

Burlap and Paper-Wrapped Candles Centerpiece

Crafter Level: Easy

Time Needed: 30 minutes

What you'll need

- Various sizes of glass votives, vases and hurricane lamps
- Ivory candles (or other fall colors) to fit glass containers
- Measuring tape
- Burlap
- Several sheets of 11 in. x 17 in. white card stock
- Scissors
- Downloaded candle band templates
- Double-stick tape or white glue
- Small hole punch (optional)
- Twine (optional)



How to make it

1. Measure around each glass container, and note the sizes. Cut a wide strip of burlap to wrap around each glass container about $\frac{1}{2}$ inch longer than the glass container's diameter. The width of your burlap can vary depending upon how much of the glass and candle you want to show, but don't let your burlap reach all the way to the top of the container to avoid getting it too near your candle flame.
2. Pull a few of the threads from both edges of the burlap to give it a natural, frayed look. Wrap the burlap around the containers and secure with double-stick tape or glue.
3. Download the candle band templates and print as many as you want on to 11-by-17-inch card stock. (You may need to take the templates to a print store for this step.)
4. Cut the bands from the printed card stock, following the dotted cutting lines, into strips long enough to completely wrap around the glass and burlap. Center the card stock bands on top of the burlap bands and secure with double-stick tape or glue. Center the circle motifs on top with tape or glue—or, you can punch holes into them, insert twine, and tie on the motifs with a bow (optional).

