# **ADALYNN CROSSBODY KIT**

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#### **KIT CONTAINS:**

Pre-Cut, Pre-Punched Leather Snake Chain Chain Anchors (2) Chicago Screws (6) Instructions & Pattern

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#### YOU WILL NEED:

Small Phillips Screwdriver

#### LEVEL UP WITH TANDY



## PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING PROJECT.

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

Bag Body (A) Keeper (B) Snake Chain (C) Chain Anchors (D) Chicago Screws (E)

**Not Shown:** Instructions & Pattern

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#### SKILLS USED:

Hardware Installation Braiding

#### **OPTIONAL TOOLS:**

Painter's Tape or Binder Clip

#### GLOSSARY:

FLESH SIDE: The underside of an animal's hide. On veg-tanned tooling leather, this is the rough side.

GRAIN SIDE: The hide's surface that had the hair of the animal.Typically used for carving and stamping.

#### **PRECAUTIONS:**

Please use caution when applying leather conditioner. Dyed leather may transfer.



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#### **BRAID LEATHER KEEPER**

I. Place Keeper (B) flesh side down. Pro Tip: Secure the end to something sturdy with a piece of tape or binder clip.

- 2. The Keeper (B) has 3 strips. We will reference the strips as 1,2,3. (Figure 1)
- 3. Begin by folding the bottom end up and through strips 2 & 3. (Figure 2)
- 4. Cross strip 1 over and between strip 2 & 3. (Figure 3)
- 5. Cross strip 3 over and between 1 & 2. (Figure 4)
- 6. Cross strip 2 over and between 1 & 3. (Figure 5)

7. Hold the braid between pointer finger and thumb and fold the bottom end up and through strips 2 & 3. (Figure 6)

#### Figure 1





Figure 4



Figure 5











8. Pull the end through and continue braiding with the same sequence as above.

9. Cross strip 1 over and between strip 2 & 3.

10. Cross strip 3 over and between 1 & 2.

II. Cross strip 2 over and between I & 3.

12. At this point the strips should still be all parallel below the braid and you can begin the sequence again by folding the bottom end up and through strips 2 & 3. (Figure 7 & 8)

- 13. Continue braiding.
- 14. Cross strip 1 over and between strip 2 & 3.
- 15. Cross strip 3 over and between 1 & 2.
- 16. Cross strip 2 over and between 1 & 3.

17. At this point there should be a full braid, but it may be tighter towards the top. Loosen the top portion and evenly distribute the tension among the strips.
(Figure 9) Pro Tip: Always fold the end up and through strips 2 & 3. Braid 3 times and repeat.

#### Figure 7

## Figure 8





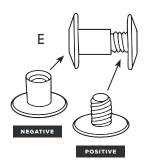


#### ASSEMBLING THE BAG BODY

18. Start by laying Bag Body (A) flesh side up. (Figure 10)

### Figure 10





19. Insert a negative Chicago Screw (E) from the grain side of the offset interior punch hole. Fold the outer tab in and over the Chicago Screw (E). Insert the positive Chicago Screw (E) and tightly secure using a phillips screwdriver. The goal is to align and overlap the two adjacent punch holes (4th holes counting down from the top). (Figures 11-13)

### Figure 11



#### Figure 12





20. Fold the bottom up to meet the top. The bottom should overlap the outer edge. Goal is to align the last three punch holes on the right side of the bag. Insert a negative Chicago Screw (E) through the bottom two holes. It should be inserted through the exterior side of the bag. (Figure 14)

21. Secure the Chicago Screw (E) from the interior using the positive post and a screwdriver.

## Figure 14



22. Align next two holes, but this time add Keeper (B). Insert a negative Chicago Screw (E) through Keeper (B) and the two layers of the Bag Body (A).

23. Insert the positive portion of the Chicago Screw (E) from the bag interior, securing three layers of leather. (Figure 15)



24. Align top two holes and insert the screw post from the interior. Attach one of the Chain Anchors (D) by securing with the screw post from the interior side of the bag using a small Phillip's screwdriver. (Figure 16)

25. Repeat steps 19-24 on the following side.

26. Lastly attach the Snake Chain (C) to the two Chain Anchors (D). (Figure 17)

Figure 16

Figure 17





# CONGRATULATIONS, YOU'VE MADE AN ADALYNN CROSSBODY!





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