

# DIY: Your Own Offbeat Tulle & Christmas Ornament Bridal Bouquets



## Materials:

- 5" diameter round Styrofoam ball (or 4" for bridesmaid bouquet)
- Plastic floral holder and handle (available at Michaels or other crafts stores)
- Lots and lots of tulle: cut into 4" squares
- Floral pins (available at Walmart)
- Christmas balls (colors, size, and amount can vary) – we used 9 per bouquet
- Glue gun & glue
- Ribbon



## Directions:

1. Glue the Styrofoam ball to the holder.
2. Plan the arrangement of your ornaments on the Styrofoam ball, and mark with a small dot where you glue them. (*\*Tip\*: The more ornaments you use, the less tulle you will need!*)
3. Put hot glue onto the hanger of the Christmas ball and then push into the Styrofoam. (*\*Tip\*: you could also add some more glue around the ball, once it is pushed into the Styrofoam, in order to secure the ball*)
4. After the balls are secure, take 2 of the tulle squares and pushing them into Styrofoam using the floral pins to secure the tulle.
5. Start at the bottom and work the tulle in a circular pattern around the base of the plastic floral holder
6. Fill the Styrofoam ball in entirely with the tulle. (approx. 300-400 squares)
7. Finish the bouquet off by wrapping ribbon around the plastic handle. You may also have to trim the tulle once it is all in place.