

A Little Birdie Told Me by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 1.75 inches

Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:

- 2 - 5x8mm Beryl Green Czech Rondelle Fire Polished Glass Bead (FP3209)
- 2 - 23mm Antique Silver Plated Pewter Small Square Collage Stamping Pendants by Nunn Design (PE8890)
- 1 pair - 15mm Sterling Silver Ear Wires with Coil (SS2602)
- 2 - 22 gauge Sterling Silver 2 inch Eye Pins (SS4011)
- 1 - Butterflies & Birds Clear Acrylic Stamp Set (CR0556)
- 1 - Jet Black Solvent Ink Stamp Pad (CR0455)
- 1 - Sealant by Nunn Design (CR0478)

Tools needed to complete the earrings:

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters
- 5 Nylon Brushes (CR0659)
- 2 Piece Rectangular Clear Acrylic Block Set (CR0533)

Beading Techniques needed to complete the earrings:

- Attaching an Ear Wire
- Simple Loop
- Rubber Stamping onto a Non-Porous Surface

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 “A Little Birdie Told Me” earrings:

Step 1

Stamp the bird image with jet solvent ink onto each of the two collage stamping pendants (see Rubber Stamping onto a Non-Porous Surface Technique).

Step 2

Apply three coats of sealant to the pendants with a small brush (see Finishing - Option 2 in the Rubber Stamping onto a Non-Porous Surface Technique).

Step 3

Place one 5x8mm beryl green rondelle bead onto one eye pin, making one unit. Turn a simple loop (see Simple Loop Technique) at the open end of the eye pin. Attach the loop just made to the hole on one pendant.

Step 4

Open the loop on one ear wire (see Attaching an Ear Wire Technique), and attach it to the unattached loop on the unit from the previous step, ensuring that the front of the pendant faces forward. Close the loop.

Step 5

Repeat Steps 2 – 4 for the second earring.

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