gerbera daisies



TOOLS & MATERIALS

Hot Glue Gun Needle-Nose Pliers/Wire Cutters Scissors or Curling Tool Green Floral Wire — 18- and 24-Gauge Green Floral Tape (optional)

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Gently punch flower petals and leaves from stack.
- 2. Use edge of scissors or curling tool to crease the middle of petals 1, 2, and 3, creating vein lines.
- 3. With curling tool, gently curl the petals on pieces 4-8.
- 4. Glue petals 1-3 together at their centers, staggering the petals.
- 5. Glue petals 4-8 together, staggering the petals in the same way.
- 6. Add the small green center disk into the small petal cluster.
- 7. Bundle three 18-gauge floral wires and wrap them with floral tape, leaving one inch of wires uncovered.
- 8. Bend the three tips in three directions at an angle.
- 9. Glue green sepal into cone and slide onto wire bundle.
- 10. Glue inside sepal and over wire; then place on back of daisy to secure stem.
- 11. Attach the bloom to the floral wires.
- 12. Glue 24-gauge wire between two offset leaves.
- 13. (Optional) Cover wires with floral tape and wrap the leaf stems to the flower stems.