Valentine’s Day Centerpiece Supplies

1. Two 1ft by 1ft squares of chicken wire. This will be the heart base.

2. Old newspaper to stuff your heart

3. Colored spool wire. Your choice of color

4. Colored Bullion Wire. Your choice of color

5. 1/3 brick of wet Oasis

6. A sandwich bag or plastic from your bouquet. This will hold the oasis and keep water in.

7. Wire cutters to cut chicken wire

8. Floral cutters to cut flowers

9. Two and a half sq ft of sheet moss to cover your heart

10. Hot glue gun or oasis floral glue (cold glue) Either one

11. Evergreens, heather, limonium, etc. You are looking for any of these items and enough to cover your heart. It goes over the moss. Look for anything fluffy that dries well. If need be, just double up on the sheet moss.

12. A 10 dollar mixed bouquet from the grocery store. Look for bouquets with a mix of roses, carnations/mums, berries, filler, greens. Wanna get fancy? Buy an orchid at the Big Box stores and I will show you how to incorporate the flowers cut from the plant.

13. This is a great time to use up any doo-dads like dried flowers, pods, etc.

14. About 6 midollino sticks or 1 roll aluminum wire or 5-6 thin, birch branches (must be thin and pliable!)

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