

How To Make The Mission Rosary

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Step 1:

Measure the cord to the length of the rosary tool with approximately 2 inches longer than the tool.



Step 2:

Wind the cord around the tool 4 times. Make sure the cord wraps around the short end of the cord, held in place by your left hand. Be sure that the notch on narrow end of the tool is facing you.



Step 3:

Insert long end of cord from left to right through notch underneath the 4 loops.



Step 4:

Firmly pull on the long end of the cord and make sure the cord is snug.



Step 5:

Carefully slide the bundled loops off the tool.



Step 6:

Pull on both sides of loop until it creates a knot as shown below. Congratulations, you made your first knot.



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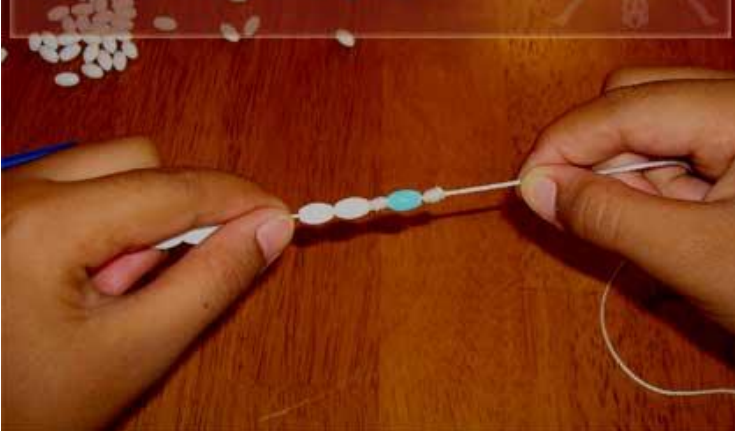
Step 7:
Insert 10 beads through the long end of the cord.
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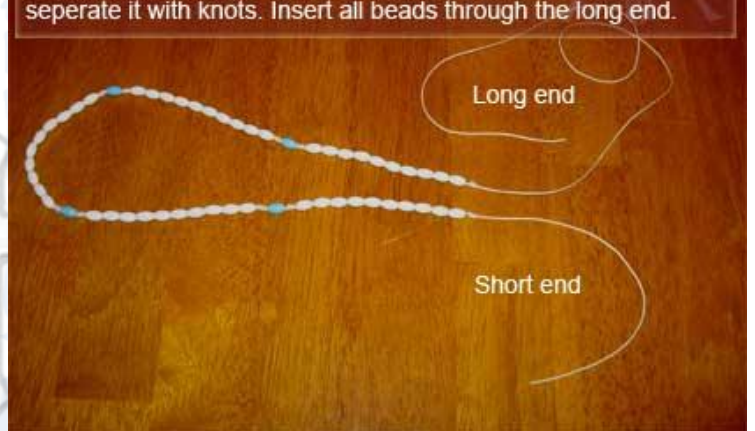
Step 8:
Measure 1/4 inch from the last bead to the end of the tool.
Repeat Steps 2 - 6 to make a knot to secure the last bead inserted.



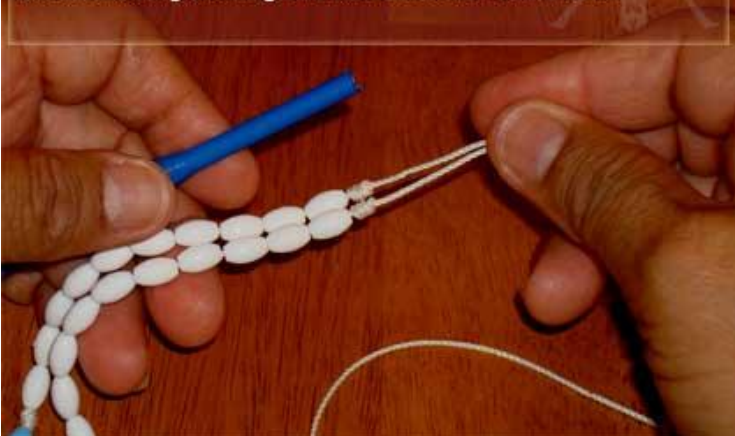
Step 9:
Insert 1 blue bead through the long end of the cord then
make another knot by following Step 8.



Step 10:
Continue to repeat the steps to complete the next four decades.
Be sure to insert 1 bead in between each decade and
separate it with knots. Insert all beads through the long end.



Step 11:
Align the 1st and last knot. Now we are going to make one
knot combining the long end and short end of the cord.



Step 12:
Measure 1 inch from the aligned knots to the end of the knot tool.
Wind both cords together 2 times around the knot tool.

