

Oh, Christmas Tree

Design courtesy of Slumpy's

This project is tree-mendous! Accentuate your holiday decor with this draped Christmas-themed scone design.

MATERIALS

Assorted Glass Noodles
Assorted Glass Stringers
BC-200 Buffalo Chips White Opalescent
CF-200-C Carolina Frit White Opalescent - Coarse
GBS-6-W17 Garden Green Transparent Sheet Glass - 6 In Sq.
GBS-10-100-ICE Ice Clear Sheet Glass - 10 In. Sq.
OC1-111 Dark Amber Odd Cuts
OC1-125 Dark Green Transparent Odd Cuts
PT-540 PAPYROS Kiln Shelf Paper
RS-ASST-96 Mardi Gras Rod Snippets - Pack
SP-8234 Glas Tac
SS-783 Large Slump Hump
ST-205 Boron Nitride Spray II
ST-340 Tarheel Tools Running Pliers
ST-352 Tarheel Pistol Grip Glass Cutter
ST-356 Tarheel Tools Wheeled Mosaic Cutter

SUPPLIES

Black Sharpie Marker
Nipping Basket
Non-Aerosol Hairspray
Ruler
Toothpick

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Using a ruler, a Tarheel Pistol Grip Glass Cutter, and Tarheel Tools Running Pliers to measure, score, and break the 10" square base into an 10" x 8" piece.
2. Using the Garden Green Transparent sheet glass and Dark Green Odd Cuts, sketch, measure, and cut out 3 tree triangle shapes of varied sizes. Arrange in the center of your glass base, then secure in place using pinpoints of Glas Tac adhesive.
3. Using the Dark Amber Odd Cuts, use a Wheeled Mosaic Cutter or cutting tools to create the tree trunk for each triangle-shaped tree. Position in place and secure, making sure to leave a 1/2" - 1" gap from the trunk to the bottom edge of the project base.
4. Fill in and overlap the bottom edge of the project base using smaller, nipped pieces of the Dark Amber Odd Cuts. Secure in place.



INSTRUCTIONS (continued)

5. Accent the center tree with nipped glass Mardi Gras Rod Snippets. Use a Wheeled Mosaic Cutter and your choice of glass rod colors to nip the rod snippets into smaller 1/4" - 1/2" tall pieces. Secure in place to the center tree as desired using Glas Tac.
6. Accent the two remaining trees using your choice of glass Stringers and Noodles. Secure in place.
7. Overlay the Dark Amber bottom edge with scattered White Opalescent Buffalo Chips to create the illusion of snow.
8. To create a greater illusion of snow, sprinkle White Opalescent Coarse Frit across the project, concentrating the most frit in the background area of the project. To secure frit in place, lightly spritz project with non-aerosol hairspray.
9. Position project in your kiln atop a sheet of Kiln Shelf Paper. Tack fuse project using the 6-segment firing schedule.
10. Prime the Large Slump Hump drape mold with 3 sprayed coats of Boron Nitride II. Let dry.
11. Center-position fired project over the Large Slump Hump drape mold. Drape project using the 6-segment firing schedule.