

The Holly and the Ivy by FusionBeads.com



Beads and other products needed for one snowflake:

- 12 – 4mm Fuchsia Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1109)
- 24 - 4mm Olivine Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1117)
- 24 - 4mm Crystal Silver Shade Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1316)
- 24 - 4mm Dark Red Coral Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI0322)
- 24 - 4mm Palace Green Opal Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1335)
- 24 - 5mm Fuchsia Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI1114)
- 24 - 5mm Olivine Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI1136)
- 12 - 5mm Crystal Silver Shade Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI1194)
- 24 - 5mm Dark Red Coral Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI0197)
- 24 - 5mm Palace Green Opal Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (05BI0200)
- 24 - 6mm Fuchsia Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (06BI1109)
- 24 - 6mm Crystal Silver Shade Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (06BI1270)
- 12 - 6mm Dark Red Coral Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (06BI0276)
- 12 - 6mm Palace Green Opal Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (06BI1286)
- 24 - 6mm Sterling Silver Round Seamless Beads with 1.3mm Hole (SS0522)
- 1 – Silver Color Fish Hook with Ball (BM0145)
- 5 – Clear Plastic Clutches (BM3045)
- 1 - 4-1/2 in. Wire Snowflake Form (SM4201)
- Approximately 72 feet - Crystal Clear FireLine Braided Bead Thread Size D (SM4429)

Tools needed to complete the snowflake:

- Chain nose pliers
- Round nose pliers
- Scissors
- Size 12 English Beading Needles (TL1647)

Beading Techniques needed to complete the snowflake:

- Attaching an Ear Wire
- Beaded Snowflake Form
- Right Angle Weave Bead

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 “The Holly and the Ivy” snowflake:

Step 1

Using a 3-foot length of beading thread and 12 4mm Fuchsia crystal bicone beads, make a right angle weave bead (see Right Angle Weave Bead Technique).

Step 2

Make 23 more right angle weave beads:

- 2 – 4mm Olivine right angle weave beads
- 2 – 4mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave beads
- 2 – 4mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave beads
- 2 – 4mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave beads
- 2 – 5mm Fuchsia right angle weave beads
- 2 – 5mm Olivine right angle weave beads
- 1 – 5mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead
- 2 – 5mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave beads
- 2 – 5mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave beads
- 2 – 6mm Fuchsia right angle weave beads
- 2 – 6mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave beads
- 1 – 6mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead
- 1 – 6mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead

Step 3

Place these beads in the following sequence onto any one spoke of the snowflake form:

- 1 – 6mm sterling silver round bead
- 1 – 6mm Fuchsia right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Olivine right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead

Step 4

Using round nose pliers, turn a loop at the end of the spoke (see Beaded Snowflake Form Technique).

Step 5

Using chain nose pliers, open the loop on one silver color fish hook (see Attaching an Ear Wire Technique). Place the ear wire onto the loop made at the end of the spoke, and close the ear wire.

Step 6

Place these beads in the following sequence onto the next spoke:

- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 6mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead

Place one clear plastic clutch onto the end of the spoke and screw it down tightly until it meets the beads.

Step 7

Place these beads in the following sequence onto the next spoke:

- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 6mm Fuchsia right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Fuchsia right angle weave bead

Secure with a plastic clutch.

Step 8

Place these beads in the following sequence onto the next spoke:

- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Olivine right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 6mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead

Secure with a plastic clutch.

Step 9

Place these beads in the following sequence onto the next spoke:

- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 6mm Palace Green Opal right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Fuchsia right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Olivine right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead

Secure with a plastic clutch.

Step 10

Place these beads in the following sequence onto the final spoke:

- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Dark Red Coral right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 6mm Crystal Silver Shade right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 5mm Fuchsia right angle weave bead
- 1 – sterling round bead
- 1 – 4mm Olivine right angle weave bead

Secure with a plastic clutch.

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