Kosy Creations Catalog

- ✓ Project Books
- ✓ Tools
- ✓ Tool Sets
- ✓ Supplies
- Pictures of
 Finished Projects



Kosy Creations provides tools, supplies, and project books that picture in step-by-step detail how to make hundreds of useable and saleable metal projects.

Kosy Creations has been utilized with great success by over 6,000 educational welding programs and by thousands of individuals throughout the United States and Canada.



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Picture of our facility located in Rochester MN.



• Kosy Volume 1 Book describes all the basic operations.

This book also contains 10 projects fully illustrated with step by step directions. (red book, 68 pages)

- Kosy Volume 2 Book contains 28 projects fully illustrated with step by step directions. (75 pages)
- Kosy Volume 3 Book contains 30 projects fully illustrated with step by step directions. (77 pages)
- Kosy Volume 4 Book contains 20 projects fully illustrated with step by step directions. (71 pages)

Examples of items made with step by step instructions/photos throughout the 4 books



Napkin Holders



Fruit bowls



Candlesticks

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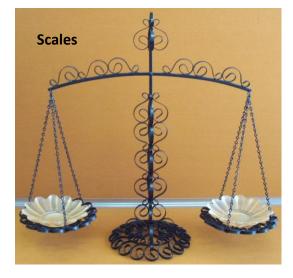


Mug Hooks (many patterns can be created. From 1 mug hook to 100. 7 piece design shown here.)













The books also contain step by step instructions/photos for:

- Wall Sconces
- Candle Holders
- Letters / Numbers
- Trivets
- Music Notes

88 projects overall in the 4 books BUT

the creations don't stop there. Change one of the designs shown in the books **or** create your own as the photos below show.



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BJ1 Scroll Bending Jig.

Used in some Kosy Creations projects. Metal capacity: 1/8" solid round rod or welding rod.



BJ2 Scroll Bending Jig Set.

<u>Used in many Kosy Creations projects. Metal capacity:</u> Main scroll produced uses 1/4"w x 5 1/2" long strip of metal (MS5 Kosy Metal) to produce a #12s scroll.

Also used with 1/4", 3/8", or 1/2"w x 7" long strips of metal (MS7, MS71, or MS72 Kosy Metal) to produce a #10 scroll.



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BJ3 Scroll Bending Jig Set.

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Main scroll produced uses 1/4"w x 7" long strip of metal (MS7 Kosy Metal) to produce a #12L scroll.

Also used with 3/8"w (MS71), or 1/2"w (MS72 Kosy Metal) x 7" long strips of metal to produce a #12L scroll **AND** with 1/4"w x 5 1/2" long strip of metal (MS5 Kosy Metal) to produce a #8 scroll.





Small end of the scroll made 1^{st} .





Large end of the scroll made 2nd.



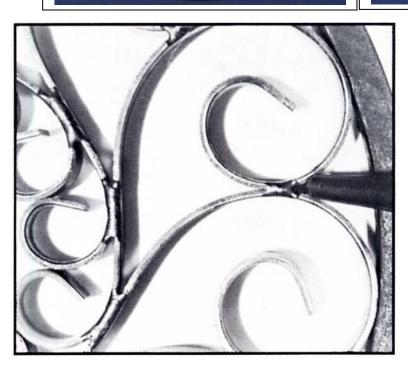
Locking Rings:

LR8 Inside dia. 4 1/8" LR12s Inside dia. 4 3/4" LR12L Inside dia. 5 3/4" LR15 Inside dia. 6 7/8" LR16 Inside dia. 7 1/4"

Locking Rings are used to hold the Kosy scrolls together while welding. Oxyacetylene welding is the type of welding recommended (basically melting the metal together where they join)



LR12L Locking Ring filled with scrolls



Scrolls shown welded up. <u>All</u> the center welds are done 1st and then the larger ends of the scrolls are welded.

HINT: Use a 1" x 1/8" x 12" piece of flat strip metal to hold down the scrolls while welding. This will ensure a flat ring section when welding is completed.

HINT: Using the **TT1 Welding Turntable** (shown on next page) makes the welding faster as you spin the turntable to go from one completed weld to the next scrolls to be welded VERSUS manually moving the whole ring section.

LR12L Locking Ring half filled with scrolls



TT1 WELDING TURNTABLE

Handy for welding up ring sections. Bearing will not freeze up when hot. Table spins so ring sections do not have to be moved while welding. 8 3/16" dia.





Top view of the TT1 Welding Turntable. Shown here with a locking ring filled with scrolls ready for welding. This photo shows the TT1 Welding Turntable from a side view. Base and top visible with the bearing located inside the base. Locking Ring filled with scrolls is pictured here on the TT1 top.

