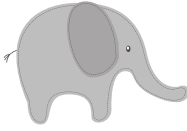
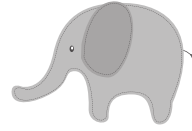


# *Welcome to my Lianaland Knitting Designs.*



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I have been creating knitting patterns for many years for my own benefit and finally decided to write them down for sale.

I occasionally share free patterns on my website and have included some of these within the book for handy keeping. I would say they're suitable for someone with intermediate skill, although a beginner may be able to do just as well with a little more time and patience.

Have fun creating these collectable characters for your family and friends.

You can find my creations online under the name Liana Marcel which was my business name for a number of years.

I am now an author by the name L.T.Marshall.

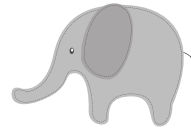
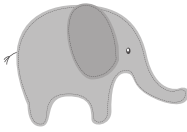
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## Safety guidelines

The items in these patterns are not suitable for babies and very young children due to possible choking hazards.

## Knitting yarns

Double knitting in various colours, as stated in the instructions.

## Abbreviations

P - Purl. P1 - Purl one. Pwise - Purl Wise.

K - Knit. K1 - Knit one. Kwise - Knit Wise

Sts - stitches,

K2 tog - Knit 2 Together. P2 tog - Purl 2 Together.

Inc 1 - Increase 1 stitch. Y.Fwd - Yarn forward around needle.

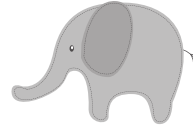
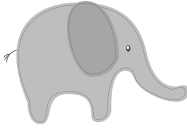
St-st - Stocking Stitch (start with K row unless otherwise stated). G-st - Garter stitch,

B+T tightly - Break off yarn leaving a long end and thread it through stitches left on knitting needle, pull together tightly then fasten off.

## Additional instructions

For some of the detailing you will need to be able to make a chain stitch.

# *Nellaphant*



## For This Project - You need.

### **Knitting yarns.**

100g grey or colour of your choice  
White for tusks and details

### **Additional materials.**

Black embroidery thread  
Pink sharpie marker  
Toy Stuffing – medium bag.

### **Tools.**

No.10 needles.  
Wool needle.  
Sewing needle.  
Scissors.

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## Body & Head

Cast on 10 sts

- KW Incl into every stitch.
- PW Incl into every st (40sts).
- (K1, Incl) to end (60sts).
- Starting with a P row St st 11 rows.
- (K4, K2tog) to end (50sts).
- P1 row.
- (K3, K2tog) to last st (40sts).
- P2 tog, P to last 2, P2tog (38sts).
- St st 4 rows.
- Next row -\*\*\*K2tog, K to last 2 sts , K2tog (36sts).
- P1 row\*\*.
- Repeat from \*\*\* to \*\* until 30 Sts remain, ending with a P row.
- Increase for the head as follows.
- K5, (Inc 1, K1) to last 5 Sts, K5 (40sts).
- P1 row (40 Sts).
- Repeat last 2 rows once more (55Sts).
- St st 18 rows.
- Next row - (K3, K2tog) to end (44sts).
- P1 row.
- Next row - (K2, K2tog) to end (33sts).
- P1 row.
- Next row - (K1, K2tog) to end (22sts).
- P2 tog to end (11sts).
- B+T tightly.



## To make up

Sew from top of the head, down to where the neck is and stuff. Draw a little wool through the increase for head row and pull tight for neck (using an in and out stitch around the neck and pulling a little tighter to draw in). Sew down body and stuff as you go until you close body completely.

Embroider the eyes on with black wool.

You can use safety eyes if preferred (7mm are recommended but the choice is yours, you can use bigger, however, I would not recommend smaller than 7mm). These will need to be positioned and fastened before stuffing the head and pulling in the neck.

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## Legs (make 2 as legs, and 2 as arms)

Start at sole of foot/arm - Cast on 8 Sts

- Inc K wise into every stitch (16sts).
- K1 row.
- (K1, incl) to last 2 sts, K2 (23sts).
- K1 row.
- (K3, incl) to last 3 sts, K3 (28sts).
- K1 row.

Continue for leg

- Start with K row, St st 4 rows.
- Next row - K11, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K11 (26sts).
- P1 row.
- Next row - K10, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K10 (24sts).
- P1 row.
- Next row - K9, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K9 (22sts).
- P1 row.
- Next row - K8, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K9 (20sts).
- P1 row.
- St st 20 rows (for arms this will be 10 rows).
- (K2tog) to end.
- B+T tightly.



## To make up

Sew from B+T down bottom of the leg (do not sew sole of foot at this stage).

Turn leg right side out and stuff.

Continue sewing the sole of the foot to cast on edge. Using an in and out stitch gather the cast on stitches and pull tight to close. This should create a flat sole. Pass the needle through the middle of the sole up through the stuffing in the leg and out at the top. Pull slightly to make a small indent in the sole. Fasten securely.

Using white wool, embroider 3 toes on each foot/arm.

Do not sew to body yet (see assembly instructions at the end).

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## Trunk

Cast on 24 sts

- St st 2 rows.
- (K2, K2tog) to end (18sts).
- P1 row.
- (K2, K2 tog) to last 2 sts, K2 (14sts).
- P1 row.
- St st 26 rows.
- (K2tog) to end (7 sts).
- B+T tightly

## To make up

Sew from B+T end to cast on edge to make a tube. Turn right side out. Before stuffing, push the closed end inwards into the trunk to make a little indent. Use a couple of stitches to keep in place, Stuff and attach to elephant's face.

## Ears (make 2 )

Cast on 10sts

- KW inc 1 in every st (20sts)
- P1 row.
- KW inc 1 in every st (40sts).
- P1 row.
- St st 30 rows.
- (K2tog) to end.
- P1 row.
- (K2tog) to end.
- Cast off Pwise.



## To make up.

Fold the ear in half (wrong sides together) matching cast off and cast on edges together. Sew around all seams leaving a small gap. Turn ear right side out through this gap then sew gap closed. Attaching ears to side of elephant's head.

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## Tusks (make 2)

Using white yarn Cast on 9 sts

- St st 4 rows.
- (K1, K2 tog) to end (6sts)
- St st 5 rows.
- (k2 tog) to end (3sts).
- B+T tightly.

## To make up.

Sew the sides of the tusks from tip to base. Stuff lightly (optional).  
Sew to the elephant's face.



## Tail.

Cut 6 strands of grey yarn of approx 20cm each.

Fold in half and secure together in the middle with another strand of yarn (you should now have 12 strands).

Split strands into 3 (4 strands in each) and plait together until approx 4cm from the end. Tie a knot to secure the plait. Fray the ends that are not plaited by separating them with a blunt needle to make the tail end 'fluffy'. Sew to the back of the elephant's bum.

## Assembly of legs and arms.

The legs/arms can be sewn on the elephant in a standing or sitting position, the choice is yours.

If you decide on a standing elephant use the shorter legs as the arms.

If you decide on a sitting position it is recommended to use the longer legs as the arms and position them at the front of the elephant's chest with the shorter legs splayed out to the side. This is obviously a personal choice and you may assemble the limbs to your personal preference.

I hope you enjoyed making Nella.