

Bamboo Grove

Glass Cutting: **simple curves** Firing: **contour fuse, slump**

Translucency makes this elegant project glow with color.



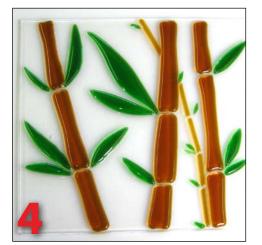
Gather materials: 8-inch Clear Square Base, Amber and Green Transparent glass, Amber Noodle.



Cut Amber into sections for the bamboo stalks using loose, slightly curving strokes. Vary the thickness of the sections and use nippers to nibble a curve on each end, for added realism.



Lay out the sections on the Base, using thicker ones at the bottom, thinner at the top. Leave a small gap between each section. Use Noodle for a "young" stalk.



Add leaves where they grow naturally – at the stalk joints. Contour fuse and slump.

Materials We Used

Base: 8-inch Clear Square

Transparent Colors: 110.8SF Medium Amber, 123SF Medium Green,

Noodle: 110.8SF Medium Amber