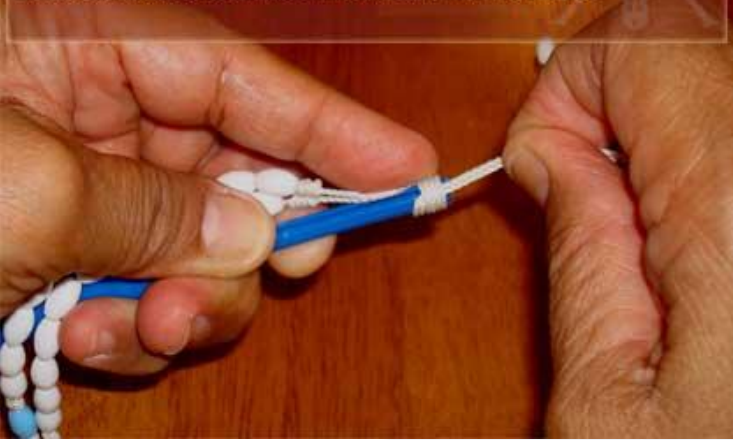


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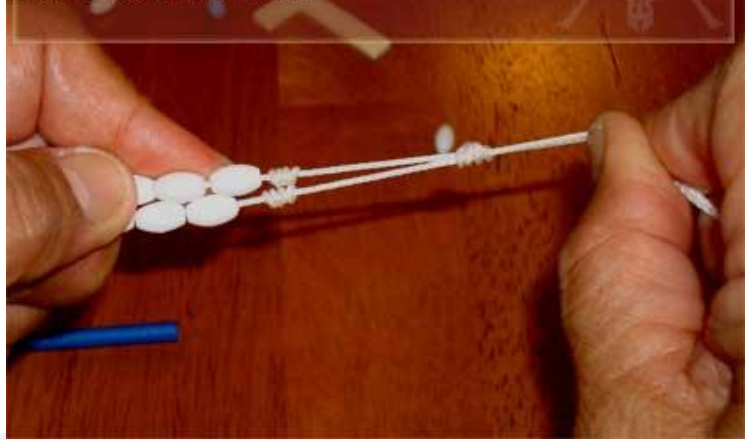
Step 13:

Insert the long end of the cord 1st underneath the loops. Then insert the short end of the cord underneath the loops.



Step 14:

Carefully slide the loops off the knot tool and pull on the cord with both hands to make a knot.



Step 15:

Insert 1 blue bead through the long end of the cord. Make a knot to secure the bead. Next, insert 3 white beads then make another knot and finally insert the last blue bead (Do not make a knot).



Step 16: Adding the Crucifix

Fold about an inch on the long end of the cord as shown below.



Step 17:

Insert the folded cord in the hole atop the crucifix. Make sure you pull all the way through to the blue bead.



Step 18:

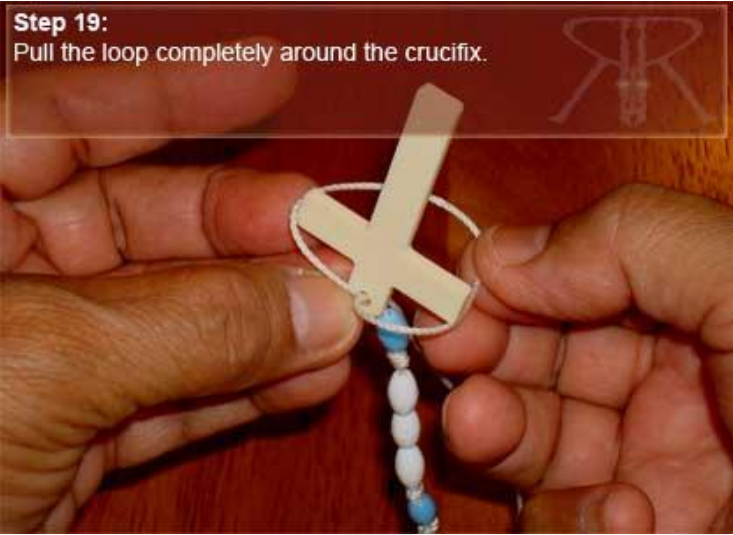
Pull the loop around the bottom of the crucifix.



