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*Nature in your hands*

# Magic in Nature

Have you wondered if there is a way to preserve the beautiful colors of the leaves before winter arrives? There is!

You'll have your own piece of magic to brighten your day!

## Materials:

- dry leaves
- glycerin
- flat pan or disposable plates



## Procedure:

1. Mix glycerin and water, you'll need one part glycerin to two parts water
2. Submerge the leaves and place another plate on top with something heavy like a book to keep the leaves in the mixture
3. Let sit for 4-5 days
4. The leaves will be flexible, gently wipe with a paper towel
5. Place leaves in a picture frame or some other way to display them!

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