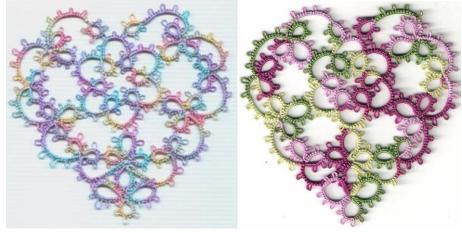
Romantic Heart Birgit's Heart- My Directions

A number of years ago, I found this tatted heart pictured on "Birgit's Tatting" web site. She identified it as "eye candy" and invited us to figure out how to make it from the picture. I have made this heart a number of times and recently written down the instructions. I wrote to Birgit and received permission to share this with others through InTatters. When I learn to draw diagrams, I will share an amended version. **-Beelizabeth**-



Birgit Phelps' Original Picture

<u>Round 1</u> (1 Shuttle and ball wound CTM) R 3-3-3-3-3-3 Ch 3-3-3-3-3-3 * R 3-3+3-3-3 (J to 4th P of previous R) Ch 3-3-3-3-3-3 Repeat from * 3 times. R 3-3+3-3+3-3 (J to 4th P of previous R and 2nd P of 1st R) **Ch 3-3-3-3-3-3 Cut, tie, hide ends. Round 2 (2 shuttles wound CTM) R 3-3-3+3-3-3 (J to 4th P of any Ch on Round 1) Ch 4-4-4-4-4 #R 3-3-3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to 5th P of previous R)3-3-3+(to center P of next Ch)3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to last P previous R)3-3-3-3-3 Ch 4-4-4-4-4 R 3-3-3+(J to center P previous R)3-3-3 R 3-3-3-3-3-3 Ch 4-4-4-4-4 Repeat from #1 time. Ch 4-4-4-4-4 R 3-3-3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to 5th P of previous R)3-3-3+(to center P of next Ch)3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to last P previous R)3-3-3-3-3

My Heart from these Directions

SCMR 4+(J to last P of previous Ch)4-4 SS [R 3-3-3-3+(J to 3rd P of last Ch)3-3-3-3; R3+(J to last P of previous R)3-3-3-3; R 3+(J to last P of previous R)3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3] SS 4-4-4 Close Ch 4+(J to last P of SCMR)4-4+(J to center P previous R)4-4-4 ♦ R 3-3-3+(J to center P previous R)3-3-3 R 3-3-3-3-3-3 Ch 4-4-4-4-4 R 3-3-3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to 5th P of previous R)3-3-3+(to center P of next Ch)3-3-3-3 R 3+(J to last P previous R)3-3-3-3-3 Ch 4-4-4-4-4 Repeat from ◊ 1 time. R 3-3-3+3-3-3 (J to 4^{2nd} P of same Ch as first R of Round 2) Cut, tie, hide ends. **Alternate climb from Round 1 to Round 2 (2 shuttles wound CTM) Split Chain 3-3-3-3/3-3 Split Ring 3-3-3/3-3-3 Ch 4-4-4-4-4 Continue from # to end.