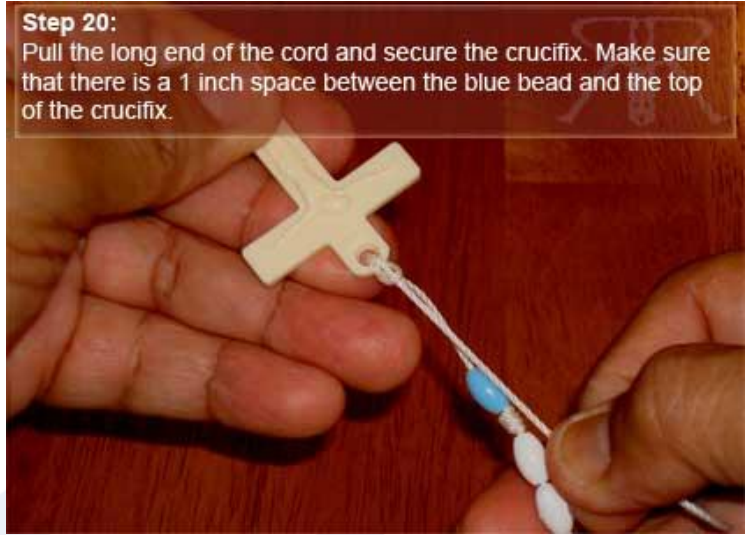
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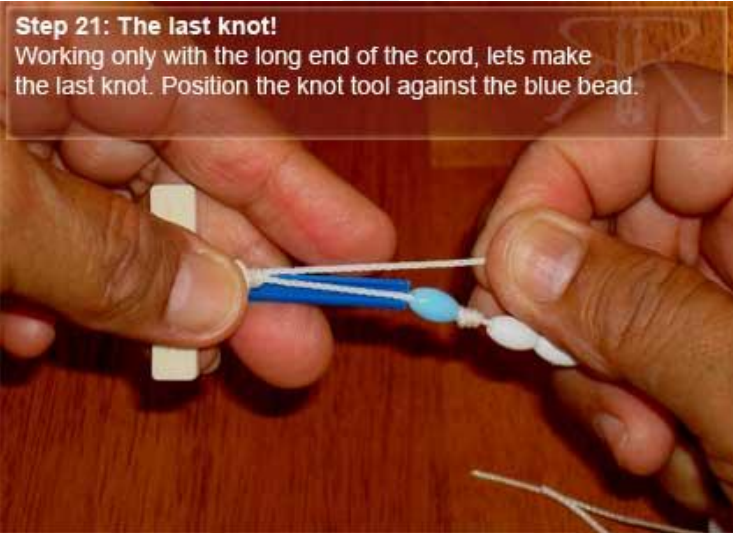
Step 19:
Pull the loop completely around the crucifix.



Step 20:
Pull the long end of the cord and secure the crucifix. Make sure that there is a 1 inch space between the blue bead and the top of the crucifix.



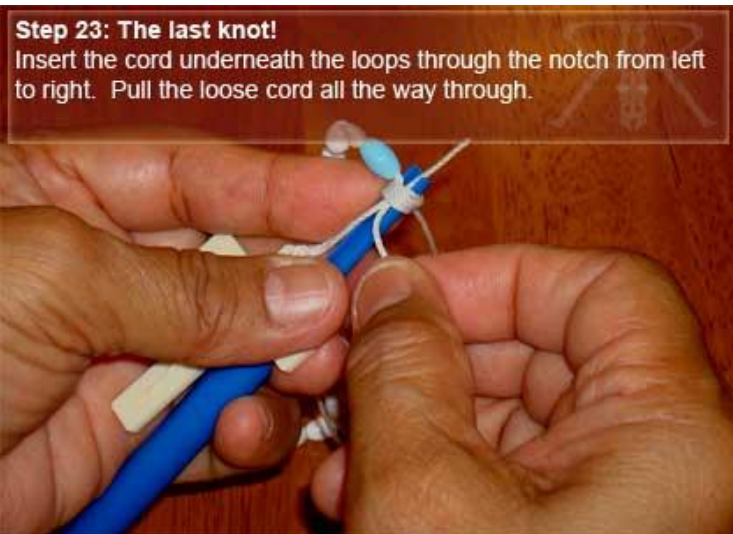
Step 21: The last knot!
Working only with the long end of the cord, lets make the last knot. Position the knot tool against the blue bead.



Step 22: The last knot!
Wind the long end of the cord 4 times around the knot tool. Make sure the cord between the blue bead and the top of the crucifix is in the notch of the knot tool.



Step 23: The last knot!
Insert the cord underneath the loops through the notch from left to right. Pull the loose cord all the way through.



Step 24: The last knot!
Carefully slide the loops off the knot tool and pull cord with both hands to make the last knot. and secure the last blue bead.



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Step 25: Cut the excess cord

Cut the excess cord. Leave about 1/8 of an inch. Do not cut too short. You can seal the cut ends with clear nail polish or lightly burn the ends with a lighter. Be careful with fire.



Great Job!

You Did It!



Congratulations!

You did it!

You made your first rosary

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