



Hidden Clasp Bracelet

Supplies:

10 Disk Beads

4 Hill Tribe Copper Flower Bead Caps (two of the same style for the clasp)

1 Hill Tribe Leaf Charm

36-42 6mm glass beads

Magnetic barrel clasp

6' Irish waxed linen

Directions

1. Cut linen cord into three 2" lengths. String all three lengths through the end of the magnetic clasp. Tie a double knot with all three cords to secure the clasp. String on the flower bead cap. Tie all three cords into a knot at the end of the bead cap.

2. On the first cord string 12-14 beads, knotting between each one. (You can use a knotting tool, but I just use my fingers and make sure each knot is secure.) Repeat on the other outside cord. On the middle cord tie two knots before stringing a bead. String 11-13 beads on this strand, knotting between each one. Tie two knots at the end.

3. Tie all three cords into a knot, repeat. Cut one cord and two bead caps onto the two cords. Tie a knot with both cords.
4. String on the disk beads beads, knitting with both cords together between each bead. Repeat with all 10 beads. Tie a knot after the last bead, string on the leaf charm, copper bead cap. On one cord string a glass bead.
5. String both cords through the end of the clasp and back through the flower bead cap. Finesse the bead and clasp into the bead cap by pulling on the ends of the cord, go slow and make sure the bead and clasp are tightly in the bead cap. Tie a knot at the bottom of the bead cap. Wrap the ends of the cord across each other and tie again, repeat and pull tightly. Trim the ends.

Note:

This bracelet runs small fitting a 7" wrist. To make a larger size add more glass beads or a ceramic rondelle or nugget in-between the disk beads and copper bead caps in the center.

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Resources:

Summer Forest Disk Beads, Humblebeads

Flower bead caps were found at Bead & Button from the Bead Goes On. You can try any bead caps, B'Sue Boutiques has a wonderful selection of flower bead caps in different metals.