Rose Bookmark Pendant & Earrings

adaptation of Vicki Clarke's "Roses are Red"

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Rose

2 Shuttles, CTM

Start with Ring in center. All picots are very small, most joins are lock joins to the picot below. Turn or reverse work to change direction. Switch shuttle where color changes. Shuttle 1 in hand Shuttle 2 in hand

R: 5-5. rw

Ch1: 1 vsp 9 lj. tw SS

Ch2: 4 vsp 12 vsp 3 lj 12 to ring. tw SS

Ch3: 6 vsp 21 lj. tw SS

Ch4: 8 vsp 19 lj 3 vsp 9 vsp 4 lj. tw SS

Ch5: 5 2shs (fold/turn chain), 3 + rw SS

Ch6: 9 vsp 6 lj 6 vsp15 vsp 5 lj. tw SS Ch7: 7 2shs 7 + tw SS

Ch8: 14 vsp 7 vsp 1 lj 2 vsp 13. Tie and cut.

Calyx

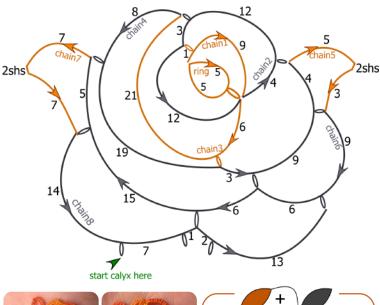
2 Shuttles, CTM (at least 65" of thread on both shuttles) With green thread lj chain thread to furthest of the vsp and chain facing out 5-5 rw R:4-4 tw (fig 1) Ch: 6 lj 8 lay shuttle thread over original join point, reach through rose picot and pull a loop of chain thread put shuttle through and continue chaining 7 lj to rose picot 1 lj to next picot. (fig2)

Pearl Tatted Stem

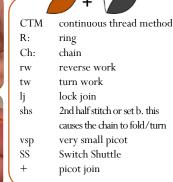
Loop rose colored thread (Length of stem plus 8") through space between rose and calyx using a Larks Head knot with small tail. This will be the thread you pearl around, it will also provide the color for the bud at the end of the bookmark. (fig3) Pearl chain in sets of 6 throw out a ring every once in a while for a small leaf. Do not cut when length is completed but continue with the bud.

Bud

At stem end continue using green thread and encapsulating the rose colored thread. You'll need to encapsulate at least a 5 inch tail. R:3-3, work 6 reverse/unflipped stitches finger tatting with encapsulated thread, (fig 4) continue with ring, tightening core thread making rose color bend into a bud. Make sure stitches of ring can still slide, with green continue (fig 5) 3-3 close and tie. (fig 6)











Earrings

With shuttle (very small amount of green thread wound on) and ball, lj to last picot (different than the Calyx) turn and Ch: 5-4 (fig 7) R: 4-4 Ch: 6 lj 7 lay shuttle thread over original join point, reach through rose picot and pull a loop of chain thread, put shuttle through and continue chaining 2 lj to picot (fig 8) 6 lj 4 R: 3-3 Ch: 8 lj and tie and cut.

