

Byzantine Window Necklace and Earring Set in Smoky Topaz

Project S8007

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The bead-woven design of this necklace lends a Byzantine architectural feel to the piece. Antiqued copper findings complement a sepia tone blend of Czech Rulla beads and Toho Demi Round seed beads. Luminous smoky topaz glass drop earrings complete the set.

What You'll Need

Czech Glass Matubo, Cylindrical 2-Hole Rulla Beads 3x5mm, 22 Gram Tube, Jet Bronze Luster

SKU: BCT-703

Project uses 5 pieces



Artistic Wire, Copper Craft Wire 24 Gauge Thick, 20 Yard Spool, Antiqued Brass

SKU: WCR-4201

Project uses 1 foot



Toho Demi Round Seed Beads, Thin 8/0 (3mm) Size, 7.4 Grams, 502 Higher Metallic Amethyst

SKU: DRO-0016

Project uses 1 tube



Toho Demi Round Seed Beads, Thin 11/0 (2.2mm) Size, 7.8 Grams, 204 Gold Lustered Montana Blue

SKU: DRH-0006

Project uses 1 tube



Czech Glass Beads Flat Pear Teardrops - 16x12mm 'Smoked Topaz' (12)

SKU: BCP-10066

Project uses 3 pieces



Genuine Antiqued Copper Fish Hook Earring Hooks 16mm (24)

SKU: FEA-3018

Project uses 2 pieces



Antiqued Copper Plated Sleek Lobster Claw Clasps 10mm (6)

SKU: FCL-2526

Project uses 1 piece



Antiqued Copper Plated Open Jump Rings 4mm 21 Gauge (50)

SKU: FJR-3086

Project uses 4 pieces



FireLine Braided Beading Thread, 4lb Test and 0.005 Thick, 15 Yards, Smoke Gray

SKU: XCR-1285

Project uses 2 feet



Antiqued Copper Plated Round Rolo Chain 2mm Bulk By The Foot

SKU: CHA-9707

Project uses 16 inches



Recommended Tools:

[XTL-5511] Beadsmith Jeweller's Micro Pliers Chain Nose Flat Nose, [XTL-5514] Beadsmith Jewelry Fine Round Nose Micro Pliers, [XTL-5600] Xuron Sharp Flush Cutter Pliers - Wire/Soft Flex, [XTL-3006] Beadsmith English Beading Needles Size 12 (4 Needles), [XTL-5614] BeadSmith Tools, Thread Snips 4.25 Inches Long, 1 Piece

Instructions

This necklace measures 18 inches total. To modify the length, adjust the amount of chain used on either side accordingly. By following the instructions below, you will make one earring. Repeat all instructions to make the second earring.

1. Please watch the video: How to Make the Byzantine Window Necklace and Earring Set. In this video, you will learn from start to finish how to bead weave the centerpiece of the necklace using Toho Demi Round seed beads and Czech glass Rulla beads, attach the chain, and wire wrap the hanging glass drop. You will also see how to make a simple matching earring.