

Blue Chalcedony Briolette Necklace

Project N738

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Faceted glass briolettes in stunning blue chalcedony have been neatly wire wrapped and hung from a delicate bright silver plated roll chain in this elegant necklace design.

What You'll Need

Bright Silver Plated Round Rolo Chain 3mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-9970

Project uses 15.5 inches



Glass Faceted Heart Cut Briolette Beads 13x13mm - Blue Chalcedony (4)

SKU: BCP-11041

Project uses 3 pieces



Glass Faceted Heart Cut Briolette Beads 6x6mm - Blue Chalcedony (4)

SKU: BCP-11020

Project uses 4 pieces



Silver Filled Curved Balloon Lobster Clasps With Rings 9mm (4 Pieces)

SKU: FCL-8014

Project uses 1 piece



Silver Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 22 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-5454

Project uses 10 pieces



Artistic Wire, Silver Plated Craft Wire 24 Gauge Thick, 10 Yard Spool, Tarnish Resistant Silver

SKU: WCR-2430

Project uses 84 inches



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith

Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers, [XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers -

Wire/Soft Flex

Instructions

The instructions for this project make a 16 inch necklace. If you want a longer or shorter necklace, adjust the instructions accordingly. The kit ingredients will allow you to make up to a 24 inch necklace.

1. Before beginning this project, please watch the video: How to Wire Wrap a Briolette. After you have made your initial wraps, you will want to keep wrapping until you cover the side drilled holes on each briolette.
2. Based upon what you learned in the video, cut a 12 inch piece of artistic wire and wire wrap one of your 13mm x 13mm glass faceted heart cut briolettes in blue chalcedony.



3. Repeat the previous step with 2 other 13mm x 13mm glass faceted heart cut briolettes in blue chalcedony and 4 6mm x 6mm glass faceted heart cut briolettes in blue chalcedony.
4. Cut a 15.5 inch length of chain using your flush cutters.
5. Find the middle link of your cut chain length. Open a 4mm jump ring and link it to one of the large wire wrapped briolettes as well as the middle chain link. Close the jump ring.
6. Count 8 chain links from the middle one and connect a small wire wrapped briolette (using a jump ring) to this chain 8th chain link.
7. Count 8 more chain links from the last one you connected the small briolette to and connect a large wire wrapped briolette (using a jump ring) to this chain 8th chain link.
8. Count 8 more chain links from the last one you connected the large briolette to and connect a small wire wrapped briolette (using a jump ring) to this chain 8th chain link.
9. Repeat the last 3 steps on the other side of your necklace.
10. Open a 4mm jump ring and link it to the end chain link on your chain as well as another jump ring. Close the jump ring.
11. On the other side of your necklace, open a 4mm jumbo ring and connect it to the end chain link as well as your lobster clasp. Close the jump ring.
12. Enjoy!