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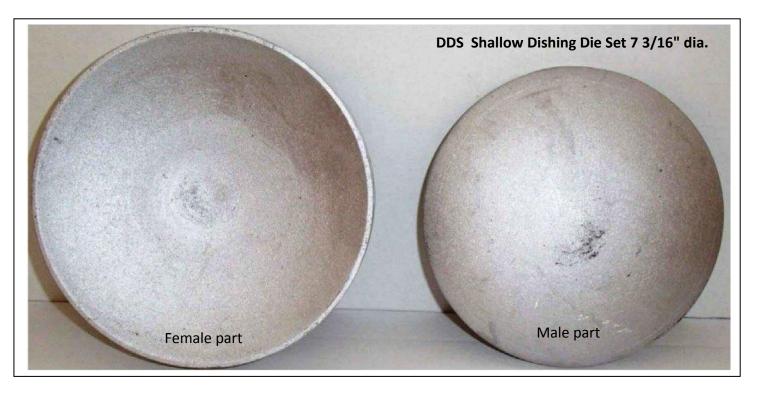


Dishing Dies are used to obtain curvature of the ring sections. Ring sections are dished to obtain the different diameters needed for various shapes of bowls and other projects.

More photos and descriptions of what the dishing die sets do are on the next page.

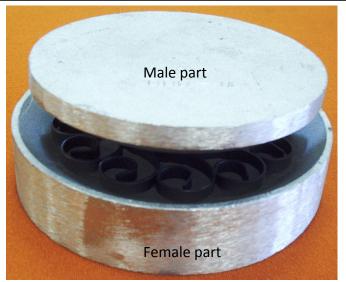
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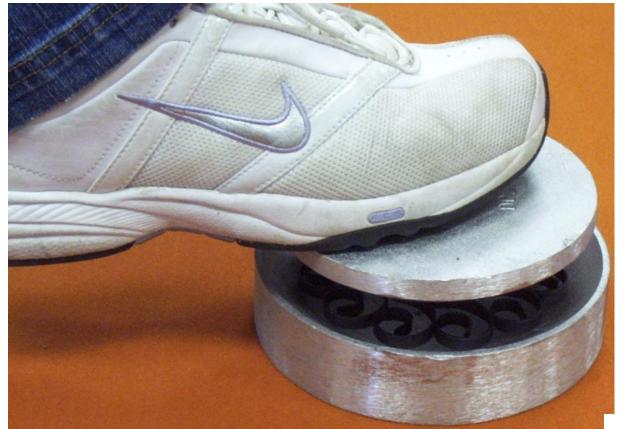




Flat welded up ring section placed in DDD Deep Dishing Die – female part. The welded side of the ring section may face up when placed in the die set or the welds may be face downward (as pictured here) depending on the project.



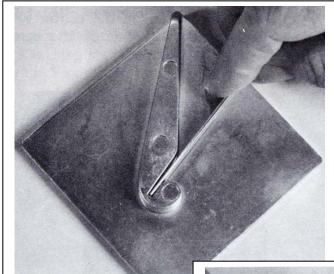
After placing flat welded up ring section in the DDD Deep Dishing Die female part, place the male part of the dishing set on top of the flat welded up ring section.



Next – STEP ON IT! We have found this a quick and easy way to achieve the curvature. Finish it by taking off the male part of the die and then using a small mallet, pound the ring section down evenly.



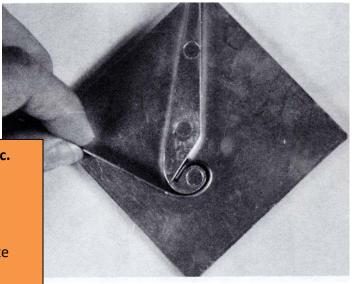




Remainder of this page plus next 2 pages show how a piece of 1/4" solid round rod (held in vise) is used to wrap shorter pieces of flat metal strip around the round rod. This is done to make center pieces that are then inserted into the scroll ring centers.

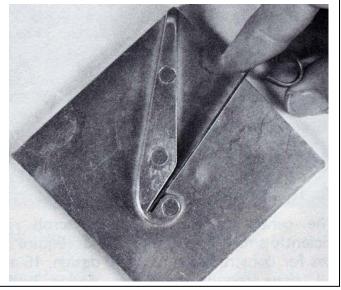
Step 1: Cut 1/4" wide metal (MS5 or MS7 Kosy metal) to 3 3/4" in length.

Step 2: Insert metal into BJ3s Scroll Bender and bend to 270 degrees.

