

WIRE STRING ART: TREE NAMES



Carving names or initials into trees has been a common symbol to represent a love. Create a new twist on this tradition by using wire string art to make a customized gift.

SUPPLIES:

- Artistic Wire®, Silver 26 Gauge
- Walnut Hollow® Basswood Country Plank, Small
- Varathane® Premium Fast Dry Wood Stain, Kona

TOOLS:

- 5-in-1 Hammer & Screwdriver Set by Studio Décor®
- 3/4" nails
- Beadalon® Nipper Tool
- Foam Brush by ArtMinds®
- Computer and printer to make custom name template
- Marker
- Optional: Long Nose Pliers
- Optional: Beadalon® Bead Mats or towel



STEP 1

Stain wood panel and let dry. Type names in a word document using your choice of font. Handwritten style fonts work best. Add a heart shape around names. Size accordingly and print. Use as a template outline and place markings along the names and heart for nail placement.



STEP 2

Place image centered on wood and hammer nails along the template. A long nose pliers is useful to hold the nails in place.

*Tip: Place a bead mat or towel under the surface to help reduce noise when hammering.



STEP 3

Carefully remove paper outline when finished. Start by wrapping one end of wire around nail and continue to weave wire in between nails and outline the shape to form a border.