Tea lights with 3D motifs from structure paste

Instructions No. 3470

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 3 Hours

Are you looking for a creative and uncomplicated craft idea to transform your home into a winter oasis of well-being? Our detailed instructions show you how to create enchanting **tealight jars with a Christmas tree design** yourself using just a few materials. This DIY-Project is not only only perfect as an atmospheric decoration, but also as an individual gift for friends and family. Be inspired by our step-by-step instructions and create your own unique winter accents!



Magical winter decorations: design your own Christmas tree tea light jars

Step 1: Create 3D structures with the cream paste

Start your project by pouring the **cream paste** into a suitable silicone mould using a palette knife. Then leave the paste to air dry for around 12 hours to give it a firm shape. As soon as the Time to dry: is complete, carefully

remove the paste from the mold. It is advisable to clean the edges thoroughly with tweezers to achieve a clean result.

Step 2: Adding colorful accents

To color your cream paste as desired, pour a small amount of the paste into a mini cup.

Then add your desired **VBS colour concentrate** and stir the mixture thoroughly until the color is evenly distributed. Once you have worked the color into the paste, close the cup with a lid. This will prevent the remaining paste from drying out and you can use it again later.

Step 3: Effective design with frosteffect paint

Now take a **stippling brush** and apply the **VBS Frost-effect paint** to the tea light jars. Then leave the paint to dry completely. The frosty surface gives the glasses a wintry look and enhances the atmospheric play of lights on the candles.

Step 4: Attach the Christmas trees

Glue the prepared Christmas trees to the jars with **VBS handicraft glue** to the jars. A practical tip: use rubber bands to hold the Christmas trees in place during the Time to dry: process Position hold them in place. This way you don't have to hold them in place for long and still achieve a firm result.

Step 5: Fill with candle sand

Once the glue has dried, fill the jars with **candle sand**. It's very simple: fill the jar to the desired height with the granules and cut the wick to the right length. Then carefully place the wick in the granules and light it - and your Christmas tree-glass for tea lights will glow in warm candlelight.

Step 6: Present the jars in style

Take two **tree slices** and glue them on top of each other in a staggered pattern. Once the glue has dried, you can place your tealight jars on top. For an extra touch of winter sparkle, sprinkle some **diamond snow around the glasses. This presentation gives your decoration an elegant, natural touch.**

Your creative project awaits!

Now it's up to you to create this magical winter decoration yourself. Get all the materials you need quickly and easily from our online store and get started! Add a touch of magic to your home DIY-Magic and surprise your guests with unique, homemade works of art. Let your creativity run wild and transform your home into a winter wonderland!



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3D-Structure Paste "Cream Paste"

Fill volume: 150 ml

7,19 € (1 l = 47,93 €)

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