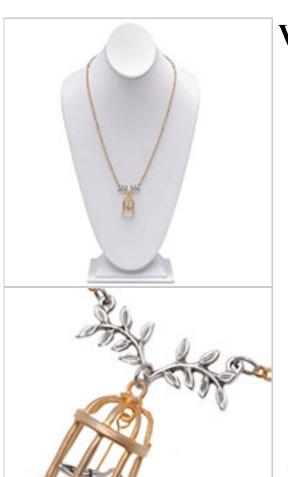


The Gilded Cage Necklace

Project N203

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This necklace showcases a sweet little matte gold cage containing a small silver bird.



What You'll Need

Matte Gold Plated Round Rolo Chain 3.7mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-9952
Project uses 2 feet

Fine Silver Plated Pewter Scalloped Bead Caps 3.5mm (12)

SKU: BMB-3287 Project uses 12 pieces

Nunn Design Antiqued Silver Plated Pewter Fern Connector Bar 33mm (1)

SKU: FCO-3471
Project uses 1 piece

Fine Silver Plated Pewter Dia De Los Muertos Paloma Bird Beads 15mm (2)

SKU: BMB-3894 Project uses 1 piece

22K Gold Plated Head Pins - 24 Gauge/1.5 Inches (X50)

SKU: FHP-5216 Project uses 1 piece

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

SKU: FJR-3094 Project uses 3 pieces

Czech Cathedral 4x6mm Oval Glass Beads - Crystal / Topaz Diffusion Ends (25)

SKU: BCP-6301 Project uses 6 pieces

Matte 16KT Gold Plated Bird Cage Pendant With Loop 31mm (1)

SKU: PND-0505 Project uses 1 piece

Artistic Craft Wire Gold Color Brass Notarnish 20 Gauge 6 Yards

SKU: WCR-2033 Project uses 18 inches

Instructions:

- 1. Cut your chain into seven pieces which are three inches long each. Set these aside. Now cut six three inch long pieces of 20 gauge gold craft wire.
- 2. Create the beginning of a wrapped wire loop on one end of a three-inch segment of wire. Thread the loop through the last link at one end of one of the chain segments. Finish wrapping the loop and thread onto the wire a Czech glass cathedral bead sandwiched between two scalloped bead caps.
- 3. At the opposite end of this piece of wire, begin another wrapped wire loop. Thread this loop through one end of a second segment of chain before completing the wrapping. Continue creating wire and bead links just like the first to connect the other pieces of chain, stopping when you have each chain segment joined with each end empty and not attached to anything else.
- 4. Use two jump rings to connect each end of the chain to the two loops of the leafy silver plated central connector piece.
- 5. Thread the bird charm onto a headpin and create a simple loop on the headpin that is about half an inch away from the bird.
- 6. Open the loop at the top of this headpin and thread it through the loop hanging down inside the birdcage. Close the loop again.
- 7. Use a third jump ring to attach the loop at the top of the bird cage to the center point in the leafy connector piece.

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