



WITCH TOMATO CAGE

Grocery List:

- Tomato Cage
- Milk Jug, Gallon Size
- Garbage Bags, Black/Large Size
- Wire ties, Black
- Coat Hanger, Wire w/ wire cutters
- Sharpie Marker, Black (Drawing Face)
- Witch Hat
- Ribbon (Neck Decoration)
- Spray Paint, Green (Milk Jug)
- Scissors and Pliers, Black Tape
- Decorations (Witch Holding Something)

Directions:

1. Clean off all labels from the Milk Jug. Cut the nose and mouth area for the witch. Use the picture provided as a template of where to cut. Once this is complete, use the Green spray paint to paint the milk jug. Allow jug to dry fully before handling.
2. While the milk jug dries, grab the Tomato cage. Turn the cage upside down sitting on its rounded area. Using a pair of pliers, bend the top 3" of each metal prong to create a neck area that the milk jug will rest on. If the jug is dry you can test fit it. Do not attach it, we will do that later.
3. Now to the coat hanger. Cut the hook end of the wire coat hanger off and bend the remaining hanger until the hanger is straight. Find the center of the hanger. This is the bend location and the location you will attach the hanger to the cage using wire ties. This hanger will represent the arms. Bend the ends of the hanger back to form a rounded end. This is so the hanger does not stab through the bag we add later.
4. Now that the arms are attached it is time to add the trash bag. Lay the trash bag flat on the ground and find the center of the seemed side (Bottom) of the trashbag. Cut a small slit in the trashbag at this point. This is where the neck area will slide thru the trashbag. Open the trashbag and slide the open end of the trashbag over the neck area and over the cage. Make sure the prongs go thru the slit you just cut. Do not pull tight enough to rip the bag, just snug. Once snug, and over the bottom of the cage, pull the draw strings of the trashcan under the cage and tie. Tie tight enough so the trashbag will not come off.
5. Using your Sharpie marker, draw your witches face on the milk jug. Use your imagination to design your face. You could also use paint and various other options to paint the milk jug face as you wish.
6. Using the black tape, tape the milk jug into place on top of the neck area. I placed the milk jug in place and then used the tape to wrap the spout area around the neck area. Does not have to be tight, but it does need to be sturdy.
7. Using another trash bag, I cut 1" strips. These strips will be used for her hair. Once the strips were cut I used my hot glue gun to glue the strips onto the top of the milk carton. Use as much hair as you would like.
8. Stuff the Witches hat with the remaining trash bag or papers of your choice, so, it will maintain it's shape while it is on the milk jug. Depending on the size of the hat, it may sit on there without attaching it. If it does fall off, use your hot glue gun to glue it into place.
9. Finally, you can add a ribbon to the neck area, to cover the tape there. Cautiously, bend the arms of the witch to the location you would like them and hang something from them, like a basket, skull, etc.. Your Witch is now complete.

