

Mother's Treasures Necklace

Project N1006

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This lovely necklace in an antique silver finish features personalized stamped disks with the names and birthstones of a mother's children. It would make a beautiful, heartfelt gift for any mother.



What You'll Need

Antiqued Silver Plated Round Rolo Chain 3mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-9967
Project uses 2 feet

Antiqued Silver Plated Sleek Lobster Claw Clasps 12mm (6)

SKU: FCL-2527
Project uses 1 piece

Antiqued Silver Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 21 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-3092
Project uses 2 pieces

Antiqued Silver Plated Open Jump Rings 6mm 20 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-3094
Project uses 3 pieces

Antiqued Silver Plated Blank Stamping Circle Pendants 19mm (2)

SKU: PND-5850
Project uses 3 pieces

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS Flatback Crystal Rhinestones #2028 Xilion Rose SS34 White Opal (12)

SKU: SWF-13421
Project uses unit_type=piece optionsid=64944

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS Crystal Flatback Rhinestones #2058 SS34 Emerald (12)

SKU: SWF-43449
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SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS Flatback Crystal Rhinestones #2028 Xilion Rose SS34 Amethyst (12)

SKU: SWF-13497
Project uses unit_type=piece optionsid=64944

E6000 Industrial Strength Glue Adhesive (0.18 fl oz)

SKU: XTL-1054
Project uses 1 piece

Specialized Tools

Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose

SKU: XTL-5511

Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex

SKU: XTL-5600

Eurotool Brass Mallet For Metal Smithing - 1 Pound

SKU: XTL-0248

Eurotool Dual Utility Bench Block 3 x 3 Inches - Steel Anvil With Wood Base

SKU: XTL-0264

27 Pc Uppercase Lucida Calligraphy Alphabet Letter Punch Set For Stamping Metal In Wood Box 3mm

SKU: XTL-0717

27 Pc Lowercase Lucida Calligraphy Alphabet Letter Punch Set For Stamping Metal In Wood Box 3mm

SKU: XTL-0716

Instructions:

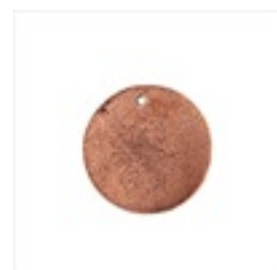
Be sure to customize the number of blanks, names, and rhinestone colors to the children of the mother that you are making your necklace for.

1. Before you begin, watch the video: How to Make a Name Stamped Mother's Necklace. Follow the instructions in the beginning of the video through the stamping and filling in of the letters. Once the video moves on to dapping, you do not need to finish watching for the purposes of this project.
2. Using the technique demonstrated in the video, stamp the names of the children onto 19 mm antique silver plated round stamping blank. Then, use a black permanent marker to fill in the letters as shown in the video.
3. Next, you will need to affix a size 34ss Swarovski crystal flatback rhinestone onto each blank. Apply a small amount of E6000 glue to the back of the first rhinestone using a toothpick or scrap of craft wire. Press the rhinestone onto the center of the blank for the correct name. Repeat with the rest of the rhinestones and blanks. Allow the glue to dry for at least an hour before moving on.
4. Use a pair of flush cutters to cut an 18" length of antique silver plated 3.5 mm round rolo chain.
5. Use an antique silver plated 6 mm, 20 gauge jump ring to hang one of the name tags onto the chain. Repeat this process to hang the rest of the name tags onto the chain.
6. Use an antique silver plated 4 mm, 21 gauge jump ring to attach a 12 mm antique silver plated lobster clasp to one end of your chain.
7. Attach another 4 mm jump ring to the other end of your chain.
8. Allow the glue to dry for at least 24 hours before wearing.

Variations

Use stamping blanks and chain in different finishes with a different lettering style of metal punches to achieve a customized look.

When substituting in items, pay attention to sizes and styles to make sure all your pieces will fit together.



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