# DIY Backane

Stars Project



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# LET'S GET STARTED!

This kit has everything you need. The ebook includes diagrams, links to purchase materials, patterns and step by step instructions. The video allows you to follow along as I create the piece from start to finish.

### SUPPLIES

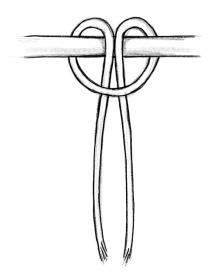
Finding the right materials to use can take so much time, effort and money, which is why I have created an excluive supply list for you, revealing the exact materials I use, as well as substitutes that would work well. This pattern was designed to work with a number of supplies, so your finished piece will be unique! Simply follow the link below to view all of the supplies, plus where to order them from!

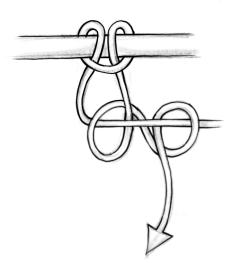


# KNOT DIAGRAMS

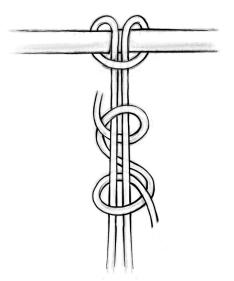
LARKSHEAD KNOT

CLOVE HITCH KNOT



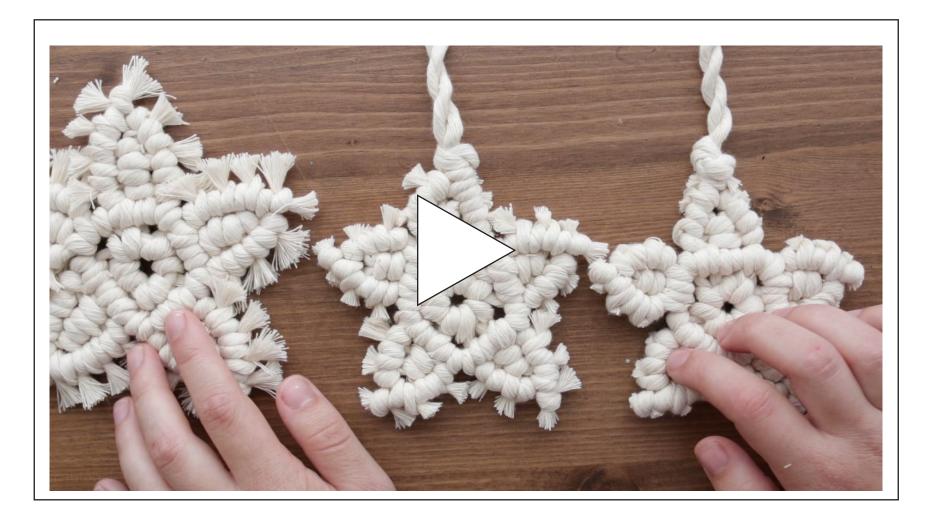


VERTICAL CLOVE HITCH KNOT





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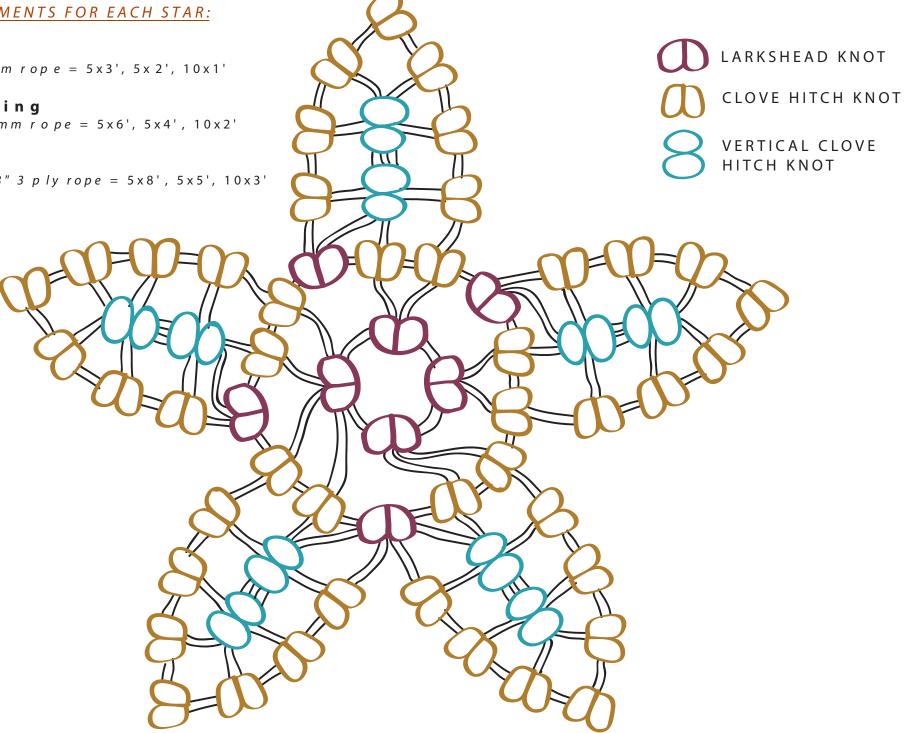
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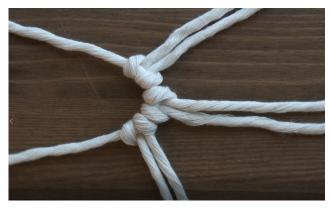
#### MEASUREMENTS FOR EACH STAR:

