

Zelda's Journey

Project N705 [Skill Level: Beginner]

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This necklace is full of old world charm and looks like a treasured keepsake from the travels of a great aunt or grandmother. The 3 different styles Czech Glass beads combine beautifully and add to the exotic elegance of the piece.



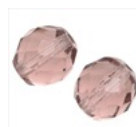
What You'll Need

Czech Glass Table Cut Window Beads 8x12mm Faceted Teardrop - Lt Sapphire / Picasso (12)



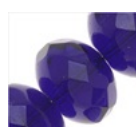
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Project uses 24 pieces

Czech Fire Polish Glass Beads 10mm Round Light Amethyst (12)



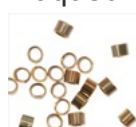
SKU: BCP-31040
Project uses 8 pieces

Czech Fire Polish Glass Beads 11mm x 7mm Rondelle Cobalt Blue (8)



SKU: BCP-4852
Project uses 7 pieces

Antiqued Brass Micro Crimp Beads 1.2mm x 1.7mm (144 Beads)



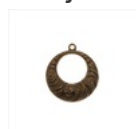
SKU: FCR-1900
Project uses 6 pieces

Vintaj Natural Brass 8x4mm Foliage Bead Caps with Leaf Design (6)



SKU: BMB-4250
Project uses 18 pieces

Vintaj Natural Brass Nouveau Swirls Toggle Ring Charm 19mm (1)



SKU: PND-7147
Project uses 1 piece

Vintaj Natural Brass Nouveau Swirls Creative Bar Toggle 26mm (1)



SKU: FCL-4654
Project uses 1 piece

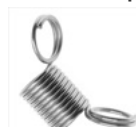
Beadalon Beading Wire Bronze 7 Strand .015 Inch / 30Ft



SKU: XCR-67563
Project uses 24 inches

Specialized Tools

Bead Stopper- Stop Beads Sliding Off Stringing Material



SKU: XTL-3000

Standard Size Beading Crimping Pliers (For 2x2mm & 2x1mm Crimp Beads)



SKU: XTL-5200

Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex



SKU: XTL-5600

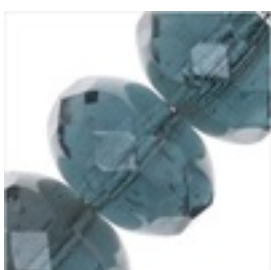
Instructions:

- Place a bead stopper on one end of your necklace, about 4 inches from the tail.
- String onto your wire: 1 crimp bead, 1 Czech glass table cut window teardrop bead in light sapphire picasso (strung onto the wire narrow side first), 1 Vintaj foliage bead cap (cupping the last bead), and 11 more teardrop beads all facing the same direction as the first.
- Next string 1 Vintaj foliage bead cap (facing away from the previous beads), 1 Czech Fire Polished 10mm round bead in light amethyst, another bead cap (this time facing the last bead, and 1 Czech Fire Polished 11mm x 17mm rondelle bead in cobalt. Repeat this same sequence another 6 times and then also add 1 more segment of bead cap/amethyst bead/bead cap.
- Next sting 11 Czech glass table cut window teardrop beads in light sapphire picasso (strung onto the wire widest side first), 1 Vintaj foliage bead cap (facing away from the last bead), 1 more teardrop bead, and 4 crimp beads. Place your wire through the hole in your Vintaj toggle bar and slide the bar to rest on the crimp beads. String another crimp bead and loop your thread back around, down through the hole in the toggle bar, back through all the crimp beads, and back through several of the Czech glass beads. Pull snug. Now take your crimping pliers and crimp the second crimp bead from the teardrop bead. Cut off any excess wire using your flush cutters.
- Remove the bead stopper from the other end of your necklace. Place the beading wire through the loop at the base of your Vintaj ring, loop it around and back down through the crimp bead and through several of the Czech glass teardrop beads. Pull snug and crimp the crimp bead. Cut off excess wire with flush cutters.
- Enjoy!

Variations

There are many colors of beautiful Czech Glass beads to use for this project.

When substituting in items, pay attention to sizes and styles to make sure all your pieces will fit together.



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