

STYLING TIPS FOR CREATING YOUR VERY OWN GORGEOUS CHRISTMAS CENTERPIECE

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Choose a lovely selection of beautiful blooms and greenery from your favorite florist. You'll want a variety... small delicate blooms to larger focal flowers and a variety of textures and greenery... to create interest!!

You will need a container, chicken wire & a sharp knife.

Place your chicken wire into your container. Add water.

You will want to cut your flowers at a sharp 45° angle before placing stems into water.

Before you begin arranging, please trim any foliage and thorns from your stems that would fall below the waterline.

You will begin by placing your multiple varieties of greenery into your container, use your creativity... filling out your container, crisscrossing your stems. Think of placement, length & balance. You are building the base for your gorgeous flowers!

Place Magnolia pieces at each end of your container- on an angle.

Pop in your Myrtle and Boxwood through the center and front.

Add Cedar and Fir to the ends of the container- create length. Add throughout- covering up your chicken wire.

Once you have your lovely base of greenery you can start adding in your beautiful blooms!

When placing your pretty flowers throughout your container, amongst the greenery, think of placement and consider visual balance. Floral Design is an art, and in art there are no mistakes... Relax and have fun, enjoy mother nature in your hands!

Place your Dendro at each end of your container- ensure stems are deep down into the container.

Lisianthus, have fun placing these lovely stems throughout.

Place your Green Trick, center front, middle and back- space them out from each other.

Add in your gorgeous Quicksand Roses, you will want them spaced out, balanced with your Lisianthus. These are your focal flower.

For finishing details, add in your Eucalyptus and Pampas Grass creating interest by popping these throughout!