

## **Celtic Winter Ornament**

Project C644 [Skill Level: Advanced]

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This elegant deep red ornament is encrusted with crystals and filigree, giving it a luxurious and rich look. The crystals catch the light and sparkle brilliantly and the filigrees appear to have an old world celtic design.



## What You'll Need

Silk Fabric Flat Silky Ribbon 2cm Ivory White 42 Inch Strand (1)

SKU: XCR-48000 Project uses 42 inches

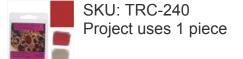
Antiqued Silver Plated Filigree Stamping - Ornate Square Flower 46mm (1)

SKU: PND-5415
Project uses 1 piece

Antiqued Silver Plated Filigree Stamping Angel or Orchid 38mm

SKU: PND-5416 Project uses 2 pieces

Crystal Clay 2-Part Epoxy Clay Kit 'Primary Red' 25 Grams



Beadelle Collection Crystal Splash Assorted Clear Crystal Mix (1 oz)



SKU: BDLL-9998 Project uses 1 packet

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS 1088 Xirius Round Stone Crystal Chatons pp14/2.05mm Siam (40)



SKU: SWCH-51486 Project uses 40 pieces

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS 1028 Xilion Round Stone Crystal Chatons pp24/3.1mm Siam (36)



SKU: SWCH-12486 Project uses 26 pieces

SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS Crystal Flatback Rhinestones 2058 Enhanced SS12 Siam (50)



SKU: SWF-41288 Project uses 50 pieces

E6000 Industrial Strength Glue Adhesive (0.18 fl oz)



SKU: XTL-1054 Project uses 1 piece

## **Specialized Tools**

Beadsmith Magical Rhinestone Pick Up Tool With Cleaning Kit - Great For Placing Flatback Rhinestones



SKU: XTL-4004

## **Instructions:**

You will need to supply your own ornament for this project. The ornament pictured is 3" in diameter and shatter proof (plastic not glass). This project takes several hours to complete, please allow yourself enough time.

- 1. The entire making of this ornament is shown in the video tutorial How to Embellish an Ornament with Crystal Clay, Filigree, and Chatons. Please watch this video and refer to the photos to make the ornament.
- 2. A couple tips:
  - o Only mix up the amount of clay needed for each section at a time. Do not mix up your entire batch of clay all at once.
  - Take into consideration how the ornament will hang when finished. The loop cap at the top of the ornament will not be able
    to be twisted or moved once clay has been put around it, so you want it and your decoration facing the same direction.
  - Refer to the photos often for the placement of filigrees, clay, and rhinestones. Also, just work on one section at a time, you will find it easier complete if you just focus on one area, finish it, and then go to the next section.
  - Once your ornament has fully cured overnight, thread your silk ribbon through the loop at the top and tie in a bow.
- 3. Have fun and happy holidays!!

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