



Monogram Treasure

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Recycle and repurpose a glass bottle into a unique, textured, one of a kind project! Combine with Colors for Earth glass paints for instant personalization.

MATERIALS

GM3008 Glass Medium
GS503 Gold Sparkle 1 oz.
GS504 Silver Sparkle 1 oz.
SM-9152 Herringbone Bottle Sagger
SP-SARALRED Saral Transfer Paper
ST-205 Boron Nitride Spray II

SUPPLIES

Assorted Paintbrushes
Detail Brush
Empty Wine Bottle
Paint Pots (2)
Pen
Printed Monogram Design
Rubbing Alcohol
Scissors
Water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Prime the Herringbone Bottle Sagger mold with Boron Nitride Spray prior to use.
 2. Remove any stickers and clean off any residue from the glass bottle using rubbing alcohol prior to fusing.
 3. Position glass bottle into the mold and full fuse using the 6-segment firing schedule.
 4. **Post-firing:** Print or sketch a monogram design of your choosing, and cut out a piece of Saral Transfer Paper of similar size. Ensure that the design fits within the fused bottle shape. Position the Saral paper - red side facing down - onto the fused bottle surface with the monogram design on top. Trace over design with a pen, then remove template and transfer paper to reveal your traced design!
 5. Use a pallet knife to load a paint pot with a small amount of Gold Sparkle. Repeat in another paint pot with Silver Sparkle.
 6. Mix in a small amount of Glass Medium into the paint pots until you achieve a thin peanut butter consistency. Start with a few drops of Glass Medium and add a little bit at a time as needed.
 7. Use a detail brush and Silver Sparkle to fill in and trace over the monogram design. To apply the glass paint, use the paintbrush to drop the paint onto the glass surface, then pull the paint along the desired outline. Maintain a thick consistency as you apply the paint. Let dry.
- TIP: Make a mistake? No worries! Simply allow the paint to fully dry, then use a pointed object, like a toothpick or paintbrush handle, to scratch away excess paint.
8. Once design is dry, add accent shadows and swirls to the monogram design using Gold Sparkle.
 9. Allow project to dry completely, then re-fuse the bottle in the Herringbone Bottle Sagger mold using the 5-segment contour firing schedule.