## Nightfall Earrings

## Project E2178

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A Dark Rainbow Swarovski Crystal draws the eye into this elegant drop earring for a beautiful statement design that adds a touch of sparkle shimmering in the moonlight.

## What You'll Need

Swarovski Crystal, 5000 Round Beads 8 mm , 8 Pieces, Jet
SKU: SWC-0815
Project uses 2 pieces


Swarovski Crystal, 5000 Round Beads 6mm, 10 Pieces, Jet
SKU: SWC-0615
Project uses 10 pieces


Swarovski Crystal, 5000 Round Beads 4mm, 12 Pieces, Jet
SKU: SWC-0415
Project uses 24 pieces


Swarovski Crystal, 1122 Rivoli Fancy Stones 14mm, 2 Pieces, Crystal Rainbow Dark Foiled SKU: SWCR-1197

Project uses 2 pieces


Swarovski Crystal Fancy Stone Setting, Fits 1122 14mm Rivoli, 2 Pieces, Rhodium Plated SKU: SWCR-4405
Project uses 2 pieces
TierraCast Rhodium Plated Lead-Free Pewter Disk Heishi Spacer Beads 3mm (50)
SKU: BMB-3923


Large French Ear Wire, 16mm Long 22 Gauge Wire, 20 Pieces, Silver Plated
SKU: FEA-9421
Project uses 2 pieces


Silver Plated Closed Jump Rings 6mm 18 Gauge (20)
SKU: FJR-4121
Project uses 2 pieces


Shiny Silver Tone Crimp Bead Covers 5mm (144)
SKU: FCR-1055
Project uses 2 pieces
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BeadSmith Crimp Tubes, $2.5 \times 2.5 \mathrm{~mm}$, 100 Pieces, Silver Plated
SKU: FCR-1720
Project uses 2 pieces

Beadalon Wire Satin Silver 7 Strand . 015 Inch / 30Ft
SKU: XCR-67533
Project uses 16 Inches

## Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5608] Xuron 4 In 1 Crimping Pliers - Works On 1, 2 And 3mm Crimps!, [XTL-5600] Xuron
Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers
Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-0074] Eurotool Nylon Jaw Pliers Chain Nose- For Scratch-Free
Wire Work

## Instructions

By following the instructions below you will make one earring. Repeat all instructions to make the second earring.

1. Begin by setting the stone into the setting. You can do this by using a popsicle stick or the side of a nylon jaw pliers. Please watch our video here to see this easy technique. Once your stone is in the setting, set it aside.
2. Using your flush cutters, cut off 8 inches of beading wire.
3. On to this beading wire string one 8 mm crystal and slide this down to the center of the wire.
4. Then, on one side of the wire string on one silver bead, one 6 mm crystal, one silver bead, one 6 mm crystal, one silver bead, one 4 mm crystal, one silver bead, one 4 mm crystal, one silver bead and one 4 mm crystal. The repeat this on the other side of the wire.
5. Next string each end of the wire through the two holes of the set stone.
6. Then on one side string one 4 mm crystal, one silver bead, one 4 mm crystal, one silver bead, and one 4 mm crystal. Repeat on the other strand.
7. Take both wires up through one silver bead and one 6 mm crystal.
8. Onto both wires string on one crimp bead and one closed jump ring. Thread the wire back down through the crimp tube. Pull snug and adjust the wires to get them nice and even. Then using the crimpers, crimp the crimp tube. Use you flush cutters to trim any excess wire. Add a crimp cover.
9. Finally, open the loop of the earring hook, same as you would a jump ring and attach it to the jump ring. Close the loop and you're all done!
