

DESIGN WORKSHOP

CRYSTAL BLUE DANUBE

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1. Cut the Silver Color Beadalon Beading Wire into the following lengths:

- (2) 10"
- (2) 6"
- (2) 5"

2. String a Wire Guardian with one 10" wire and attach it through one of the holes in the top of the filigree. String on a crimp tube, crimp and cover with a crimp cover.

3. String a Wire Guardian with one 5" wire and attach it to the next hole down on the edge of the filigree. String on a crimp tube, crimp and cover with a crimp cover.

4. String a Wire Guardian with one 6" wire and attach it to the next hole down on the edge of the filigree. String on a crimp tube, crimp and cover with a crimp cover.

5. Repeat steps 2-4 on the other side of the filigree. You will now have six wires attached to the filigree in the following order: longest, shortest, medium length.

6. String (21) 8mm 5000 Swarovski Elements, one crimp tube, and one more 8mm bead, onto the longest wire, and secure with a bead stopper.

7. String (9) 6mm 5000 Swarovski Elements and (1) crimp tube onto the middle wire. Loop the wire between the 5th and 6th bead on the longer wire. Crimp the crimp tube and cover with a crimp cover.

8. String (15) 6mm 5000 Swarovski Elements and (1) crimp tube onto the bottom, medium length wire. Loop the wire between the 7th and 8th bead on the longest wire. Crimp the crimp tube and cover with a crimp cover.

9. Repeat steps 6-8 on the other side.

10. Check your length, adding or subtracting beads as necessary. Attach your clasp with wire guardians. Thread your wire through the last beads and the crimp tube and crimp. Cover your crimps with crimp covers.

11. String the last 8mm 5000 Swarovski Elements bead onto the headpin. Poke the headpin through the middle of the filigree. Trim to ¼" and bend into one of the holes in the filigree to secure.

Materials

- (45) 8mm 5000 Swarovski Elements
- (48) 6mm 5000 Swarovski Elements
- JW11S-10FT 49 Strand Silver Color Beadalon Beading Wire
- (12) 349B-014 6mm Silver Plated Crimp Covers
- (12) JFCT2S-1.5G Size 2 Silver Plated Crimp Tubes
- (8) 325B-002 Silver Plated Wire Guardians
- (1) 312B-113 Head Pin
- (2) 8mm Jump Rings
- (1) 303W-249 Upper Clasp
- (1) 1 Focal Filigree flower

TOOLS:

- 216A-106 Bead Stopper
- JTCRIMP1 Crimping Pliers
- JTCRIMP3 Mighty Crimping Pliers
- JTNIP1 Nipper