


Make A Wish Necklace


Project N688
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A pretty fairy with her star wand graces the front of the Green Girl Studios bead used as the focal point of this necklace. The open-back bezel allows for light to shine through, highlighting the berry colored beads surrounding the fairy, and also letting us see the word "wish" on the backside.





What You'll Need


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Nunn Design Antiqued Copper Plated Open Bezel Pendant Link 30mm - 1
SKU: FCO-3497
Project uses 1 piece
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Antiqued Copper Plated Cable Chain 3.4mm Bulk By The Foot
SKU: CHA-9672
Project uses 2 feet
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ICE Resin Jewelers Grade Clear Casting Epoxy 1 oz Kit
SKU: TRC-12
Project uses 1 package
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Green Girl Studios Pewter Oval Wish Fairy Focal Bead 21.5mm (1)
SKU: BMB-9211
Project uses 1 piece
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Nunn Design Copper Plated Pewter Round Toggle Clasp Ring 11mm (1)
SKU: FCL-7511
Project uses 1 piece
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Nunn Design Antiqued Copper Plated Fern Toggle Clasp Bar 20mm
SKU: FCL-7216
Project uses 1 piece
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Czech Seed Beads 11/0 Mix Very Very Berry Purple Red
SKU: BCS-1892
Project uses 1 hank
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Antiqued Copper Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 21 Gauge (50)
SKU: FJR-3086
Project uses 4 pieces
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SKU:
Project uses

Specialized Tools

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Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose
SKU: XTL-5511
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Jeweller's Micro-Flame Butane Torch Self Igniting Refillable 6 Inch
SKU: XTL-0300

Instructions:

- To see how to make the focal pendant for this necklace, please watch the video on How to Fill an Open-Back Bezel with Resin. If you are not familiar with how to use Ice Resin in general, you can view the video: How to Use Ice Resin.
- Make the focal pendant according to the instructions in the video, paying close attention to the orientation of the bezel and the Green Girl Studios focal bead when you pour your second layer of resin (see photo). You will need to do two resin pours for this necklace, I recommend having several other projects handy so that you can mix 1oz of resin for each pour (and use the leftover for your other projects).
- After your focal pendant is completely cured, cut your 2 feet of chain into two 12" sections.
- Open a jump ring and link it to one of the side rings on the pendant. Close the jump ring. On the other side of the chain, open another jump ring and link it to the Nunn Design round toggle clasp. Close the jump ring.
- Repeat the previous step but this time attach the Nunn Design fern toggle clasp bar to the end.
- Enjoy your pretty new necklace!

Variations

Try making this necklace with a variety of different beads and settings.

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



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