Howdy Earrings

Project E2063

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Go West with these cowboy inspired earrings featuring TierraCast charms.

What You'll Need

22K Gold Plated 2.5mm x 3mm Cable Chain - By The Foot
SKU: CHA-2601
Project uses 5 inches

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Western Cowboy Hat Charm 12mm (1)
SKU: PND-5249
Project uses 1 piece

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Western Cowboy Boot Charm 18.8mm (1)
SKU: PND-5195
Project uses 1 piece

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Southwestern Cactus Charm 20mm (1)
SKU: PND-5198
Project uses 1 piece

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Western Sheriff Star Charm 18mm (1)
SKU: PND-5243
Project uses 1 piece

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Prancing Horse Charm 20mm (1)
SKU: PND-5192
Project uses 1 piece

TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Western Six Shooter Gun Charm 14mm (1)
SKU: PND-5246
Project uses 1 piece

22K Gold Plated Open Jump Rings 5mm 20 Gauge (100)
SKU: FJR-5250
Project uses 6 pieces

22K Gold Plated Surgical Steel Hypo-Allergenic Earring Hooks (100)
SKU: FEA-3010
Project uses 2 pieces

Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers

Instructions

1. Cut six pieces of chain. Two that are 4 links, two that are 10 links, and two that are 16 links.

2. To attach the charms to the chains, open one jump ring and link it to the loop of the charm as well as to the last link in the chain.

3. You can arrange the charms as you like or use the suggestion by looking at the photo.

4. For the first earring, attach the sheriff star to the four link chain. Attach the horse charm to the 16 link chain. Attach the gun charm to the 10 link chain.

5. For the second earring, attach the cactus charm to the four link chain. Attach the hat charm to the 16 link chain. Attach the boot charm to the 10 link chain.

6. For each earring hook, attach the chains in this order to the loop of the earring hook, by opening the loop the same way your would a jump ring: 4 link, 16 link and 10 link. Close the loop of the earring finding.

7. All done!