

Emerald Isle by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 2.5 inches

Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:

- 6 - 13x6.5mm Palace Green Opal Swarovski Crystal Pendants (SC4523)
- 2 inches - 3.4mm Gold-Filled Twisted Oval Long and Short Chain (CN1128)
- 2 - 3mm Gold-Filled Jump Rings (GF2648)
- 1 pair - 43x18mm Gold-Filled Earring Wires (GF2974)
- 4.5 feet - 26 Gauge Gold-Filled Dead Soft Wire (GW0124)

Tools needed to complete the earrings:

- Wire cutters
- Chain nose pliers
- Round nose pliers

Beading Techniques needed to complete the earrings:

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Covering a Briolette

*For step-by-step photos and instructions on these and other techniques, visit FusionBeads.com and select *Beading Techniques* from the top navigation bar.*

Instructions to complete “Emerald Isle” earrings:

Tip

The gold-filled chain is made up of large links connected by three smaller links. For these earrings, you will need two lengths of chain, each with the following link pattern: small, large, small, small, small, large.

Step 1

Using wire cutters, cut the 2-inch length of gold-filled chain into two equal lengths (see Tip).

Step 2

Using chain nose pliers, open one gold-filled jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach the loop on one gold-filled ear wire to the smaller link at one end of one length of chain. Close the jump ring.

Step 3

Using a 0.75-foot length of wire, begin to cover one Palace Green Opal Swarovski crystal pendant (see Covering a Briolette Technique), stopping just before you complete the wire bail. Attach the wire bail to the first large link from the ear wire, then complete the technique.

Step 4

Repeat Step 3 with a second Palace Green Opal briolette, connecting it to the middle small link on the opposite side of the chain as the link used in Step 1, staggering the briolettes.

Step 5

Repeat Step 3 with a third briolette, connecting it to the second large link.

Step 6

Repeat Steps 2 - 5 for the second earring.

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