Art Glass Supplies Create Inspire Fuse

Mold: LF257 Wreath Ornament

Frit: COE96

- <u>F1 Powder Frits</u>: - <u>F3 Medium Frit</u>:

- Clear

- Valcox Heavy

White #0 Grind

- Other:

- Flame Opal

- Black Opal

- Orange Opal

- <u>F2 Fine Frits</u>:

Flame OpalApple Jade Opal

- Light Green Transparent

Non-Glass Materials:

- Metallic Gold Paint Pen

- String or Cord

Placement Order:

Bird Tail and Crest: F1 Black Bird
Beak: F1 Orange Opal Berries: F1
Flame Opal Bird Body: F2 Flame
Opal Bow: F2 Apple Jade Opal
Snow Flocking: Valcox Heavy White
Wreath: F2 Light Green Transparent

Instructions:

Fill the ornament with color frit in the order det

the icicles are clear of any color before filling them and the remainder of the ornament with F3 Clear until full. If using fill weights, this is about 125 grams of frit.

Transfer to a level shelf in the kiln and fire to a **Full Fuse**. Once cool, carefully remove the glass from the mold and add the eye and details to the bird with Gold Paint Pen. Then string up and display!

Tips and References:

General Information for Molds with Posts:

- When preparing the mold with glass separator, make sure to cover every angle, especially if using a spray-on product
- If using a liquid separator such as kiln wash, make sure to give it ample time to dry before adding any frit or other glass
- If using frit, make sure the top of the post is uncovered before firing by brushing away excess glass
- When de-molding, wait until the mold is completely cool, then invert over a soft surface and gently thump it on the back if necessary
- · Never try to pry the glass loose, as this may cause the post to break
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