

“Brilliance” Necklace

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Suggested Materials:

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Stock</u>	<u>Name</u>
7	37-024-5	Triangle bails, sterling silver
6	37-807	Eye pins, sterling silver
12	24-923	3mm round beads, sterling silver
1	41-549-03	Folded bail, sterling silver
1	37-213	Jump ring, sterling silver
1	52-614-02-18	Nylon mesh choker, 4mm
6	05-020-04-24	4mm Swarovski® crystal helix beads, jet
2	06-007-07-24	7mm Swarovski crystal small briolettes, jet
2	06-007-09-24	9mm Swarovski crystal small briolettes, jet
2	06-010-11-24	11mm Swarovski crystal briolettes, jet
1	06-680-20-24	Swarovski crystal cosmic pendant, jet

Tools needed:

Chain-nose pliers, side-cutters or side flush-cutters, Chain Stā

To make this design:

1. To make the centerpiece, put a triangle bail on the cosmic pendant. Then, use a jump ring to attach the triangle bail to the folded bail.
2. To make the briolette drops, attach a triangle bail to each briolette. Use side cutters to trim the bottom side of the bail for a closer fit.

TIP: If you are using side *flush* cutters, such as 69-056, position the flat side of the tool toward the side of metal staying on the jewelry item, for a neat flat (flush) cut.

3. Hang each briolette from an eye pin. Then, add a 3mm sterling silver round bead, a helix crystal bead, and another 3mm sterling silver round to each eye pin. Make a top loop (that you can loop through the choker) on each pin.
4. Slide the end of the mesh choker through your folded bail. Close your choker and center the bail. Then, using a ruler to keep your spacing even, thread the top loops of your briolettes on the choker. Attach the largest briolette dangles closest to the centerpiece, and move out to smallest in size. Repeat on other side of centerpiece bail in equal increments.

TIP: Looping your choker over the upright posts on a Chain Stā holder works really well for this, but don't use the clamps on the Chain Stā or you will damage your mesh.