

SACRED HEART PIN

MATERIALS

brown Premo! clay
black Premo! clay
rolling pin
wax paper
rubber stamps
clay blade
silver mica powder
milagro heart
map pin
wings
Weldbond glue
pin backing
roasting pan
binder clips
pin back



I certainly have a thing for hearts—but then add a crown or wings to it and I'm over the moon! By combining various found jewelry pieces you can make up your own designs and put your favorite things all together in one piece, as I have done in this sacred heart pin. I have also made pieces in which I pushed these separate elements into clay to create one tile.



1

CREATE BASE

Condition and roll out some brown Premo! clay. Stamp into the clay with a background stamp and trim it to the width you would like your pin to be. Rub silver mica powder over the clay surface.



2

PIN ON MILAGRO

Press a heart milagro into the clay. Push a silver map pin through the charm's hole to visually fill it in and to further secure it.



3

PUSH IN WINGS

Here, I added two wings and will bake these into the piece. The indentations will make it easier to glue them on, if necessary, for better adhesion after baking.



4

SCORE TEXT TILE

Trim the piece to the height that you want. Stamp some black clay with a text stamp, and cut out the text that you wish to use. Then rough up the back a bit using a needle tool to give it some tooth.



5 LAYER CLAY

Adhere the text to the front of the pin piece by lightly pressing it.



6 GLUE PIN TO BACK

Press a pin backing into the back of the pin to make an indentation, and then remove and bake the tile as directed. When it has cooled, glue the pin back to the pin using Weldbond.