

SPIRAL STRINGING

1. Cut a 2.5 ft piece of .024" 19 Strand Beadalon Wire.. Fold it at about 9 inches.
2. Attach a clasp in the fold using a Crimp Bead or Tube.
3. String about 2.5 inches of center drilled beads on both wires.
4. Lock the last bead in place by taking the short wire and threading it around and back through the bead.
5. Tighten the wire down to hold all of the beads in place.
6. Thread a top drilled flower bead (or other top drilled bead) on the long wire.
7. Loop the long wire back around and through the flower bead while capturing the short wire in the center of the loop, make sure the short wire is under the left part and over the right part of the loop. Keep the short wire tight and the looped wire tight as well.
8. Repeat the above step to add all 12 of the top drilled beads.. Make sure each loop is tight and has the short wire coming up through the loop. Each of the beads should spiral consecutively. If the beads are not spiraling the loops are probably too loose.
9. Once all of the tip drilled beads have been used add another center drilled bead and loop the long wire around it to hold the spiral in place.
10. Add the rest of the center drilled beads over both wires.
11. Add the other half of the clasp with a crimp bead through all of the wires (forming a double loop through the crimp).

MATERIALS LIST

JW17B-O 19STRAND .024" BLACK BEADALON WIRE
FLUSH CUTTER
MIGHTY CRIMP TOL
#3 CRIMP BEADS
CLASP & TAG
12 TOP DRILL SWAROVSKI FLOWER BEADS (OR OTHER TOP DRILL/PENDANT BEADS)
5" OF FULL DRILL BEADS FOR THE ACCENTS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE SPIRAL DESIGN