

*House of Vettii & Classical
Urn Tutorial*



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Introduction

Thank you for your interest in this tutorial. This publication provides step-by-step instruction for the creation of both the “House of Vettii” and “Classical Urn” focal beads, using the “Encased Floral Panel” design. This tutorial is an extension of the “Encased Floral Panel” tutorial and is not meant to supersede it. It is written with the assumption that you’ve become familiarized with the “Floral Panel design” and are ready to engage larger, more intricate focals.

Each bead in this tutorial will take a minimum of 2 hours to create. This does not include the time required to pull the stringer. The glasses used in this tutorial are 104 COE. Anneal each bead for 2 hours at 960 degrees, before you begin your ramp down stage.

As for the design of these beads, they belong to you now. Use them anyway you’d like. If you find you need assistance, feel free to contact me [here](#) for email support.

Inspiration

I’ve been a long time admirer of Pompeii, for the evidence of its cultural decadence that in my mind, must have delivered their high indulgence of all things artistic. The House of Vettii is one of my favorite houses in Pompeii, Italy. Although I’ve never been there, I’ve enjoyed the virtual tours, documentaries and picture books that celebrate its frescos, mosaics and architecture. The smart use of rich colored walls and Trompe L’Oeil techniques, perfectly frame and compliment the softer tones used for the pictorial themes that sing of nature, family and myth. As a former muralist, The House of Vettii was a huge source of inspiration for me. Although I’ve left the paints behind, “Vettii” will always be with me.

The Classical Urn bead was also inspired by Pompeii’s, House of Vettii.



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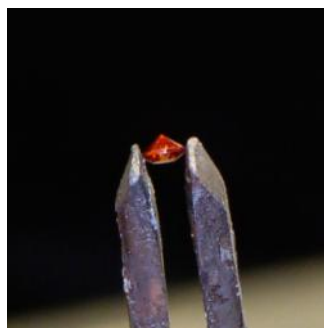
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Goldstone & Black
Twisted CaneBlack



Setting CZ's



Click the flower, for
purchasing details.



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