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Approximate finished length: 20 inches

Beads and other products needed for one necklace:

- 50 beads - 3mm Fancy Jasper Round Beads (SE2276)
- 3 - 12.5x9.5mm Antique Silver Pewter Itsy Circle Heart Charm by Nunn Design (PE3584)
- 1 - 16x13mm Antique Silver Plated Pewter Rustic Heart Charm by Nunn Design (PE3384)
- 1 - 27x14.5mm Antique Silver Plated Pewter Elongated Heart Charm by Nunn Design (BM0483)
- 7 - 5mm Antique Silver Plated Brass 18 Gauge Open Jump Rings (BM0423)
- 1 - 13.5x10mm Antique Silver Plated Pewter Anna's Toggle Clasp by TierraCast® (SP2426)
- 42 inches - 2.5mm Antique Silver Plated Steel Rollo Chain (CN5555)
- 8.5 feet - 26 Gauge Round Tarnish Resistant Silver Artistic Wire (AW2157)



Tools needed to complete the necklace:

- Round nose pliers
- Chain nose pliers
- Wire cutters

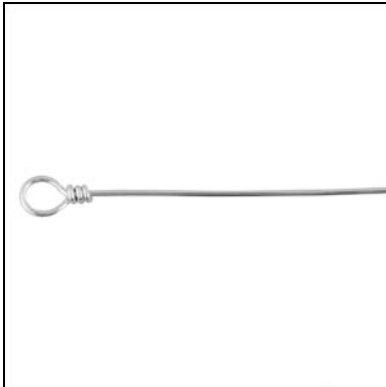
Beading Techniques needed to complete the necklace:

- Opening and Closing a Jump Ring
- Wire Wrapped Link

Instructions to complete “Linked in Love” necklace:

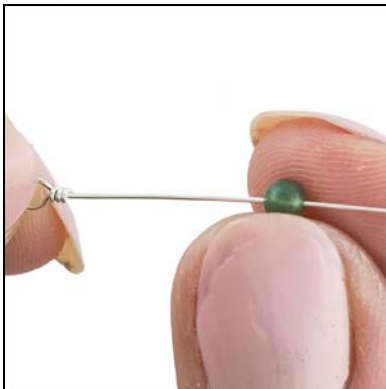
Step 1

Using a 2-inch length of wire, make a wire wrapped loop on one end of the wire (see Wire Wrapped Link Technique).



Step 2

String one 3mm fancy jasper bead onto the wire from the previous step.



Step 3

Complete the second side of the wire wrapped link.



Step 4

Using a 2-inch length of wire, make a second wire wrapped link. Connect one side of the link to one loop on the link made in the previous steps.

**Step 5**

String one 3mm fancy jasper bead onto the wire.

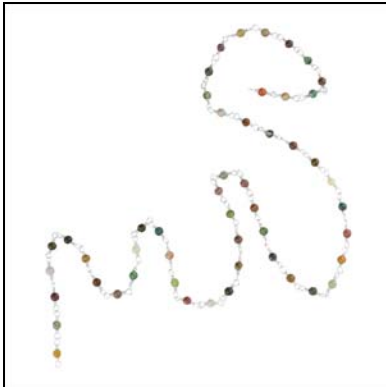


Step 6

Complete the second side of the wire wrapped link.

**Step 7**

In the same manner as in the previous steps, continue making wire wrapped links until you have a 20 inch length of the 3mm fancy jasper beads connected.

**Step 8**

Using wire cutters, cut the chain into the following lengths:

1 – 18" length

1 – 24" length

Step 9

Open one jump ring (see Opening and Closing a Jump Ring Technique). Use the jump ring to connect one end link of one chain length, one end of the wire wrapped link chain and one end link of the second chain length.



Step 10

Attach the loop on the bar side of the toggle clasp to the jump ring and close the jump ring.



Step 11

Repeat Steps 9 – 10 with the second side of the clasp and the opposite ends of the three chains.



Step 12

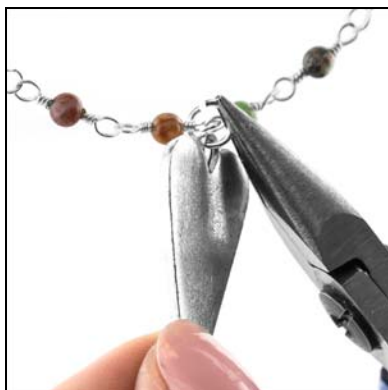
Arrange the necklace on the work surface so that the shortest chain is at the top and the longest chain is at the bottom.

**Step 13**

Open one jump ring, and attach it to the elongated heart charm.

**Step 14**

Attach the elongated heart charm to the center of the wire wrapped link chain, and close the jump ring.



Step 15

Open one jump ring, and attach it to the rustic heart charm



Step 16

Attach the rustic heart charm next to the first charm



Step 17

Open one jump ring, and attach it to the circle heart charm.



Step 18

Attach one circle heart charm 9.5 inches from the ring side of the clasp on the longest chain.

**Step 19**

Repeat step 17 and attach one circle heart charm 10.5 inches from the bar side of the clasp on the longest chain.

**Step 20**

Repeat step 17 and attach the last circle heart charm 7 inches from the bar side of the clasp on the shortest chain.



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