

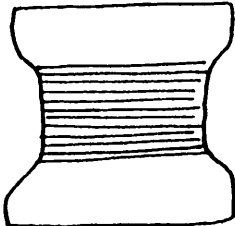
How to Restring Beads !!!

HOW TO RESTRING BEADS.

STRINGING WITHOUT KNOTS:

SUPPLIES:

NYLON BEAD CORD



BEAD TIPS



2 PART EPOXY



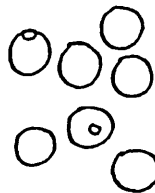
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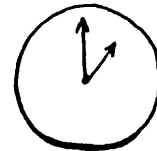
JEWELER'S
TWEEZERS



BEADS



TIME



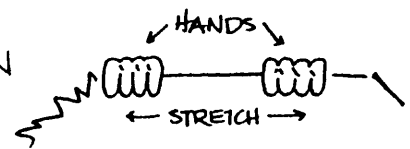
STEP 1: THE STRING (NYLON BEAD CORD)

Ⓐ UNRAVEL CORD FROM CARD. YOU WILL NOTICE THE CORD WILL BE BENT. SINCE IT HAS BEEN WOUND AROUND THE CARD.



Ⓑ GENTLY GRASP THE CORD IN YOUR HANDS AND STRETCH. THEN THE KINKS WILL DISAPPEAR.

DO THIS TO THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE CORD AND REPEAT IF NECESSARY.



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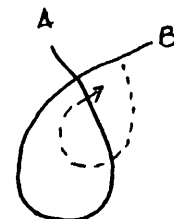
Ⓒ TIE THE END KNOT IN THE LAST THREE INCHES OF THE CORD.



HELPFUL HINTS:

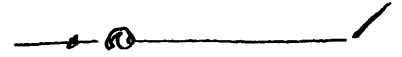
FOR SMALL KNOTS BRING END B AROUND AND THROUGH THE LOOP ONE TIME THEN TIGHTEN.

FOR LARGER KNOTS BRING END B AROUND AND THROUGH THE LOOP TWO TO FIVE TIMES.



STEP 2: THE BEAD TIPS AND BEADING

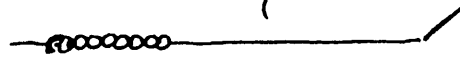
Ⓐ STRING ONE BEAD TIP ON THE STRING SO YOUR KNOT SITS IN THE CUP OF THE BEAD TIP.



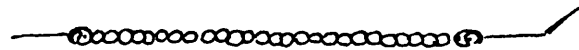
Ⓑ THIS IS WHAT STRAND SHOULD LOOK LIKE SO FAR.



Ⓒ NOW YOU MAY STRING YOUR BEADS ON.

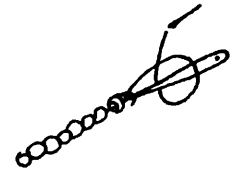


Ⓓ WHEN ALL YOUR BEADS ARE STRUNG, STRING ON SECOND BEAD TIP.
(THREAD THE CORD THROUGH BEAD TIP SO YOUR LAST KNOT WILL SIT IN THE CUP OF THE BEAD TIP.)

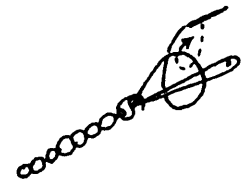


Ⓔ NOW WE WILL TIE THE OTHER END KNOT.

1- MAKE THE FIRST LOOP OF YOUR KNOT LARGE, THEN INSERT YOUR TWEEZERS THROUGH LOOP AND PINCH CORD WHERE YOU WANT THE KNOT TO END UP (WHICH IS IN THE CUP OF THE BEAD TIP.)



2- FINISH KNOT AROUND TWEEZER. THEN SLIDE KNOT DOWN TO THE POINT OF YOUR TWEEZERS. CAREFULLY SLIDE KNOT OFF AND INTO THE CUP OF THE BEAD TIP. (THIS HELPS TO PLACE THE KNOT EXACTLY WHERE YOU WANT IT, BECAUSE THE KNOT WON'T TIGHTEN UNTIL IT IS OFF OF THE TWEEZER.)

