

# “Sojourner and Truth” Necklace & Bracelet Set

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## Suggested Materials:

<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Stock</u>	<u>Name</u>
5	21-000-020-80	10x14mm puffed oval gemstone beads, lapis lazuli
2	21-886-020	6mm round gemstone beads, lapis lazuli
24-30	20-590	Short branch (cupolini-style) coral beads, blue bamboo
28	20-228-051	Size 11 Toho® Japanese glass seed beads, galvanized gold
18"	36-460	Four-strand leather bolo cord, black
7"	61-720-49-87	0.018" 49-strand Beadalon® stringing cable, bright steel
1	37-815-A	1.5" eye pin, Argentium® sterling silver
2	41-556-1110	1.1x1mm crimp tubes, sterling silver
4 sets	43-509	Bullet-end clasps with hook and eye, sterling silver



**Tools:** Round-nose pliers, chain-nose pliers, crimping pliers, flush or side cutters, sharp scissors, glue (such as Tenax™ Plus Super Glue or Epoxy 330)

### To make the “Sojourner” necklace:

1. Using a sharp pair of scissors cut two 7\*\*\* pieces of leather bolo cord.
2. Glue on hook-and-eye sets as pictured and let dry according to manufacturer’s directions.
3. Cut approx. 7" of Beadalon stringing cable.
4. Add five seed beads to one end, followed by a crimp tube. String end through eye loop and add five more seed beads. Continue your strand back through the crimp bead and secure by crimping closed.
5. Add the rest of the beads in the order shown and repeat step 4 for the opposite end.

### To make the “Truth” bracelet:

1. Cut two 2 ¾\*\*\* pieces of leather bolo cord.
2. Glue on hook-and-eye sets as pictured and let dry according to manufacturer’s directions.
3. Add a seed bead followed by a round lapis bead to an eye pin. Add another seed bead, a puffed oval, a seed bead and another round lapis bead. Finish with a final seed bead.
4. Using your round-nose pliers, create a second loop on the straight end of the eye pin. Wrap excess wire if you are able. Trim extra wire using your flush cutters and file any sharp edges.
5. Connect each eye-loop end to the hook ends and use your chain-nose pliers to gently squeeze the hooks closed.

\*\* The finished length of this necklace is 18"; the bracelet is 8". For a shorter necklace or bracelet, cut shorter pieces of bolo cord.

**TIP:** Sterling silver is a soft metal and can be manipulated. Be careful not to open and close sterling findings repeatedly or you will weaken the metal.