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### Upcycled Fall Wreath by Shannon Quimby

#### FALL WREATH

##### Materials:

- Wood framed canvas artwork
- Pinecones (extra small and small)
- Sticks or driftwood
- Tree bark
- Dried flowers, leaves, and berries
- Cotton branches
- 150 grit sandpaper
- Glue gun and glue sticks
- Scissors
- Hammer
- 2 1" nails
- Rope
- Rag



##### How to:

1. Remove the canvas from the frame. Sand away any adhesive and wipe clean.
2. Lay frame down on a flat surface.
3. Organize decorative materials into separate piles.
4. Begin to design with the larger sticks, tree bark and driftwood. Place each piece randomly around the bottom section and halfway up the frame, layering one on top of another or overlapping. This will create depth and texture.
5. Once you're satisfied with the placement, hot glue them in place.
6. Depending upon your design, add smaller sticks, pinecones, dried flowers, leaves, cotton branch tops, and sprigs of berries. When satisfied with placement, continue to hot glue each in place.
7. Decide how long you want the rope to hang away from the frame and then add approximately 8-10 more inches. Cut rope to desired length and tie a knot on each end.
8. Poke a nail through the center of each knot. Hammer one end of rope into the outside edge of one side of the frame, 3-4" from the top corner then extend it over to the other side and repeat.
9. Hang it up and enjoy all season long.

