of the flower.
2. Connect the bead strand and tassel to this ring.
3. Tighten every metal connection with pliers if available.
4. Rotate the tassel and beads until the arrangement hangs evenly.

SECURITY CHECK

The keychain will experience repeated pulling and swinging. Every yarn attachment should pass through several stitches, and metal rings should be fully closed. Do not rely on a single loose knot.

08 — FINISHING & CARE

Shape the flower: lightly dampen the crochet if needed and arrange the petals so they overlap naturally. Allow it to dry completely before attaching delicate decorative pieces.

Weave ends: weave tails through several stitches on the wrong side, change direction, and trim close to the fabric.

Care: spot clean whenever possible. If the yarn label permits washing, hand wash gently in cool water and dry flat. Avoid soaking metal hardware or wooden beads.

09 — TROUBLESHOOTING & MAKER NOTES

Problem	Cause	Solution
Petals curl inward	Tension is too tight.	Relax tension or use a slightly larger hook for the petal round.
Flower looks floppy	Yarn is too soft or tension is loose.	Use a firmer cotton yarn or a smaller hook.
Leaves disappear	Leaves are too small or placed behind the flower.	Make the leaves 1-2 chains longer and offset them farther outward.
Keychain twists	Top ring is not centered.	Move the attachment point to the center top of the flower.
Tassel sheds	Yarn fibers are loose.	Trim evenly and secure the tassel head tightly.
Beads move too much	Knots are loose.	Use double knots and leave a short yarn tail for weaving.

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