

Craftsman Birds Necklace

Project N698 [Skill Level: Beginner]

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The Craftsman style Clay River glazed porcelain focal pendant on this necklace is so striking that very little else is needed to complete the design. A simple olive green faux leather suede cord brings out the green border of the pendant and keeps the focus squarely on the bird design.



What You'll Need

Clay River Designs Glazed Porcelain Pendant Square Green W/ Dual Birds
45mm (1)



SKU: BWC-2091
Project uses 1 piece

Beadsmith Olive Green Faux Leather Suede Beading Cord 9Ft (3 Yd) Spool



SKU: XCR-43114
Project uses 16 inches

Antiqued Brass Foldover 3mm Cord Ends For Ribbon



SKU: FCR-1445
Project uses 2 pieces

Antiqued Brass Open Jump Rings 4mm 22 Gauge (x100)



SKU: FJR-5450
Project uses 6 pieces

Antiqued Brass Curved Lobster Clasps 9.5mm (10)



SKU: FCL-4710
Project uses 1 clasp



Specialized Tools

Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose



SKU: XTL-5511

Fiskars 5 Precision Tip Scissors - Super Sharp



SKU: XTL-5700

Instructions:

1. Begin by cutting a 16" length of the faux leather suede olive cord.
2. Thread one end of the cord through the pendant bail.
3. Attach a 3mm antique brass foldover crimp to each end of the cord.
4. On one of the crimp ends, open and link a jump ring as well as a lobster clasp. Close the jump ring.
5. Form a small chain by opening and linking together 5 jump rings. On the fifth one, link this to the loop on the cord end attached to the side of your necklace that does not have the clasp.
6. All done!

To make this necklace longer, you can either cut a longer length of cord or make a longer chain of jump rings.

Variations

Choose a different Clay River pendant for a variation on this design.

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



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