MORNING GLORY BEADS

IN ADDITION TO THE KIT, YOU WILL NEED

- 1. a paper plate or something with a lip on the sides so that your beads don't roll away
- 2. a pair of pliers that will cut wire (pictured below)
- 3. any pair of pliers that are flattened on the inside (pictured below)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Open your kit over your paper plate. These are all of the items inside:



2. String on two clear spacer beads and one Our Lady of Guadalupe (OLG) bead.



3. Pull them down over the wire tail so it is enclosed.



4. Then continue to string two spacer beads and one OLG bead until you have ten OLG beads strung. These are your Hail Mary beads.



5. Next, string four spacer beads, the last OLG bead which will be the Our Father bead, and four more spacer beads.



6. String on one crimp bead and one hole of the wire guardian.



7. Slip the ring of the crucifix into the wire guardian.



8. Loop the wire through the ring on the crucifix and the other hole of the wire guardian.



9. String the wire back through the crimp bead.



10. Pull the extra wire and string it back through the last four spacer beads and the Our Father bead.



11. Hold the whole decade and let it dangle to make sure you're pulling the wire tightly. This makes sure you're not left with a big wire gap and beads moving around on the finished piece.



12. Everything should be together as pictured with all of the extra wire pulled out.



13. Use a pair of flattened pliers like these and squeeze the crimp bead until it is flattened completely. You can use any pliers you may have at home that are flat inside like this. I started out using a pair of my husband's that did the trick! You could also find some inexpensive options (\$10 or less) at your local craft or hardware store.



14. I use a tool that folds them over like this which is what you'll see on the medals side. All that matters is that it is flattened well. Don't compare your crimp work to mine!



15. Now you need a pair of pliers that will cut wire like these. Again, you may have a pair at home or can find them cheap at the craft or hardware store.



16. Position the pliers right up against the Our Father bead and cut the remaining wire.



17. Your kit includes one extra crimp bead and a few extra spacer beads just in case they roll away since they're so tiny to find on the floor!

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