

# Seasons Greetings by FusionBeads.com



Approximate finished length: 7 inches

## **Beads and other products needed for one bracelet:**

- 1 - 4mm Alabaster Pastel White Round Czech Pressed Glass Beads (GL4398)
- 1 - 4mm Alabaster Pastel Dark Coral Round Czech Pressed Glass Beads (GL4403)
- 1 - 4mm Alabaster Pastel Olivine Round Czech Pressed Glass Beads (GL4415)
- 6 - 2.5x17.5mm Crystal Swarovski Crystal Rhinestone Silver Plated 3 Hole Rondelle Spacer Bars (RI3006)
- 6 - 2x2mm Sterling Silver Crimp Beads (SS4047)
- 6 - 3.5mm Sterling Silver Crimp Bead Covers (SS2103)
- 1 - 11x21.5mm Silver Plated Base Metal 3 Strand Tube Bar Clasp (BM3070)
- 27 inches - Clear Soft Flex Wire .014" Diameter (SM0310)

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

- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters
- Crimping pliers (TL0500)

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

- Crimping
- Crimp Bead Covers

## **Instructions to complete “Seasons Greetings” bracelet:**

### **Step 1**

Using wire cutters, cut three 9-inch lengths of beading wire.

### **Tip**

*Imagine that the three holes in the spacer bars and the loops in the 3-strand tube bar clasp are numbered from 1 – 3. Imagine also that the three strands of beading wire are numbered from 1 – 3. Always string beading wire 1 through hole 1 in each of the spacer bars and loop 1 of the tube bar clasp, beading wire 2 through loop 2, etc.*

### **Step 2**

Place one crimp bead and loop 1 of one side of the tube bar clasp onto beading wire 1. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead (see Crimping Technique).

### **Step 3**

Cover the crimp bead with a crimp bead cover (see Crimp Bead Covers Technique), and trim excess wire with wire cutters.

### **Step 4**

Repeat Steps 2 – 3 with beading wires 2 – 3.

### **Step 5**

Onto beading wire 1, string these items in the following sequence:

7 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 1  
5 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 2  
7 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 3  
5 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 4  
7 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 5  
5 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads  
Hole 1 of spacer bar 6  
7 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
1 – crimp bead  
Loop 1 of the second side of the tube bar clasp

### **Step 6**

Pull the wire so that the crimp bead is against the clasp. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead. Cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire.

### **Step 7**

Onto beading wire 2, string these items in the following sequence:

6 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 1  
6 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 2  
6 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 3  
6 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 4  
6 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 5  
5 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads  
Hole 2 of spacer bar 6  
6 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads  
1 – crimp bead  
Loop 2 of the second side of the tube bar clasp

**Step 8**

Pull the wire so that the crimp bead is against the clasp. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead. Cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire.

**Step 9**

Onto beading wire 3, string these items in the following sequence:

5 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 1

7 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 2

5 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 3

7 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 4

5 – 4mm alabaster pastel dark coral pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 5

7 – 4mm alabaster pastel olivine pressed glass beads

Hole 3 of spacer bar 6

5 – 4mm alabaster pastel white pressed glass beads

1 – crimp bead

Loop 3 of the second side of the tube bar clasp

**Step 10**

Pull the wire so that the crimp bead is against the clasp. Pass the wire back through the crimp bead, and crimp the crimp bead. Cover the crimp with a crimp bead cover, and trim excess wire.

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