

# Vintage Love by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 2 inches

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

- 2 - 6mm Amethyst Swarovski Elements Crystal Rondelle Beads (SC5906)
- 2 - 12mm Crystal Antique Pink Swarovski Elements Crystal Rivoli Stones (SC8359)
- 2 - 11mm Amethyst Swarovski Elements Crystal Pendants (SC2311)
- 2 - 15mm Natural Brass Square Dapped Filigrees by Vintaj (NB0183)
- 1 pair - 20mm Natural Brass Hook Ear Wires by Vintaj (NB0177)
- 2 - 1 inch 22 gauge Natural Brass Eye Pins by Vintaj (NB0175)
- 2 - 5mm Antique Brass Plated Base Metal 21 Gauge Open Jump Rings (BM2733)

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

Round nose pliers  
Chain nose pliers  
Wire cutters

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

Opening and Closing a Jump Ring  
Simple Loop  
Forming Filigree - Option 2

## **Instructions to complete “Vintage Love” earrings:**

### **Step 1**

Place the rear point of one crystal Rivoli stone into the concave side of one filigree. Using your fingers, gently bend two diagonally opposite corners of the filigree around the stone (see Forming Filigree - Option 2 Technique) at the same time so that the two corners bend evenly, securing the stone.

### **Step 2**

Place one 6mm Amethyst rondelle onto one eye pin. Turn a simple loop (see Simple Loop Technique) at the open end of the eye pin. Attach the loop just made to the loop on one ear wire.

### **Step 3**

Open the unattached loop on the unit from the previous step, and attach it to one extended corner on the filigree from Step 1. Close the loop.

### **Step 4**

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to attach one crystal pendant to the extended corner on the filigree opposite from the one used in the previous step. Close the jump ring.

### **Step 5**

Repeat Steps 1 – 4 for the second earring.

*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. You'll find more Inspiration jewelry ideas at [FusionBeads.com](http://FusionBeads.com)!*