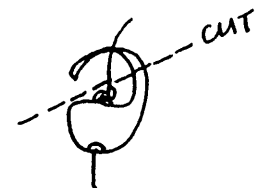


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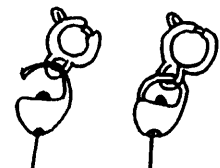
Ⓐ MIX EPOXY (AS DIRECTED) AND APPLY TO KNOTS USING A TOOTHPICK. MAKE SURE KNOT IS COVERED THOROUGHLY WITH EPOXY BUT DON'T OVERDO IT.



Ⓑ APPROXIMATELY 24 HOURS LATER SNIP OFF EXCESS STRING AS CLOSE TO KNOT AS POSSIBLE.



Ⓒ ATTACH CLASP TO HOOK OF THE BEAD TIP. THEN BEND HOOK OVER, SO THE CLASP WILL BE HELD SECURELY (REPEAT THIS STEP FOR OTHER END OF BEADED STRAND USING OTHER COMPONENT OF CLASP.)

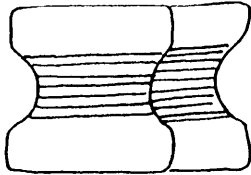


CONGRATULATIONS!
YOU HAVE JUST RE-STRUNG YOUR BEADS.
WHAT TALENT!

STRINGING WITH KNOTS

SUPPLIES:

2 PACKETS OF
NYLON BEAD LCORD



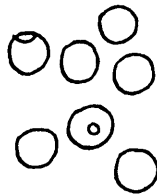
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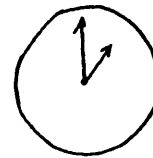
BEADS



2 PART EPOXY

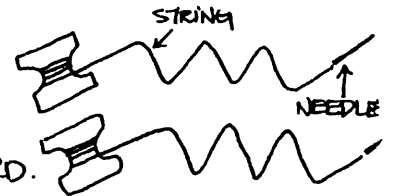


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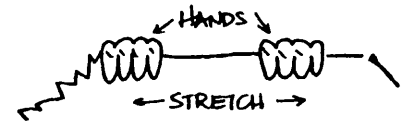


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① UNRAVEL BOTH STRANDS FROM EACH CARD. YOU WILL NOTICE THE LCORD WILL BE BENT, SINCE IT HAS BEEN WOUND AROUND THE CARD.

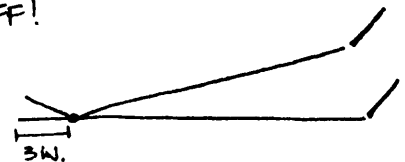


② GENTLY GRASP THE LCORD IN YOUR HANDS AND STRETCH. THEN THE KINKS WILL DISAPPEAR. DO THIS TO THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF EACH STRAND AND REPEAT IF NECESSARY.



* WARNING : DO NOT PULL ON THE NEEDLE , IT MIGHT COME OFF!

③ TAKE BOTH STRANDS OF LCORD AND TIE ONE KNOT AT THE END. (APPROXIMATELY 3 INCHES FROM THE END.)



STEP 2: THE BEAD TIPS

④ USING BOTH STRINGS, THREAD ONE BEAD TIP ONTO THE LCORD. POSITION THE BEAD TIP SO YOUR KNOT SITS IN THE INDENTATION (THE UPP PART.) TAPE TWO LOOSE ENDS DOWN TO TABLE TOP. THIS WILL MAKE KNOTTING EASIER. ... NOW YOU ARE READY TO START RE-STRINGING WITH KNOTS !!

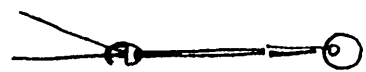


STEP 3: THE KNOTS

Ⓐ YOU HAVE STRUNG YOUR BEAD TIP ON WITH THE KNOT SITTING IN THE CUP OF THE BEAD TIP AND TWO STRANDS OF CORD COMING OUT FROM THE BASE OF YOUR BEAD TIP.

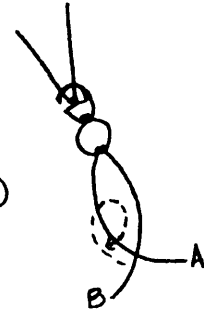


Ⓑ THREAD YOUR FIRST BEAD ONTO THE CORD AS YOU INSERT BOTH NEEDLES SIMULTANEOUSLY THROUGH THE DRILLED HOLE IN YOUR BEAD.



Ⓒ NOW... YOUR FIRST KNOT.

TO KNOT BETWEEN THE BEADS FOLLOW THE DIAGRAM, TAKING "B" AROUND "A" AND TIGHTEN (JUST LIKE TYING YOUR SHOES.)