Garland  $35 \ ft \ of \ 5mm \ r \ op \ e = \ 5 \times 3', \ 5 \times 2', \ 10 \times 1'$ 

10" Hanging  $70 \text{ ft of } 10 \text{ mm } r \text{ ope} = 5 \times 6', 5 \times 4', 10 \times 2'$ 

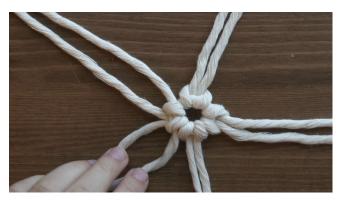
Wreath 95 ft of 5/8" 3 ply rope = 5x8', 5x5', 10x3'





STEP 1.

Fold one piece of rope in half and place it on a flat surface as the main lead cord. Now add on three more using reverse larkshead knots. For this knot, fold the strand of rope in half to find the center, place the center fold underneath the lead cord from back to front and then reach through the loop to pull the tails through.



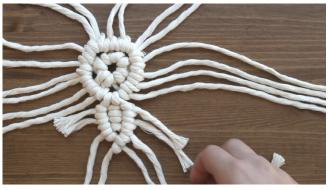
STEP 2.

Now take the two tails from the lead cord and cross them over each other. Add the last 4' length of rope using a reverse larkshead knot, wrapping over the cross of the two tails from the lead cord. Tighten the larkshead, and then pull the two tails of the lead cord to slide the last larkshead knot up against the first three. You will now have a complete circle of reverse larkshead knots with 10 tails leading outwards.



STEP 3.

We will now add a second circle around the first, to create enough tails for the five points of the star. Cut 5 lengths that are 2' long each. Fold one piece of rope in half and place it over the first 10 tails as the new lead cord. For this circle, we will be alternating between adding on tails as clove hitch knots and adding on a new reverse larkshead knot. The main piece of rope will be the lead cord, and all the existing tails are working cords.





#### STEP 4.

The last two pairs of tails will be added on in a row of four clove hitch knots, without a larkshead knot in between. Instead, save the last 2' length of rope for the last step. Just as with the first circle, cross the two tails of the lead cord over each other. Now add the last 2' length of rope using a reverse larkshead knot, wrapping over the cross section of the two tails from the lead cord and tighten them by pulling on the tails of the lead cord. You will now have 20 tails.

#### STEP 5.

Separate all your tails into five groups of four tails each and we will begin the five points of the star. If you want the points to be shorter, cut 5 strands of 12" rope. If you want the points to be longer, cut 10 strands of 12" rope. The two outer tails will be set aside as you work on the two inner tails for now. Hold the two inner tails together and use them as the lead cord as you add on a 12" length as a working cord using the clove hitch knot.

#### STEP 6.

Now use the two outer tails as lead cords, and all the inner tails as working cords, adding on clove hitch knots from one side towards the center, and then down the other side to the center. Connect the two at the top by adding one last clove hitch knot, using one cord as the lead cord and the other as the working cord.



#### STEP 7.

Now move on to the next section of 4 tails and repeat the process. Add on 1-2 lengths of 12" yarn as clove hitch knots to the two inner tails, then use the two outer tails to add on clove hitch knots down each side and connect them in the center. Continue with all 5 sides.



#### STEP 8.

You now have a star with five points! Before you decide what to do with all the tails, turn the macramé star over, grab some tacky craft glue, and dab a bit underneath the outside rows of clove hitch knots. This small bit of glue will help hold the design secure so that you don't have to worry about it unravelling, no matter how short you cut the fringe.



STEP 9.

You can cut your fringe long, medium or short to show off the knotted star in different ways.

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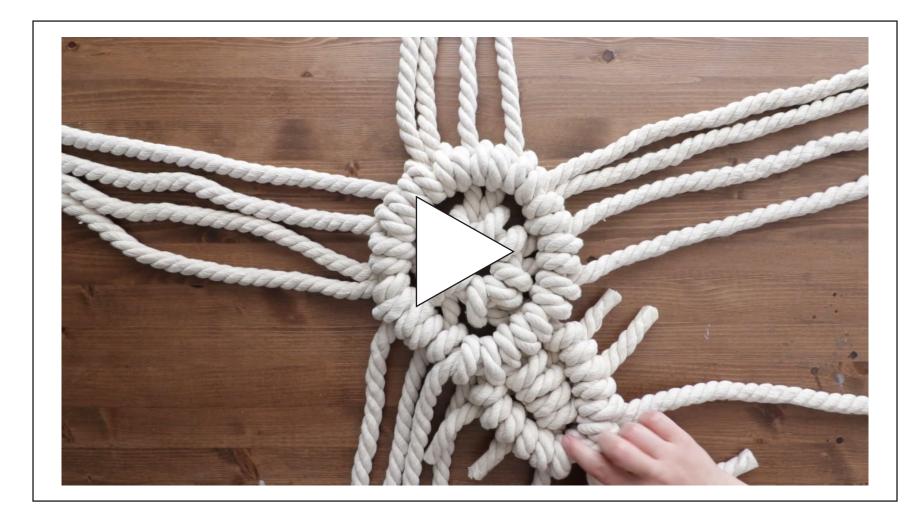
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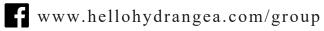


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