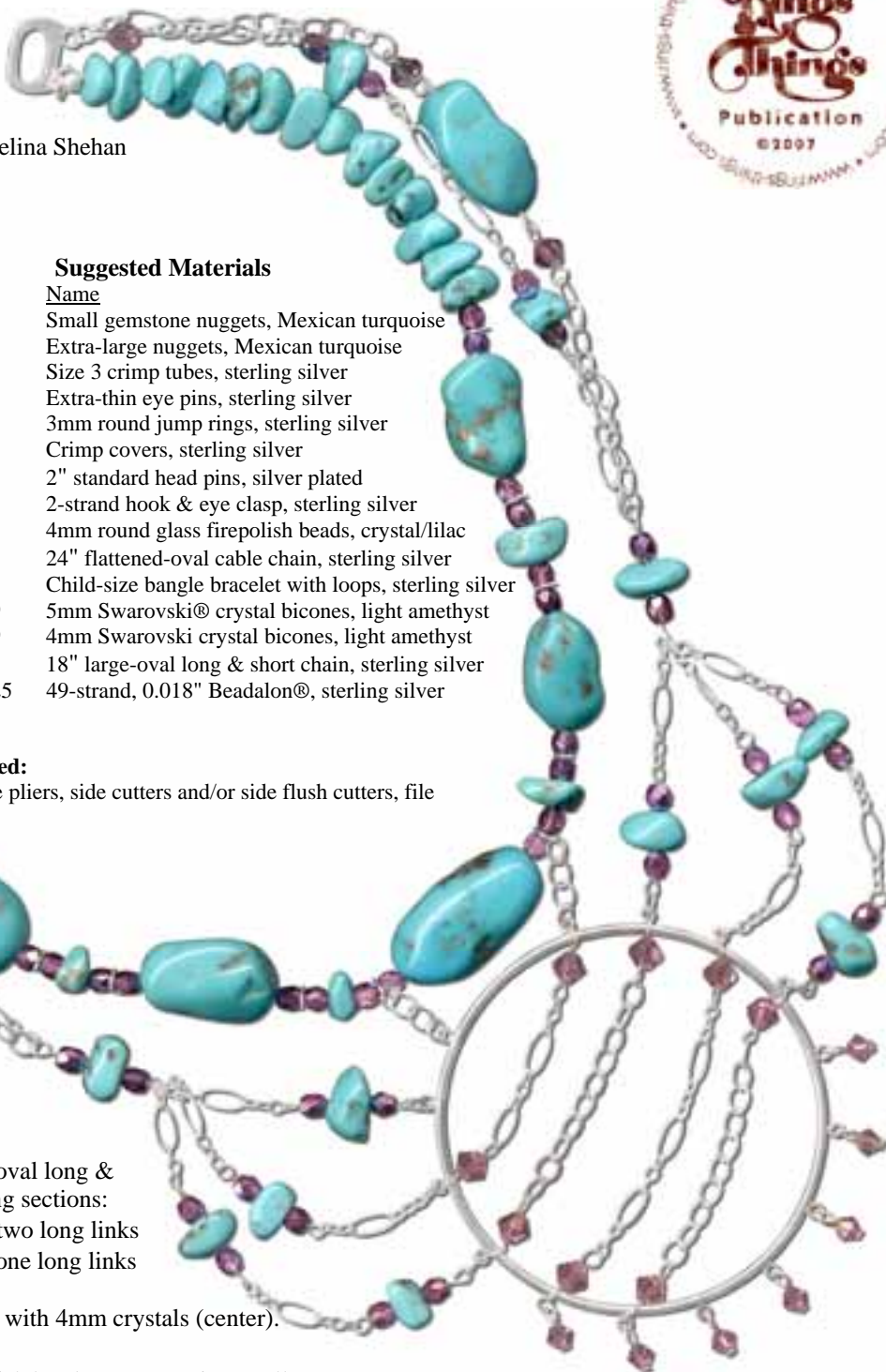


"Gem Doll" Necklace

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Suggested Materials

Qty.	Stock	Name
48	#20-421-03	Small gemstone nuggets, Mexican turquoise
7	#20-421-06	Extra-large nuggets, Mexican turquoise
2	#41-559	Size 3 crimp tubes, sterling silver
30	#37-807	Extra-thin eye pins, sterling silver
12	#37-213	3mm round jump rings, sterling silver
2	#48-583	Crimp covers, sterling silver
5	#37-422-3	2" standard head pins, silver plated
1	#39-590	2-strand hook & eye clasp, sterling silver
48	#23-444-922	4mm round glass firepolish beads, crystal/lilac
1	#50-258	24" flattened-oval cable chain, sterling silver
1	#51-521-16	Child-size bangle bracelet with loops, sterling silver
14	#05-301-05-09	5mm Swarovski® crystal bicones, light amethyst
7	#05-301-04-09	4mm Swarovski crystal bicones, light amethyst
1	#50-244	18" large-oval long & short chain, sterling silver
15"	#61-720-49-925	49-strand, 0.018" Beadalon®, sterling silver

Tools needed:

Round-nose pliers, side cutters and/or side flush cutters, file

To make this design:

- Remove the clasp from the 18" flattened-oval chain and cut into:
 - 10 single links
 - Six sections with 10 links
- Remove the clasp from the 24" large-oval long & short chain and cut it into the following sections:
 - Six sections with three short and two long links
 - Five sections with two short and one long links
- Create seven looped head-pin dangles with 4mm crystals (center).
- On an eye pin, place one 4mm firepolish bead, one turquoise small nugget, and another 4mm firepolish bead. Loop the end of the eye pin and trim the excess. Repeat 13 times.
- Cut a 15" piece of Beadalon.
- Use a crimp bead to create a loop at one end of the Beadalon. Use this loop to attach one of the clasp loops with a jump ring.
- String 15 small turquoise nuggets onto the Beadalon, then string one of each bead/nugget in the following pattern (repeat 5 times):
 - 4mm firepolish bead, a single link of flattened-oval chain, another 4mm firepolish bead
 - extra-large turquoise nugget
 - 4mm firepolish bead, a single link of flattened-oval chain, another 4mm firepolish bead
