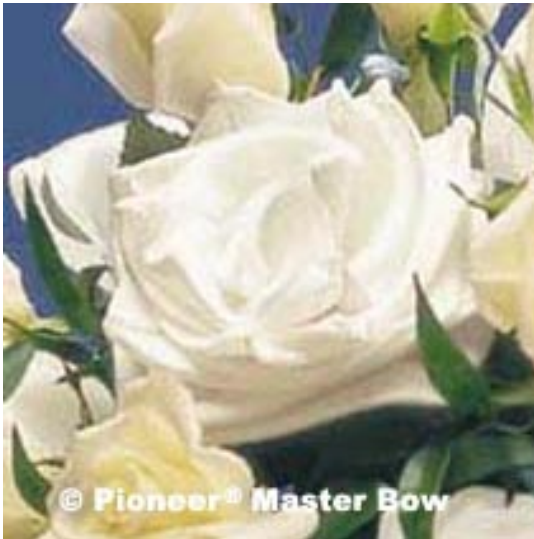
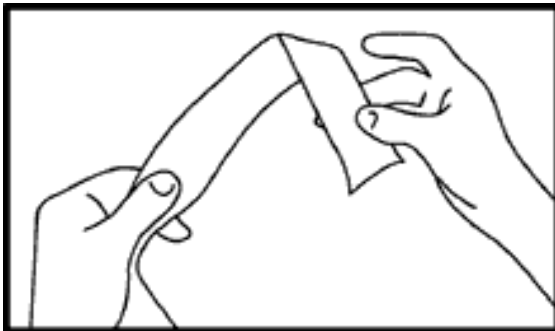


Ribbon Roses

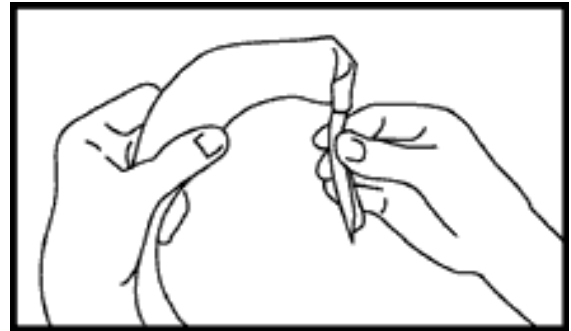


Materials

- 1 yard of #40 Pearl Ivory Qualatex MasterBow Satin Wired Edge Ribbon 58336
- Thin Binding Wire



Step 1 Fold down one end of the ribbon toward you to make a right angle, leaving a 2" tail.



Step 2 To create the rose's center, tightly fold and roll the folded end toward you about five times.

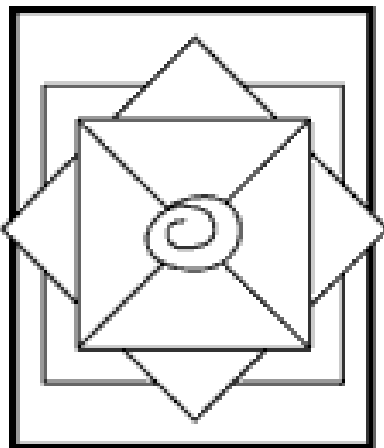


Step 3 Fold the ribbon away from you at a 45-degree angle.



Step 4 Wrap the folded ribbon around the center once to make a funnel shape, wrapping it loosely at the top and tighter at the base. Gather and hold at the base.

Step 5 To make petals, fold the ribbon away from you at a 45-degree angle. Turn the rose toward the center by one-quarter turn, gathering the bottom edge of the ribbon to the base. Hold to secure.



Step 6 Continue folding and turning to make the desired number of petals, making sure to leave about a 3" tail of ribbon. (**Tip:** Four petals make a square pattern.)

Step 7 Wrap the tail under the rose, hold at the stem, then wrap wire around the base several times to secure.

Tip: Roses can be made with Poly or Wired Edge ribbon. Wind ribbon tightly around the center to make a bud shape, and wind loosely to make a more open rose. Use cool glue if desired to secure the rose as you fold and roll.