

Jewelry Beads and Findings

Mother's Day Photo Cube Necklace



Materials:

[Wood Turning Shapes Block 1" 4/Pkg](#)

[Screw Eyes Gold 20/Pkg](#)

[Diamond Glaze 2 Ounces](#)

[Mod Podge 4oz Matte](#)

Instructions:



Step 1:

You need to get your images 1" x 1" to fit on the 1" x 1" wood block. You can use a photo editing software, a copy machine, or just cut 1" x 1" squares out of your photos.

Step 2:

Screw the screw eye into the wood block, then remove it. You can drill a hole into the wood block to make this easier, use a drill bit that is much smaller in diameter than the diameter of the screw eye. Then remove the screw eye.

Step 3:

Modge Podge your images onto the wood block. Let that dry. Put the screw eye back into your block through your image. (Note: You may want to be careful which image you pick for the side the screw eye goes into as you may not want to put the screw eye through someones face. To avoid this, pick an image of two people where you could put the screw eye between them or pick an image that is off center where there is some empty space for the screw.)

Step 4:

This part is going to take the longest. You will need to "Diamond Glaze" each side of your cube one at a time. You must let each side dry overnight, before you turn the cube

to "Diamond Glaze" the next side. To "Diamond Glaze" the cube you just apply the "Diamond Glaze" very carefully covering the entire image without letting the glaze drip over the sides. Do this on a flat surface and somewhere where it can sit overnight without being disturbed.

Step 5:

Place your finished cube onto a necklace of your choice. In the example, the photocube was placed on a braided black cord interspersed with cobalt blue marbles glued to bell caps.