

Beyond Beginner Silver with Marthe Roberts/Shea: Pocket Locket Class

Carry a photo of a loved one with you or give a photo of yourself to a loved one to wear.

Locketts have a solid place in history. They celebrate what it means to honor, remember, love and mourn. The Victorians would braid a lock of hair from a deceased loved one as a token of remembrance. Some lockets carry ashes while others carry tiny photographs people or pets.

No matter what they convey, these tiny pockets of memories can represent a part of your personal history.

In this class students will learn to make a small, patterned, locket with a “slip in” frame.

Skills required: Soldering and sawing for jewelry making.

Materials

(Pricing from RioGrande.com)

* #100318 - 18 gauge Sterling wire - 1 foot	\$1.85
* #102006 - Sterling Silver double half round wire (.162" X .040") - 1 foot.....	\$8.48
* #100598 - 24 gauge Sterling Silver sheet - 3" X 3"	\$22.68
* #690618 - Sterling Silver 8mm (16 ga.) round, twist wire jump ring (20 pack).....	\$10.10
* #623979B - 3.3 mm Sterling Silver Round Rolo chain - 2 feet.....	\$24.88
Total (approximate) Materials cost.....	\$67.99