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# VINYL HALLOWEEN GLASS BLOCK

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**Project skill level:** moderate

**Project time:** 30 minutes to 1 hour

**Project tags:** Home Décor/Accents Halloween Party Decorations/Favors Holiday Décor

Decorate a simple glass block for a spooktacular lighted Halloween decor using A Frightful Affair cartridge, vinyl, and a string or two of lights! This project is an easy way to add a lighted Halloween decoration to any room of your home. It is also a great party decoration, too! Any one of the images from A Frightful Affairs Silhouette feature would look perfect for this project!

## CRICUT®: WHAT WAS USED

Cricut Expression® Machine

Cricut® Everyday Cartridge, A Frightful Affair

## OTHER MATERIALS NEEDED

- Cricut Vinyl in Raven
- Cricut Vinyl Transfer Tape
- Specialty Frosted Glass spray
- One or more strings of Halloween Lights
- Cricut Tool Kit

## PROJECT CUT FILES

Halloween glass block window-AFA.ccr

## STEP 1

Spray your glass block with the Frosted Glass spray and let it dry.

Plain glass block

Frosted Glass Spray

## STEP 2

Use the ccr file to cut the vinyl. Or using CCR, click on the Real Size button, add and then resize the image (on page 45 of A Frightful Affair, Silhouette feature) to 7.25"x7.25" by unlocking the width and height proportions in Shape Properties or in the top tool bar. This will make the image a square instead of a rectangle. Cut your vinyl using a "kiss cut". This means that you only want to cut through the vinyl and not the backing. I used the following settings on my Expression - blade depth at 2 and pressure at medium.

## STEP 3

Next you will want to "weed" your vinyl. Using the sharp tool from the Cricut Tool Kit, remove all of the negative parts of the vinyl leaving just the positive image.

Cut vinyl after weeding

## STEP 4

Use the Cricut Vinyl Transfer Tape to transfer the vinyl to the glass block making sure that the image is centered and that there are no air bubbles under the vinyl.

## STEP 5

Add the string(s) of lights to the inside of the glass block. For my project, I used orange and purple lights mixed together.

Halloween lights

Lights in glass block

## STEP 6

Plug in the string of lights and you have a perfect Halloween decoration! And when it gets dark, your Halloween glass block will give off a spooky glow!

Finished Glass Block at Night

Finished Glass Block

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