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Sea Holly

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Materials you will need:

- Sea holly centre mould "optional"
- Platinum paste
- 26 and 33 gauge wire
- Sea holly cutter
- Hydrangea veiner
- White florist tape
- Small tea candle
- Petal dusts in Iris and spruce

Instructions:

Make a hook on a #26 wire and press paste into the centre mould. Heat the wire and quickly press into the mould, squeeze mould to release the centre and brush with Iris first and then lightly with Spruce.

Put a twiddle of paste for each petal on a #33 wire and then put on a Ziploc bag.

Roll out paste thinly, turn it over and cut out five petals. Ball tool each petal, brush a line of water on the back of it and place your twiddle then vein it.

Add white florist tape to the base of the centre, and arrange the petals around it. Steam the finished flower once it is dry.

The cutter can be used also as fantasy flowers or leaves. Simply brush with pearl dust or your choice of luster dust instead of petal dust.

Enjoy!