

Lunar Tide Necklace

Project N8051

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Gold elements glow in this layered necklace featuring a Zola Elements crescent moon pendant. Toho 8/0 seed beads and heishe metal spacers are strung on two strands of delicate matte gold beading chain. The necklace is finished with a lobster clasp and extender chain for variable length.

What You'll Need

Toho Seed Beads, Round 8/0 YPS0032 'Hybrid ColorTrends: Milky Flame', 8 Grams

SKU: JSH-0271

Project uses 12 beads



Toho Seed Beads, Round 8/0 YPS0017 'Hybrid ColorTrends: Metallic Spicy Mustard', 8 Grams

SKU: JSH-0246

Project uses 12 beads



Toho Seed Beads, Round 8/0 Y632 'Hybrid Sueded Gold Transparent Capri Blue', 8 Grams

SKU: JSH-0160

Project uses 30 beads



TierraCast 22K Gold Plated Pewter Nugget Heishe Beads 5mm (20)

SKU: BMB-3603

Project uses 11 beads



Zola Elements Pendant, Hammered Crescent Moon 23mm, 1 Piece, Satin Gold Tone

SKU: PZE-007

Project uses 1 piece



Matte Gold Plated Fine Snake Beading Chain 1mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-99911

Project uses 32 inches



22K Gold Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 20 Gauge 22k Gold Plated (100)

SKU: FJR-3914

Project uses 3 pieces



22K Gold Plated Cord Ends / 2 x 3mm Crimp Beads W Loop (100)

SKU: FCR-1321

Project uses 2 pieces



Nunn Design Antiqued 24kt Gold Plated Lobster Clasps 12mm (2)

SKU: FCL-7521

Project uses 1 piece



Bright Gold Plated 5mm Chain Necklace Extender W/ Drop 2 Inch (5)

SKU: AXC-91002

Project uses 1 piece



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5600] Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - For Cutting Beading Wire, 1 Piece, [XTL-0034]

Wubbers Classic Series Round Nose Quality Jeweller's Pliers, [XTL-0020] Baby Wubbers

Quality Fine Chain Nose Jeweller's Pliers, [XTL-5200] Standard Size Beading Crimping Pliers

(For 2x2mm & 2x1mm Crimp Beads)

Instructions

This necklace is made with a chain extender for adjustable length from 16 to 18 inches.

1. Begin by using pliers to open a 4mm jump ring and slide on the top loop of your crescent moon pendant. Close the jump ring. Set aside.
2. Use flush cutters to cut two lengths of beading chain that are 15 inches and 17 inches respectively.
3. Insert one end of each chain length into a single cord end. Use crimping pliers to crimp the cord end the same way you would a crimp tube.
4. Onto the 15 inch chain, string the following beads: one metallic, one coral, five blue, three heishi spacers, five blue, one coral, one metallic.
5. Onto the 17 inch chain, string the following beads: five coral, two heishi spacers, five metallic, two heishi spacers, ten blue. Then slide on the jump ring of your crescent moon pendant. Repeat this step in reverse to add beads on the other side of your pendant (see photo for reference).
6. Repeat step 3 to attach a cord end to the opposite side of your necklace.
7. To attach your clasp: Open a jump ring and slide on the loop of one cord end. Also slide on the loop of your clasp. Close the jump ring.
8. Repeat the above step on the opposite side of your necklace, this time sliding on the end link of your chain extender. Enjoy!