

# Candlestick with natural stone mosaic

Instructions No. 2493

Difficulty: Advanced 🖌️🖌️🖌️🖌️

Working time: 2 Hours

The **art of laying mosaics** has a long tradition. In this process, small tiles are glued to a substrate and they create a beautiful pattern. In our idea, **natural stone mosaic** was used, which gives the artwork a beautiful natural look. The stones are unique because they are naturally a little rougher and more uneven and therefore make great unique pieces.



## This is how you design the mosaic:

Coat the **wooden candle holders** with wood stain and allow to dry thoroughly. Then you can place the **mosaic stones** on the candlesticks as you wish using mosaic glue.

As soon as the glue has dried, you can apply **mosaic grout**, which is mixed with water in advance, with a brush. For the mixing ratio, read the instructions on the product packaging. You can remove any residue with a damp painting sponge after approx. 8-10 minutes of binding time.

After the mixture has dried, apply the joint **finish** with a soft brush.

Now you can decorate the candle holders with the **Posca markers** and paint on borders and patterns.

The natural mosaic stones can also be finished with a **clear varnish**.



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| 281706                | VBS Candle holders, set of 4                                | 1          |
| 17930                 | Natural stone mosaicLight pink<br>(unfortunately sold out)  | 1          |
| 17932                 | Natural stone mosaicSand-Yellow<br>(unfortunately sold out) | 1          |
| 17933                 | Natural stone mosaicJade Green<br>(unfortunately sold out)  | 1          |
| 118026-01             | Transparent mosaic glue50 g                                 | 1          |
| 26730                 | VBS Joint filler, 350 gWhite                                | 1          |
| 754415-01             | Wood stain, 50 mlWhite                                      | 1          |
| 330350                | VBS Painting sponges, 3 pieces                              | 1          |
| 567725-08             | POSCA Marker PC-1MCWhite                                    | 1          |
| 567749-08             | POSCA Marker PC-5MWhite                                     | 1          |