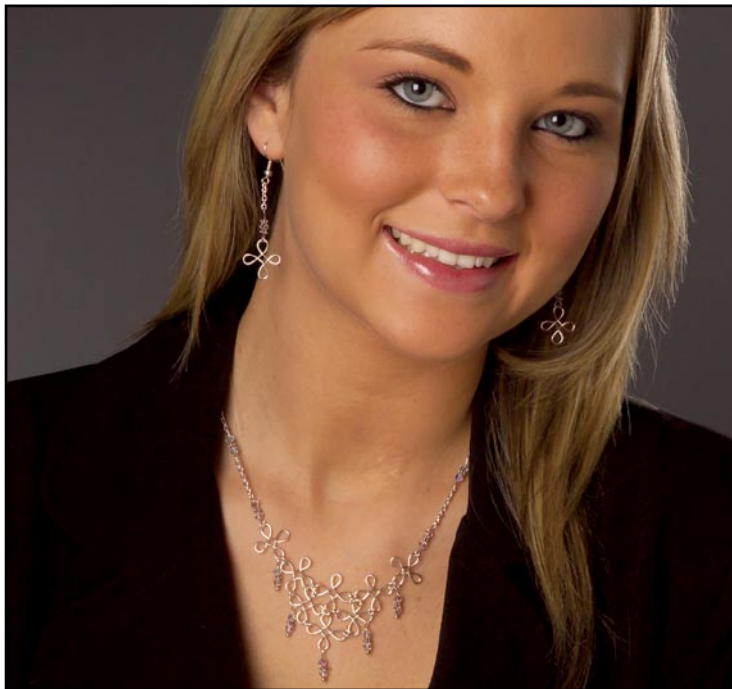


# Silver & Crystal Necklace & Earrings

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## Materials

### Artistic Wire™

20, 22 & 24 Gauge Non-Tarnish Silver

### Artistic Wire™ Tools

Wire Cutter  
Nylon Jaw Pliers  
Round Nose Pliers  
Wire Worker  
Jewelry Jig

### Basic Supplies/Tools

Sterling Plated Chain  
3mm Silver Lobster Claws  
4mm Crystal Beads  
Fish Hook Ear Wires  
Sterling 2.5 mm ball head pins  
Bali Silver Spacer Beads

## Instructions

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- Step 1:** Set up Jig as shown below in diagram 1.
- Step 2:** Make desired number of wire shapes, using 20 gauge wire (straighten with Jaw Pliers first). Flatten with Nylon Jaw Pliers and trim wire so there is no overlap.
- Step 3:** Use smallest metal mandrel & 20 gauge to make jump rings.
- Step 4:** For earring & chain beaded portions, cut 1¼” pieces of 24 gauge wire, turn a loop with round nose pliers, attach Crystal & spacer beads in desired pattern & turn a loop at the finished end.
- Step 5:** For necklace beaded dangles, use ball head pin. Thread on crystal, spacer bead & another crystal before turning a loop on other end.
- Step 6:** Assemble main portion of necklace as shown below in diagram 2 – securing with silver jump rings.
- Step 7:** Insert beaded crystal portions to each side, then periodically throughout the chain.
- Step 8:** Determine length of chain (choker length works best for this design) and attach lobster claw and jump ring to the ends.
- Step 9:** For earrings, use wire design, one crystal section and a small amount of chain before attaching to ear wire.

diagram 1

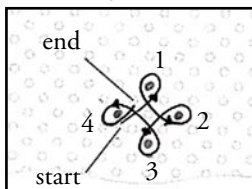


diagram 2

