

## "Missing Pieces" Earrings



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**Tools:** flat-nose pliers, flush cutters, Bead Stoppers™



### Suggested Materials

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Stock #</u>	<u>Name</u>
4	#41-551-32	1.2mm center-crimp tubes with loop, sterling silver
6	#37-291-13	2.4mm round jump rings, Argentium® sterling silver
18"	#61-813-49-87	0.015" 49-strand Beadalon® wire, bright steel
104*	#20-002-3211	Toho® Seed Bead Cocktail™, greyhound
4*	#20-002-3216	Toho Seed Bead Cocktail, purple haze
4	#05-301-04-120	4mm Swarovski® crystal bicones, crystal/meridian blue
54	#05-301-03-72	3mm Swarovski crystal bicones, tanzanite/aurora borealis
2	#44-050-80-18	2-loop floral disk connectors, sterling silver
2	#44-050-03	3-loop floral charm connectors, sterling silver
2	#34-563-20	Plain French hook ear wires, sterling silver

\* You will need the given number of beads from each Cocktail mix.

### To create this design:

1. Cut Beadalon (wire cable) in 4 pieces, two 5" pieces and two 4" pieces
  2. String beads as desired onto one 5" and one 4" cable piece. Use Bead Stoppers to keep the beads centered on the wire cable.
  3. Place one end of each beaded wire cable in a center-crimp tube. Using flat-nose pliers, pull excess cable up through the crimp tube. Pull both pieces until the end beads are snug up against the crimp tube. Crimp with flat-nose pliers and cut excess cable. Repeat for other side.
  4. Using jump rings, attach each center-crimp tube to 3-loop charm as pictured.
- TIP:** Jump rings may need to be re-attached several times to get the earring to lay properly.
5. Using jump rings, attach the 3-loop charm to the floral disk connector and then the disk connector to a French hook.
  6. Repeat steps 2-5 for second earring.