

# Heirloom by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 3 inches

## **Beads and other products needed for one pair of earrings:**

- 2 - 10mm Air Blue Opal Swarovski Elements Crystal Round Beads (10RD0163)
- 2 - 9mm Natural Brass Round Filigree Beads by Vintaj (NB0306)
- 2 - 15x15mm Natural Brass Round Filigree Beads by Vintaj (NB0111)
- 1 pair - 47mm Natural Brass Long Arched Kidney Ear Wires by Vintaj (NB0255)
- 2 - 1.5 inch 22 gauge Natural Brass Eye Pins by Vintaj (NB0176)
- 2 - 2 inch 22 gauge Natural Brass Head Pins by Vintaj (NB0201)
- 1 - Snow Cap Acrylic Paint Dabber by Ranger Inks (CR0642)

## **Tools needed to complete the earrings:**

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters
- Diamond Glaze (TL1943)
- 5 Piece Nylon Brush Set (CR0659)
- Tweezers
- Wax Paper
- Toothpick
- Paper Towels

## **Beading Techniques needed to complete the earrings:**

- Simple Loop
- Coloring Filigree With Acrylic Paint Dabbers

*For step-by-step photos and instructions on these and other techniques, visit [FusionBeads.com](http://FusionBeads.com) and select *Beading Techniques* from the top navigation bar.*

**Instructions to complete “Heirloom” earrings:**

**Step 1**

Apply the Snow Cap Acrylic Paint Dabber to the four filigree beads (see Coloring Filigree With Acrylic Paint Dabbers Technique). Allow the paint to dry. Apply Diamond Glaze to the beads.

**Step 2**

Place one 15x15mm filigree bead onto one head pin, making one unit. Turn a simple loop (see Simple Loop Technique) at the open end of the head pin. Attach the loop just made to the eye of one eye pin.

**Step 3**

Place one crystal round bead onto the eye pin from Step 3. Turn a simple loop at the open end of the eye pin. Attach the loop just made to the loop on one ear wire.

**Step 4**

Open the catch on the ear wire, and string one 9mm filigree bead onto the wire.

**Step 5**

Repeat Steps 2 – 4 for the second earring.

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