

Lady of the Hour Bridal Necklace and Earrings Set

Project S1001

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Elegant stick pearls hang from delicate gold-filled rings and chains in this eye-catching bridal set.



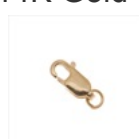
What You'll Need

Gold Filled Delicate Flat Cable Chain 1.5mm Bulk By The Foot



SKU: CHA-1019
Project uses 3 feet

14K Gold Filled Straight Lobster Clasp 10mm (x1)



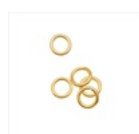
SKU: FCL-2210
Project uses 1 piece

Gold Filled Simple Deep Small Earring Hooks 13mm (1 Pair)



SKU: FEA-4074
Project uses 2 pieces

14K Gold Filled Open Jump Rings 4mm 21 Gauge (10)



SKU: FJR-03045
Project uses 2 pieces

Lustrous Cream White Slender Top-Drilled Stick Pearls 18-30mm (16 Inch Strand)



SKU: PEW-5025
Project uses 15 pieces

1/2 Oz (27 Ft) Gold Filled Wire 24 Gauge -Round-Half Hard



SKU: WGF-12434
Project uses 1 foot

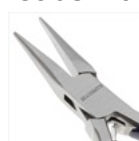
Specialized Tools

Wubbers Bail Making Jewelry Pliers - Medium 3mm & 5mm Size



SKU: XTL-0031

Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose



SKU: XTL-5511

Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex



SKU: XTL-5600



Instructions:

Some of the stick pearls may not easily slide onto the jump rings that you create. You may need to pick and choose amongst the pearls on your strand to find fifteen that work easily for this project.

1. To begin, use a pair of flush cutters to cut one 16" length, three 3/4" lengths, three 1" lengths, three 1 1/4" lengths, three 1 1/2" lengths, and three 1 3/4" lengths of gold-filled delicate cable chain.
2. For the next step, watch the instructional video: How to Make Jump Rings with Wubber Bail Making Jewelry Pliers. This video will show you how to use 24 gauge round half-hard gold filled wire to make jump rings using a pair of Wubber bail making jewelry pliers. Use the method shown to make eighteen 5 mm jump rings.
3. Open a 5 mm jump ring and place a slender top-drilled stick pearl onto it. Then put the jump ring through the last link on one of the lengths of chain. Repeat this process with 14 more stick pearls and the rest of the chain lengths.
4. Divide up the chains and pearls into three groups that each have one of each length of chain.
5. Open another 5 mm jump ring and put the last link of the free end of all of the chains in one of the groups onto the jump ring. Then put a gold-filled simple deep small earring hook onto the jump ring and close it.
6. Repeat the last step with another group to complete the second earring.
7. Open the last 5 mm jump ring and put the last link of the free end of all of the chains in the remaining group onto the jump ring. Close the jump ring. Slide the 16" length of chain through the top 5 mm jump ring on this last group.
8. Use a 4 mm, 21 gauge 14K gold filled jump ring to attach a 14K gold filled straight lobster clasp to one end of your 16" chain. Attach a second 4 mm jump ring to the other end of your 16" chain.

Variations

Use different colored stick pearls and components in a different finish to change the look of these pieces.

When substituting in items, pay attention to sizes and styles to make sure all your pieces will fit together.



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