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Skill Level: Beginner
Size: Approx. 24" wide x 60" long

Materials:
Cascade Yarns® Luminosa
52% Viscose / 44% Baby Alpaca / 4% Wool
100 g (3.5 oz); 240 yds (220 m)
4 skeins of color #04 (Garnet)
US 10 (6 mm) 24” circular needles
Crochet Hook Size J/10 (6.0 mm) (optional for Chain Edge Cast-on)
Yarn Needle

Gauge: 15 sts x 22 rows = 4” (10 cm) in Pattern Stitch after blocking.

Abbreviations:
BO = Bind Off
CO = Cast On
K = Knit
St(s) = Stitch(es)
K2tog = Knit 2 stitches together (1 st decreased)
YO = Yarn Over

Special Stitches:
Decorative Chain Cast On:
Place a slipknot on crochet hook. Hold knitting needle and yarn in your left hand and hook in your right hand, with yarn under needle. Place hook over needle, wrap yarn around hook and pull loop through loop on hook.
*Bring yarn to back under needle, wrap yarn around hook, and pull it through loop on hook. Repeat from * until there is 1 fewer than the desired number of sts on needle. Slip loop from hook to needle for last st.

Notes: Use the Decorative Chain Edge CO to match CO and the BO. If you use the Long Tail CO, do not knit a row before beginning the pattern. The stole is knit flat. A circular needle is used to accommodate the large number of sts in this Aran weight yarn. When joining a new skein, add new skein after knitting first 2 sts of the row. This will enable weaving the ends in invisibly without interrupting the chain edge selvedge.

Stole:
Using the decorative Chain Edge CO method, CO 90 sts. Turn work, do not join.
Knit 1 row slipping the last st purlwise with yarn in front.
Pattern row: K5, *YO, K2tog, K2*; repeat from * to last st, slip last st purlwise with yarn in front. Repeat Pattern Row until stole measures 60" from CO.
BO all sts knitwise.
Weave in all tails and block as desired.

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