



# **Concrete Pumpkins**



## **You will need:**

**One bag of Mortar**

**Water**

**2 to 3 knee high hose**

**1 pair panty hose**

**Jute string**

**Scissors**

**Small sticks for stems**

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Mix mortar with water.

Fill knee high sock with mortar to desired size. Twist to tighten. Do not tie off top.

Place your stick (stem) in center and slightly press it down into the ball.

Take jute string and wrap around the ball of mortar to create indentions like on a pumpkin. I did this 3 – 4 times per sock. Pull tight and tie together. I let them sit for about 30 minutes. Do not let them dry completely with the hose on. If you do, you will struggle trying to remove it.

If you use panty hose the pumpkin will be much larger. The seam of the hose will create its own indention. Then, add more indentions with the jute string. This will take a bit longer to dry because of its size. Again, do not let the pumpkin dry with the hose on.