NOLA’S KNITTED SLIPPERS

MATERIALS
Approx. 500 yds. worsted weight yarn
US size 9 circular needles
(or size needed for gauge)

GAUGE
3 sts=1 in. in garter stitch
with the yarn held double

CUFF
With yarn doubled, cast on 39 stitches.
Row 1 (RS): *K1, P1. Repeat from * to last st., K1.
Row 2 (WS): *P1, K1. Repeat from * to last st. P1.
Continue in rib pattern for 6.25 inches. (approx. 28 rows)

TONGUE (worked on center 13 stitches, leave remaining stitches on needles)
Row 1: (RS) With right side facing you K 26 sts, turn.
Row 2: (WS) K 13, turn.
Row 3 (RS) K13 turn
Continue in this manner until you have 17 ridges (you will have completed 34 rows).

SHAPE TOE
Row 1: With right side facing you, K2tog, k 9, K2tog
Row 2: (WS) K all st.
Row 3: (RS) K2tog, k 7, K2tog
Row 4: (WS) K all st,
Row 5: (RS) K2tog, K5, K2tog.
Do not turn work.
FOOT
Row 1 (RS): Pick up and knit 19 stitches along the left side of the tongue, K 13 stitches from the cuff.
Row 2 (WS): K all st (39) pick up 19 st on the right side of the tongue, K 13 stitches from the cuff. (71 stitches total)
All rows: K all stitches until you have 5 ridges (10 rows)

SOLE
Row 2: (WS) K all sts. (66)
Row 3: (RS) K2tog, K 26, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K26, K2tog.
Row 4: (WS) K all sts. (61)
Row 5: (RS) K2tog K 24, K2tog, K1, K2tog, K1, K2tog, K25, K2tog.
Row 6: (WS) K all sts. (56)
Row 7: (RS) K2tog, K22, K2tog, K2tog, K2, K2tog, K24, K2tog
Row 8: (WS) K all sts. (51)
There are now 9 ridges on foot & sole. With RS facing, K 26. Cut yarn, leaving 24” to seam. Sew the foot, heel and cuff. Weave in ends. Don’t forget the second one!