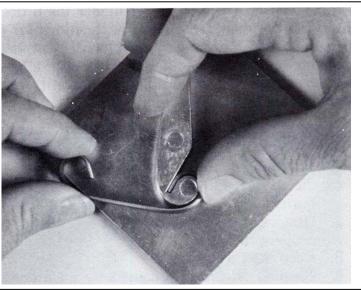


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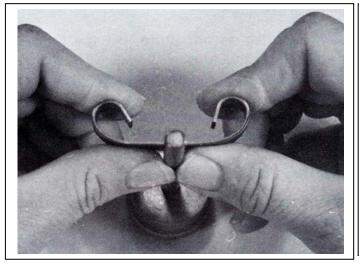
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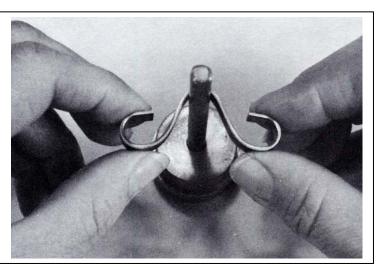
Step 3: Opposite end of metal is inserted into the bending jig BJ3s.



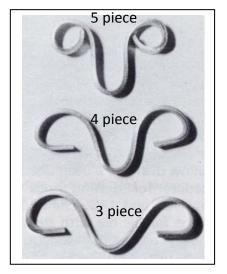
Step 4: Bend the metal to the same 270 degrees as done in step 2. This will give you identical bends on both ends of the metal strip.



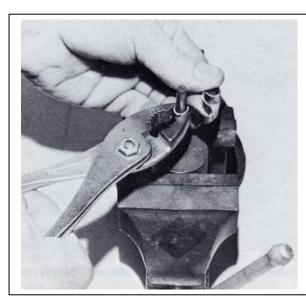
Step 5: Center of piece is then bent around 1/4" solid round rod held in a vise.



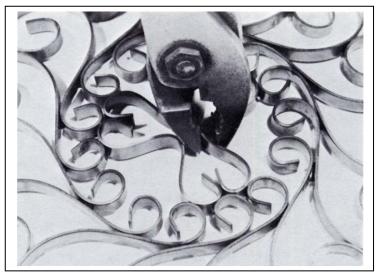
Step 6: Degree of bend varies, depending on whether a 3, 4, or 5 piece design is desired.



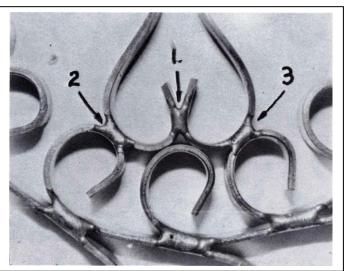
This photo illustrates a 3, 4, and 5 piece center design.



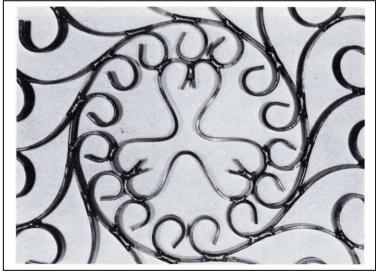
5 piece centerpiece ends are finished with pliers around the 1/4" solid rod.



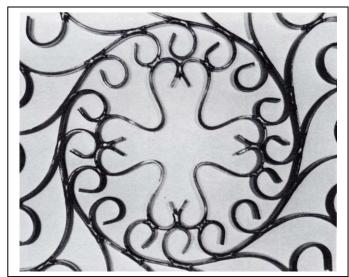
Centerpieces are locked in position with pliers.



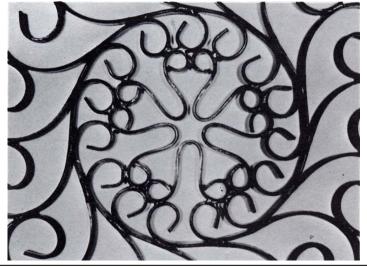
Welding order for center designs.



3 piece center design.



4 piece center design.



5 piece center design.

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FT1 Flaring Tool

Used to flare 3/4" conduit or tubing. Purchased mainly by schools as another teaching step.

> **BJ5 Bending Jig** Allows one to make scrolls in hot rolled flat strip metal up to 1" wide x 1/8" thickness.



KOSY TOOL SET

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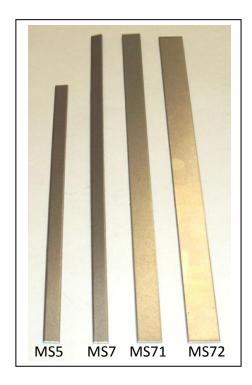
KOSY TOOL SET INCLUDES:

- 1 ea. Kosy Book Volumes 1, 2, 3, and 4
- 1 BJ1 Scroll Bender
- 1 BJ2 Scroll Bender Jig Set
- 1 BJ3 Scroll Bender Jig Set
- 1 BJ5 Scroll Bender

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- 3 ea. LR8, LR12s, LR12L, LR15, and LR16 Locking Rings (15 rings total)
- 1 DDD Deep Dishing Die Set
- 1 DDS Shallow Dishing Die Set
- 1 TT1 Welding Turntable
- 14 lbs. Kosy metal (variety of MS5, MS7, MS71, and MS72)

KOSY SUPPLIES



MS5 Metal Strip (2nd most popular size used)
 1/4" wide x 5 1/2" long flat metal strip
 Approx. 60 strips per lb.

