

Life on a Chain Bracelet

Project B7058

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A length of striking antiqued silver chain with squared links creates an industrial silhouette perfect for men's jewelry.

What You'll Need

Antiqued Silver Plated Bulk Chain, Square Links with Basketweave Connectors 11.5mm, Sold By The Foot

SKU: CHA-0105

Project uses 7 inches



Gunmetal Grey Color Base Metal Swivel Lobster Clasp 32mm (2)

SKU: FCL-8200

Project uses 1 piece



Gun Metal Plated Open Jump Rings Oval 20 Gauge 4mmx6mm (50)

SKU: FJR-3901

Project uses 3 pieces



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5450] Xuron Jeweler's Super Fine Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex



Instructions

These instructions will create an 8 inch bracelet. For a longer or shorter bracelet, adjust the length of chain used.

1. Cut a 7 inch length of basketweave chain. You will want square links to form both ends of the bracelet, so use flat nose and fine chain nose pliers to open the basketweave connectors on each end and discard them.
2. Open 1 oval jump ring and connect the square link on one side of the chain and the ring of your swivel lobster clasp. Close the jump ring.
3. Repeat step 2 twice more, so you have 3 jump rings connecting the end of the chain and the clasp.
4. Close the clasp around the square link on the other side of the chain. Enjoy your bracelet!