

# My Wild Irish Rose

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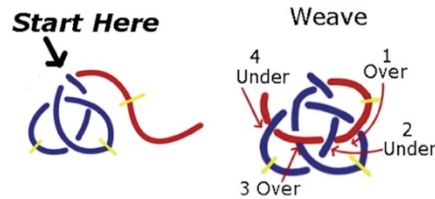


This is perfect for a pin or bookmark. The sample is size 10 thread and it measures about 1 ½ inch by 2 inches.

Shuttle and ball CTM. Begin a chain with a picot by tying a knot between the shuttle and ball. Tat the first DS a picot's space from the knot.

Chain – 20 – 20 – 20 – 20

Weave the Celtic Knot following the diagrams below.



Tat BDS Chain 12 + 12 + 12 + 12 + to the beginning of this chain.  
Cut threads leaving about 20" for the stem.

Tat BDS Chain , beginning with a picot - 48 NOTE: Slightly different stitch counts here will give the rose a much different look. In nature the beauty is in diversity. Why not a green rose?

Weave this chain through the previous tatting as shown.



Join the end. Cut the ends to about 20". Tie the two pairs of ends in a square knot so that they are even. Finger tat the stem with 3 threads in the core. After about 12 stitches , use the one thread to tat a leaf. Ring ( 5 – 6 ) use this thread in the core now and one of the other threads for wrapping more stem. Tie all threads in a double overhand knot and then make Twisted cord for a bookmark, or finish for a pin as desired.

ENJOY!