

Let It Snow Earrings

Project E706

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There is something very elegant about a snowflake and these earrings attempt to capture that beauty. They feature a detailed snowflake stamping accented by sparkly SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS crystal beads.

What You'll Need

Silver Plated Head Pins 2 Inches Long/22 Gauge (X50)

SKU: FHP-5320

Project uses 8 pieces



Swarovski Crystal, 5052 Round Mini Beads 6mm, 4 Pieces, Crystal

SKU: SWBB-7503

Project uses 8 pieces



Swarovski Crystal, 5328 Bicone Beads 2.5mm, 20 Pieces, Crystal

SKU: SWBB-1000

Project uses 12 pieces



Antiqued Silver Plated Snowflake 3-Strand Reducer / Connector Beads 18mm (4)

SKU: FCO-9811

Project uses 2 pieces



Silver Plated French Wire Earring Hooks 18mm (25 Pairs)

SKU: FEA-3070

Project uses 1 piece



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers



Instructions

Don't forget to double these instructions to make your matched pair of earrings

1. Place onto a head pin: 1 SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS crystal 3mm bicone, 1 SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS round mini bead in crystal, and another bicone. Create a simple wire loop after the last bead and trim excess wire with flush cutters. Make a total of 3 of these dangles.
2. Look at your antique silver plate snowflake stamping and attach the 3 dangles from above to the 3 side holes in the snowflake. Just open up their simple loops the same way you would open a jump ring and connect it through the hole, then close the loop up.
3. Carefully snip the head off of a head pin (cut as little actual wire as possible). Create a simple wire loop on one end of your wire, place a SWAROVSKI ELEMENTS round mini bead in crystal onto the wire, and then create a simple wire loop after the bead.
4. Open one of the loops and slip it through the top hole on your snowflake stamping. Close the loop. Connect your earring finding to the other loop.

5. Happy Holidays!