# Valentine Dinner Table for Two



Even though we may still have a larger group for a Valentine's Day dinner, we are ready to remain flexible this year. So, I wanted to create a pretty, festive Valentine dinner table for two. And today, I am part of a Valentine DIY Blog Hop so please read to the bottom to see other Valentine inspired posts.

#### The Tablecloth



The tablecloth generally sets the mood and this year, I am looking for something a bit different. Fortunately, I own a few lovely 1950s vintage tablecloths with brightly colored roses. It is hard to believe that the color is still so vibrant after nearly 70 years. For this tablecloth and more, <a href="mailto:check out">check out</a> my Store.

#### The Setting



Changing up the dinner table location always add a sense of adventure to the meal. Here I chose the corner of the living room where a game table is always set for play. The square table is perfect for the 51" square tablecloth.

#### The Place Setting



Since there is a touch of gray in the pattern, the melanin

silver chargers are the perfect choice. As you may recall, I did use them at Christmas time and many of you are surprised that these are not real silver. I found this <u>set of 6 chargers</u> on Amazon and they are very affordable. To see the Christmas tablescape, click <u>here</u>.

The Emma stoneware is a standard item at Pottery Barn and can be found <u>here</u>. Since I do not own plain white dishes with a silver rim, the bead along the edge pairs nicely with the vintage embroidered napkin.

Silverware is Oneida Ballad Country Lane and the rose design seems appropriate!

## The Bling



Heart Shaped ornaments from Paris

The unique heart shaped silver/glass ornaments are a purchase from my trip to Paris in 2010. My friend, Susan and I came upon a Christmas shop and I fell in love with nearly every ornament. Thankfully I had room in my suitcase to bring a few of them home.



The water glass is from Waterford and I just finally replaced the few broken ones from my collection. It literally took years to find them, but persistence and Replacements, LTD saved the day.

My sweet friend, Louise is the reason I own these incredible wine glasses. Found on eBay, these Rogaska Gallia crystal glasses stand 9 1/4″ tall, and feel so good in your hand. Every time I use them, I feel joy. To see these glasses in another table setting, click here.

#### The Ambiance

What is a romantic table without candles? These candlesticks are my husband's favorite as he purchased them directly after we toured the Waterford glass factory in Ireland. All the glassware sparkles in the candlelight.



Generally, I love loading a table up with fresh cut flowers. But this time, a simple small bouquet of roses graces the center of the table.

The barley twist chairs are an old antique store find and are part of a set of four. I love the contrast of the dark wood (which is now in style!) with the crisp white/red/green tablecloth on this Valentine dinner table for two.





The menu is still coming together in my head, but since this is the time of year for acquiring fresh citrus (and our orchard is abundant with fruit), I may make lemon pots de creme for dessert. These are so simple to make, delicious, and just the right size after a good meal. Ingredients are easily obtainable too! To get the recipe, click <u>here</u>.





I hope you enjoy my Valentine Dinner table for two. To see last year's pink Valentine table for two, click <a href="here">here</a>.

So what are your plans for Valentine's Day?

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## DIY Valentine Blog Tour

And now onto the Valentine blog hop. Niky from The House on Silverado creates a Farmhouse Valentine Vignette <u>here</u>.



Kirsten from Tribe of Burton has a Boho Valentine decor on her mantel. You can see it *here*.

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Kippi from Kippi at Home makes this sweet <u>Valentine pom pom</u> <u>wreath.</u>

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Chas from Chas Crazy Creations makes miraculous things from the Dollar Store. See her Heart Wall Art *here*.

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Sam from Raggedy Bits makes these Stamped Farmhouse Wooden Valentine Block signs <u>here</u>. So cute!

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Maria from Simple Nature Decor makes this sweet Valentine tree  $\sim$  you can see the tutorial <u>here</u>.



Olivia from OliviaHern.com makes these adorable <u>yarn wrapped</u> <u>hearts</u>.

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Leanna from Pretty DIY Home shows how to make this <u>Heart</u> <u>Warming Valentine Craft Heating Pad.</u>

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Rebecca from Zucchini Sisters shares a Dollar Tree <u>Valentine's</u>

<u>DIY Puzzle Piece Heart Craft.</u>

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Cindy from Cloches and Lavender adds French Valentine decor to her home. See it <u>here</u>.

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Thank you for joining us today! As you know, we appreciate all your comments and feedback. Have a safe, healthy and wonderful day!