IF YOU NEED A LARGER KNOT BRING STRAND "B" AROUND "A" 2-3 MORE TIMES.

Ⓓ THEN STRING ON YOUR NEXT BEAD AND REPEAT PROCEDURE C (ABOVE.)

Ⓔ WHEN YOU GET TO YOUR LAST BEAD DON'T TIE A KNOT JUST YET.

STEP 4: FINISHING

Ⓐ AFTER YOUR LAST BEAD STRING YOUR OTHER BEAD TIP ON. POSITION THE BEAD TIP SO YOUR FINAL KNOT SITS IN THE CUP.

Ⓑ TIE YOUR LAST KNOT LIKE THE ONES YOU TIED BETWEEN EACH BEAD.



Ⓒ MIX AND APPLY EPOXY THEN WAIT 24 HOURS TO CUT OFF EXCESS STRING.

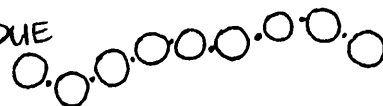


Ⓓ ATTACH CLASP TO HOOK OF THE BEAD TIP. THEN BEND HOOK OVER, SO THE CLASP WILL BE HELD SECURELY. (REPEAT THIS STEP FOR OTHER END OF BEADED STRAND USING OTHER COMPONENT OF CLASP.)



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

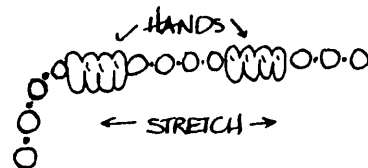
AFTER KNOTTING YOUR BEADS THEY MAY TEND TO KINK A LITTLE, DUE TO THE TENSION OF THE KNOTS.



DON'T PANIC! STAY CALM! ☺

THE STRING STILL HAS A LITTLE PLAY LEFT IN IT. SO GENTLY GRASP YOUR TOTALLY FINISHED NECKLACE IN BOTH HANDS AND STRETCH IT, A LITTLE AT A TIME.

LOOKS GOOD!!



CONGRATULATIONS!

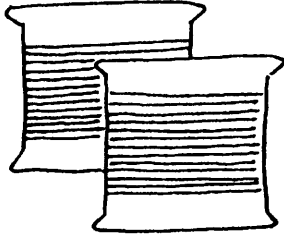
SEE THAT WASN'T THAT HARD... AND SUCH WONDERFUL RESULTS. GIVE YOURSELF A HAND! ☺

RESTRINGING BEADS WITH 2 CORDS

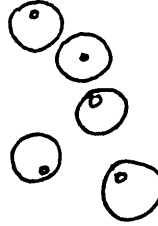
KNOTS :

FRENCH SLEEVE:

BEADING CORD (2)



BEADS



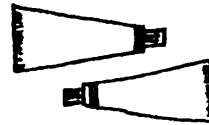
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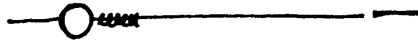


2 PART EPOXY



STEP 1: PREPARATION FOR STRINGING

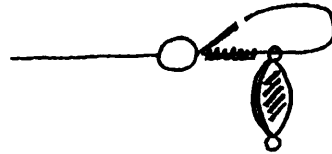
Ⓐ STRING ONE BEAD ONTO CORD



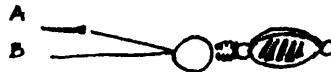
THEN APPROXIMATELY 1/8" OF FRENCH SLEEVE

(ENOUGH TO COVER LOOP THAT WILL HOLD THE CLASP)

Ⓑ ATTACH ONE COMPONENT OF CLASP ON NEXT
AND STRING NEEDLE BACK THROUGH BEAD.



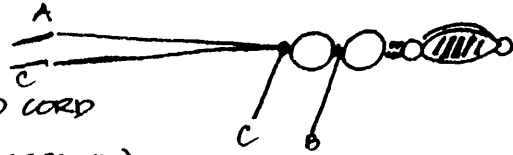
Ⓒ TIGHTEN CORD DOWN ON CLASP



SO ALL THAT YOU SEE IS A LITTLE LOOP HOLDING THE CLASP AND IT SHOULD
BE COMPLETELY COVERED BY THE FRENCH SLEEVE.

THEN TIE A KNOT WITH LOOSE ENDS A & B.

