

Blue India Earrings

Project E2152

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With a touch of blue patina and a beautiful embossed stamping, these earrings are reminiscent of a far away land of wonder and beauty.

What You'll Need

Vintaj Natural Brass Round Loop Ear Wire 25mm (2 Pair)

SKU: FEA-6640



Project uses 1 Pair



Vintaj Natural Brass Altered Blank Stamping Nouveau Drop 32x13mm (1)

SKU: PND-7213

Project uses 2 pieces



Vintaj Patina, Opaque Permanent Ink For Metal, 0.5 Ounce, Turquoise

SKU: XTL-0402

Project uses 1 piece



Vintaj Natural Brass Open Eye Pins 21 Gauge 1 Inch (20)

SKU: FHP-5525

Project uses 2 pieces



Swarovski Crystal, 5810 Round Faux Pearl Beads 4mm, 50 Pieces, Iridescent Light Blue

SKU: SWP-4038

Project uses 2 pieces



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-880] ICE Resin, Angled Paint Brushes for ICED Enamels & Paper Sealant, 6 Pack, [XTL-1243] Vintaj DecoEmboss Die For Sizzix Bigkick Machine - India Archway, [XTL-2222] Vintaj Metal Relief Block For Filing, Buffing & Sanding, [XTL-1200] Sizzix BIGkick Die Cut Machine - Vintaj Special Edition - Cut, Emboss, And Etch!, [XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers, [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose

Instructions

By following the instructions below you will make one earring. Repeat all instructions to make the second earring. You will also need a paper towel for this project.

1. Please watch our video: How to Use the Vintaj BIGkick with Etching and Embossing Dies.
2. From what you learned in the video, place the stamping into the die. Place it so that you are getting the top part of the archway (see photo for reference).

3. Run it through the machine. Remove the stamping from the die.
4. Use the Vintaj Relief Block on both sides of the stamping to bring out the shiny brass.
5. Next, using a paint brush dab on Vintaj Patina to the front of the stamping. Quickly wipe off any excess with a paper towel. You may add more or less patina to achieve your desired effect. Repeat on the other side of the stamping.
6. Take one eye pin and string on one pearl. Make a simple wire loop, that faces the opposite way of the other loop.
7. Open the one side of the eye pin, same as you would a jump ring, and attach it to the stamping. Close the loop.
8. Move to the other side of the eye pin. Open the loop and attach one earring hook. Close the loop and you're all done!