

# FAQ & photo charm ideas

## *What can I do with Vintage Faerie photo charms and pendants?*

Glad you asked! It is so much fun to come up with new ways of wearing and displaying your charms and pendants...

- Wear on the toggle of a charm bracelet or collect bunches of charms and create a "theme" charm bracelet.
- Add to a chain or beaded strand and wear as a necklace.
- Find a gorgeous lush vintage ribbon in your favorite colour. Wrap the ribbon around your wrist a few times and add your favorite charm, or add a pendant to the ribbon and tie around your neck.
- Add a photo charm or pendant to a beautifully wrapped gift, adorn wine bottles, tie around cards; highlight any gift or notion.
- Gather some wine glasses for a party (or for a sweet housewarming gift), choose a few special photo charms, add some ribbon and tie a photo charm to each glasses' stem... *voila!* Unique and meaningful wine glass charms you made yourself!
- Hang a pendant from a shabby chandelier, wall sconce, drawer knob, drape with ribbon over a mirror, tie around a candle (careful not to start a fire!) or fresh cut flowers from your garden, even tie a charm on a houseplant (rosemary topiaries are perfect for this!).
- Create a *Tree of Inspiration*. Use a vintage tinsel or feather tree, a primitive Christmas tree, a painted tree branch, or a "tree" of your own creation. Select a few photo charms and pendants that are meaningful to you; ones that inspire you. Symbolize luck, love, peace, and charms that encourage wishes, hopes and dreams. Tie the photo charms and pendants onto your *Tree of Inspiration* with ribbon and place in a special corner, on a favorite table- wherever you will see the meaningful photo charms and pendants to be reminded of the beautiful past and future, and most importantly, to be inspired to wish and dream.

## *What is the different between a charm and a pendant? I don't "get it"?*

Over the years sizing of our photo charms has become important, therefore we basically group our photo items into two main categories; charms and pendants. Charms are 1" and under, the smallest a charm can be is ½"x ½". You know when you purchase a charm it is a nice size to add to a chain for a necklace, but it is also a perfect size to add to bracelets- not too large. Pendants are larger and usually too bulky to add to a bracelet. Therefore we like to say pendants make excellent necklaces and are perfect as décor elements.

## *I would like you to create an exclusive charm and pendant for my store. Can you do this?*

Absolutely! Depending on what you would like, a one-time design fee may be incurred.

## *I would like to use a front photo from one of your standard stock of charms as a back photo for my custom charm. Can you do this?*

In most cases yes! Depending on the shape of the finished charm desired, our standard stock photos are already photo edited and processed and may be used in other charms of similar shape. Now if you would like a circle charm's front as the back of your rectangle custom charm, this may be difficult to accomplish, or the circle charm's photo may have to be cropped differently to work.

## *I would like to use a vintage scrap paper back. Can I tell you what I want?*

\*Unfortunately we choose what vintage scrap paper back will work best with your charm. Because of the nature of scrap paper- little "snippets" usually left over from artist Amanda's artwork- we cannot offer standard stock. Vintage scrap paper backs will vary charm to charm, pendant to pendant. Scrap backs range from text to ledgers to designs, even occasional wallpaper; all vintage or antique.

## *Can you rush orders?*

Many times yes, depending on our current workload. We ask that you contact us before submitting your order for rushed items. Keep in mind we usually cannot accept rush order requests during various Holidays.

## *Do you offer Holiday Photo Charm and Pendants?*

Yes! We like to offer different photo charms and pendants each year so those who like to collect our items will always find something new. Many times we also design new photo charm shapes for specific Holidays such as eggs, hearts, trees, etc. We always have Holiday order cut-off dates so make sure to place your order in plenty of time. And it is also important to understand that Holiday orders may require 4 weeks to ship due to our increased workload.