

# Children of Mine by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 7 inches

## **Beads and other products needed for three bracelets:**

- 8 - 4mm Peridot Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1116)
- 8 - 4mm Aquamarine Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1123)
- 8 - 4mm Amethyst Swarovski Elements Crystal Bicone Beads (04BI1133)
- 3 - 35x6.5mm Silver Plated 2 Hole Rectangle Katiedids Creative Components by Katie Hacker (CR0895)
- 3 - 9.5x5.5mm Silver Plated Base Metal Lobster Claw Clasps (BM3146)
- 15 inches - 3.4mm Silver Plated Base Metal Rollo Chain (CN4036)
- 6 - 6mm Silver Plated Base Metal 19 Gauge Open Jump Rings (BM2799)
- 9 inches - 24 Gauge Round Tarnish Resistant Silver Artistic Wire (AW2117)

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

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters

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

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Cutting Chain Efficiently
- Wire Wrapped Link

## **Instructions to complete “Children of Mine” bracelets:**

### **Step 1**

Cut the chain into six 2.5 inch lengths (see Cutting Chain Efficiently Technique).

### **Step 2**

Make a wire wrapped loop on one end of a 3-inch length of wire (see Wire Wrapped Link Technique), attaching the loop to one end link of one chain length. String the open end of the wire through one hole in one 2-hole rectangle component toward the inner chamber. String eight 4mm Peridot crystal bicone beads on the wire, and then string the wire out the second component hole. Make a wire wrapped loop on the open end of the wire, attaching the loop to one end link of a second chain length.

### **Step 3**

Open two jump rings (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use one jump ring to attach the loop on one lobster claw clasp to the end chain link on one end of the bracelet. Attach the second jump ring to the opposite end of the bracelet. Close each jump ring after the attachment is completed.

### **Step 4**

Repeat Steps 1 – 3 for each of the remaining two bracelets, substituting Amethyst and Aquamarine bicone beads for the Peridot beads.

***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)!***