- ① STRING A SECOND BEAD ON
NOW GET SECOND STRAND OF BEAD CORD
AND KNOT IT (CONNECTING SECOND STRAND)
TO ORIGINAL CORD. (A)



STEP 2: STRINGING THE BEADS.

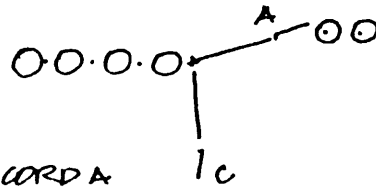
NOW YOU CAN STRING ON THE NEXT BEAD AND CONTINUE ON, USING THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR "STRINGING WITH KNOTS"

STEP 3: FINISHING

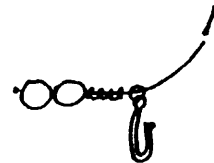
- ① STRING ON ALL BEADS EXCEPT 2.



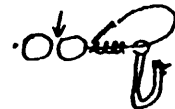
- ② MAKE A KNOT USING CORD A & C
SET ASIDE CORD C
THEN STRING THE TWO LOOSE BEADS ON CORD A



- ③ STRING ANOTHER 1/8" OF FRENCH SLEEVE ON
NEEDLE A AND OTHER COMPONENT OF CLASP



- ④ THREAD NEEDLE BACK THRU LAST BEAD CREATING
A LOOP COVERED WITH FRENCH SLEEVE.
THEN MAKE A KNOT WHERE ARROW INDICATES.



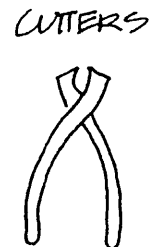
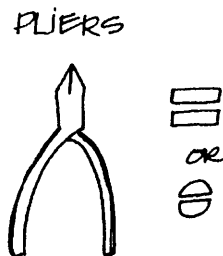
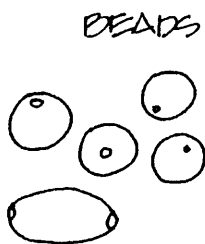
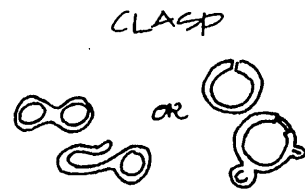
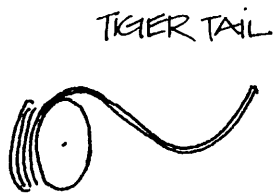
* ALL CORD SHOULD BE KNOTTED AND TIGHTLY SECURED.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO GET A SECURE FINAL KNOT A JEWELER'S TWEEZER
CAN BE HELPFUL.

** BEFORE CUTTING ANY STRINGS OFF, MIX EPOXY AND COAT KNOTS WITH MIXTURE.
WHEN FULLY DRIED, YOU CAN SNIP STRING OFF NEATLY AND THE KNOT
WONT UNRAVEL.

RESTRINGING WITH TIGERTAIL:

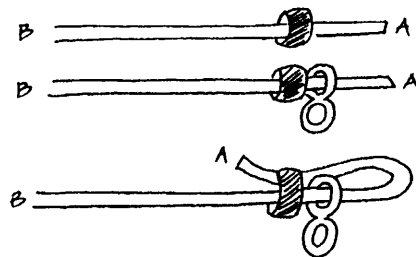
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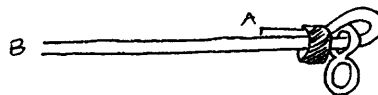
STEP 1: PREPARATION FOR STRINGING

Ⓐ CUT DESIRED LENGTH OF TIGERTAIL, ALLOWING ABOUT 4-6 INCHES EXTRA FOR FINISHING

Ⓑ STRING ONE CRIMP ONTO END OF TIGER TAIL, STRING ON CLASP (ONE COMPONENT) LOOP END "A" BACK THROUGH CRIMP.



Ⓒ TIGHTEN LOOPED TIGER TAIL AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE FOR A CLEAN FINISH.



Ⓓ THEN WITH PLIERS, FLATTEN CRIMPS SECURING TIGER TAIL AND CLASP.

STEP 2: STRINGING THE BEADS

- Ⓐ STRING BEADS ON IN PREFERRED ORDER.

STEP 3: FINISHING

- Ⓐ REPEAT STEPS IN SECTION 1 USING END B OF THE TIGER TAIL CORD AND OTHER COMPONENT OF CLASP.

- Ⓑ SNIP OFF REMAINING TIGER TAIL AS CLOSE AS INDICATED, BY ARROWS.

