### **Oblong Granny: A Journey Through Time**

The oblong granny square, with its distinctive elongated shape and intricate stitching, has captured the hearts and imaginations of crocheters for generations. This versatile motif has found expression in countless creations, from cozy blankets to stylish garments. Among these masterpieces, one stands apart as an embodiment of creativity and timeless elegance: The Oblong Granny Matinee Coat by Mrs. Crochet Designer.

#### The Matinee Coat: A Cherished Legacy

A matinee coat, once an essential part of a baby's wardrobe, is a lightweight, open-front garment designed for warmth and comfort during special occasions. Traditionally crafted from delicate materials such as lace or silk, these coats often featured intricate embellishments and were passed down through generations as cherished keepsakes.



#### **Oblong Granny Matinee Coat (Mrs Crochet Designer)**

by Laurent Martin

★★★★★ 5 out of 5

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Mrs. Crochet Designer's Oblong Granny Matinee Coat pays homage to this beloved tradition while injecting it with a modern twist. By utilizing the oblong granny square, she has created a garment that is both visually striking and incredibly practical.

#### **Deconstructing the Oblong Granny**

The oblong granny square is a variation of the classic granny square, with a rectangular shape that allows for unique designs and textures. Each square consists of alternating rounds of single and double crochets, forming a mesh-like pattern that creates a breathable and lightweight fabric.

Mrs. Crochet Designer's Oblong Granny Matinee Coat incorporates numerous oblong granny squares, each meticulously joined to form a seamless and cohesive piece. The use of vibrant, high-quality yarn imparts a rich and eye-catching texture to the garment.

#### **A Tapestry of Colors and Textures**

A defining feature of the Oblong Granny Matinee Coat is its vibrant color palette. Mrs. Crochet Designer has skillfully combined shades of blue, green, purple, and yellow to create a harmonious and captivating aesthetic. The squares are arranged in a random yet purposeful manner, resulting in a flowing and dynamic pattern that mimics the colors of a vibrant garden.

The texture of the coat is equally captivating. The alternation of single and double crochets produces a subtle contrast that adds depth and interest to the surface. The delicate meshwork allows for breathability, making the coat ideal for all-season wear.

**Exceptional Craftsmanship: A Labor of Love** 

The Oblong Granny Matinee Coat is a testament to Mrs. Crochet Designer's exceptional craftsmanship and attention to detail. Each square is meticulously crocheted with precision and care, ensuring a flawless finish. The seams are invisible, creating the illusion of a seamless garment.

The coat is trimmed with a delicate border of single crochet stitches, adding a touch of refinement to the overall design. The wide, flowing sleeves provide ample coverage while maintaining the airy and comfortable feel of the coat.

#### A Legacy to Cherish

Mrs. Crochet Designer's Oblong Granny Matinee Coat is not merely a garment; it is a work of art that celebrates the beauty and versatility of the crochet craft. It is a gift that will be treasured by generations to come, evoking memories of childhood and the enduring bonds of family.

Whether used as a cozy wrap for a special occasion or simply enjoyed as a cherished keepsake, this matinee coat embodies the timeless elegance and charm of the oblong granny square. As a testament to Mrs. Crochet Designer's creativity and skill, it will forever hold a special place in the hearts of those who appreciate the art of handmade treasures.



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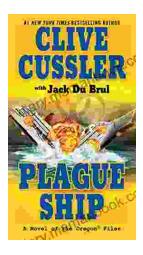
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