• MS7 Metal Strip (most popular size used) 1/4" wide x 7" long flat metal strip Approx. **41** strips per lb.

• MS71 Metal Strip 3/8" wide x 7" long flat metal strip Approx. **30** strips per lb.

• MS72 Metal Strip 1/2" wide x 7" long flat metal strip Approx. **23** strips per lb.





T7 Candle Tray (available with or without a 1/8" hole in center) Approx. size 2 5/8" diameter



DD1 11/2" Dapped Disc

KOSY SUPPLIES (continued)



DP1 Plain Disc 1 1/2"



Oval 11 Gauge Chain. Sold in 3', or additional increments of 3 feet. For example 6', 9',12', 15', 18' or more feet.





1/8 IPS Steel Locknut

1/8 PT x 1" Running Thread Nipple



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Plastic Parallel Insulated Lamp Cord No. 18 - Type SPT-1 105C - 300 volt U.L. Labeled. Sold per foot.



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BJ1, BJ2, and BJ3 Scroll Outlines (approx. size)

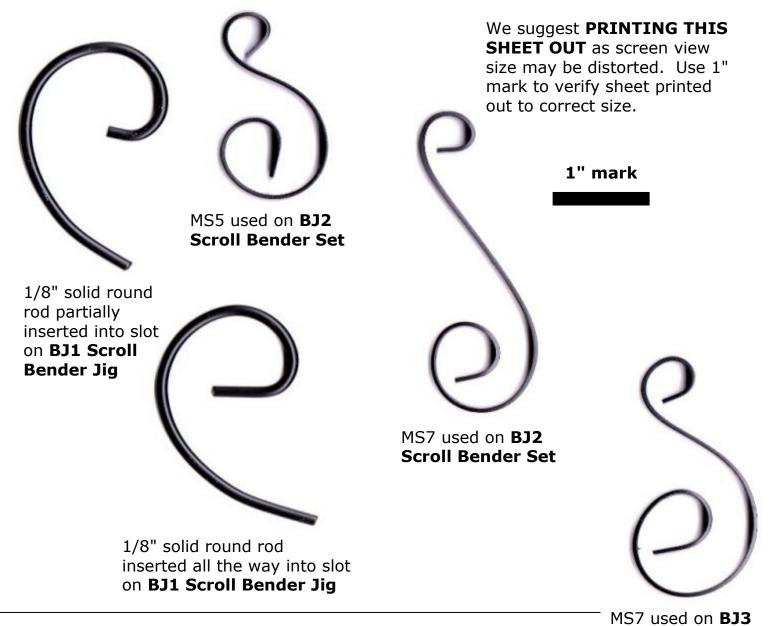
The **BJ1 Scroll Bender Jig** is for 1/8" solid round rod only

The BJ2 Scroll Bender Set uses:

- 5 1/2" long x 1/4" wide x 18 gauge thickness flat strip metal (our MS5) OR
- 7" long x 1/4" wide x 18 gauge thickness flat strip metal (our MS7)

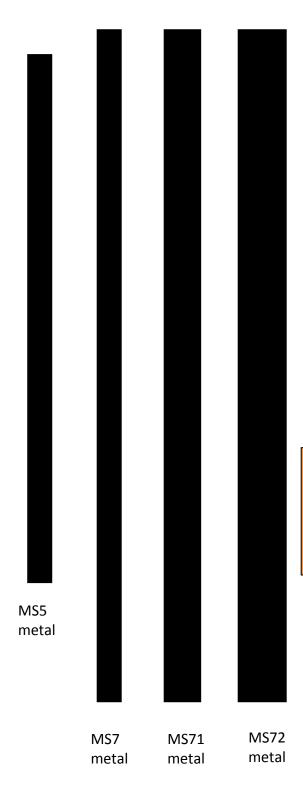
The BJ3 Scroll Bender Set uses:

- 7" long x 1/4" wide x 18 gauge thickness flat strip metal (our MS7) OR
- 7" long x 3/8" wide x 18 gauge thickness flat strip metal (our MS71) OR
- 7" long x 1/2" wide x 18 gauge thickness flat strip metal (our MS72)



MS7 used on BJ3 Scroll Bender Set





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