

## Spring Leaves

Finished length approx. 20 - 23 inches

### Materials needed:

Available at [SonoranBeads.com](http://SonoranBeads.com):

- 1-12 Strand Italian Seed Bead Necklace #896
- 1-Hinged Etched Bale - Vermeil #6500
- 1- Vermeil Twig #678
- 10-Handmade Czech Leaves #790

### Tools needed:

- Round nose pliers



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### Step-by-step instructions:

1. Place the twig on your work surface with the larger hole positioned at the top. Take each leaf and gently open the wire at the top of the leaf with your round nosed pliers. Open the wire just wide enough to slip it through one of the holes on the twig, and then gently close the wire. Make certain that you don't twist the wire from side to side - only move the wire back and forth to open and close it.
2. Continue on until all of your leaves have been wired onto the twig. Leave the large hole at the top free.
3. Open the ring on the hinged bale wide enough to accommodate the large hole at the top of the twig. Slip the twig on the ring and carefully close the ring.
4. Open the hinged bale and center it on the seed bead necklace.

There you have it, a lovely, fast and easy necklace just in time for spring.

Anything can be wired onto the twig; crystal, pearls, beads - let your imagination run wild!

Here's another color option:

Seed Bead Necklace #893  
 Vermeil Etched Bale #6500  
 Vermeil Twig #678  
 10-Handmade Czech Leaves #680

