

# Glad Tidings Bracelet

## Project B8063

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Well wishes are stamped on this holiday-inspired cuff using metal punches by Beadsmith and ImpressArt. Swarovski Crystal rhinestones add festive bling to the bracelet, complementing Vintaj Emerald Green patina accents.

## What You'll Need

BeadSmith Bracelet Stamping Strip, For Altered Jewelry 1x6 Inches, 1 Piece, Brass

SKU: PND-0471

Project uses 1 piece



Swarovski Crystal, Round Flatback Rhinestone SS20 4.6mm, 50 Pieces, Scarlet

SKU: SWF-420580

Project uses 8 pieces



Vintaj Patina Opaque Permanent Ink - Emerald Green - 0.5 Ounce Bottle

SKU: XTL-9083

Project uses 1 bottle



E6000 Industrial Strength Glue Adhesive (0.18 fl oz)

SKU: XTL-1054

Project uses 1 tube



### Recommended Tools:

[XTL-8261] ImpressArt Bracelet Bending Bar Kit, Bar and 7 (5/8) Blank Strips, Bends Strips up

to 1.5 Inch Wide, [XTL-0759] Beadsmith 27 Piece Lowercase Stylish Italic Alphabet Letters

A-Z Punch Set For Metal 3mm, [XTL-8216] ImpressArt Metal Punch Stamp, Sun Flower 6mm

(1/4 Inch), 1 Piece, Steel, [XTL-0199] Impress Art Stamp Straight Tape - For Metal Punches -

Lines Up Letters Perfectly, [XTL-0250] Eurotool Bench Block Helper - Rubber Base With

Interchangeable Steel And Nylon Blocks, [XTL-2157] BeadSmith Ergo Hammer, Brass with

Flat and Domed Faces, 1 Pound



## Instructions

You will need paper towels and a toothpick to complete this project.

1. Please watch the video: How to Make a Metal Stamped Cuff Bracelet. Using what you have learned in the video, center your letters and punch "glad tidings" at the center of your metal bracelet cuff, with a sun symbol appearing between the two words (see photo for reference). Also use the sun symbol punch to embellish the sides of the cuff as you choose.

2. To color the impressions of your cuff: Please watch this video on how to add vintaj patina to metal stamping. Using the technique shown in the video, apply the desired amount of Emerald Green patina to your cuff and remove the excess with a paper towel.

3. To form your cuff, take the bracelet bending pliers and use the technique shown in the video in step one to bend the cuff to your desired size and shape.

4. To attach your rhinestones: Using a toothpick, apply a small amount of E6000 glue to the cuff where you want to position your crystal. Set the rhinestone firmly into the glue. Repeat this step to add your desired number of rhinestones in the placement of your choice. Allow glue to dry for at least one hour.

5. Enjoy your bracelet!