

## Beaded Candle Decoration

Beading isn't just for jewelry. In fact, you create lovely home decor items using beads and wire. This freeform candle decoration makes a great gift and takes about an hour to complete.

### Things You'll Need

- Brown beading wire
- Champagne-colored faceted glass beads
- Paper towel tube
- Pliers and wire cutters
- Candle
- Plate

### What to Do

1. Begin by wrapping the wire around and around the paper towel tube to create a base. Slide the base off the tube, and then loop the wire around it multiple times to secure it.
2. Cut the wire, leaving a long tail. You can always add more wire to this project, so don't worry about measuring.
3. String one glass bead on the wire, and then twist the wire back on itself. Loop the wire around the base again.
4. Repeat step 3, creating beaded sections of varying length. Go all the way around the base, adding more pieces of wire as needed.
5. When you've added as many beads as you like, bend the beaded sections to give them a random, natural look. Place the base on top of a plate and top with a candle.