 - turquoise small nugget

8. After the 5th extra-large turquoise nugget, string one 4mm firepolish bead, a single link of flattened-oval chain, and another 4mm firepolish bead, followed by 15 turquoise small nuggets to finish the first strand of the necklace.
9. Use a crimp tube to finish the end of the Beadalon and attach it with a jump ring to one of the clasp loops.

Tip: If you attached one end of your necklace to the top loop of the clasp, be sure to attach the other end to the top loop on the other clasp end; otherwise, your necklace will be twisted.

10. Use the sterling crimp covers to hide the crimp beads.
11. Attach a “three short, two long” chain section to an empty loop on the clasp using a jump ring.
12. Hook an eye pin/turquoise section to the loose chain-end, followed by another “three short, two long” chain section and an eye pin/turquoise section. Repeat twice more, finishing off the strand with the final eye pin/turquoise section.
13. Place a 5mm crystal on an eye pin and create a loop.
14. Hook the crystal eye pin to the jump ring from step 11 (image “A” below).
15. Attach the other end of the eye pin to a 10-link section of flattened-oval chain and add another 5mm crystal eye pin.
16. Place a large turquoise nugget on an eye pin and create a loop. Attach the turquoise nugget to the crystal eye pin.
17. Add another 5mm crystal eye pin and 10-link section of flattened-oval chain to this section.
18. Count over from the clasp to the third eye pin from step 12 and attach the end of the chain to the top of the third eye pin/turquoise from the clasp end to create a hanging section.
19. Repeat steps 11-18 from the opposite clasp end.
20. Connect two loops of the sterling bangle bracelet to the center of the first necklace strand by attaching jump rings leaving one empty bracelet loop between them.
21. Cut off the empty loop with side cutters. File rough edges.

Tip: If you don’t have a jewelers file, you can use a metal fingernail file.

22. Attach the chain and turquoise strands of the necklace to the next two available loops on each side of the bangle.
23. Make 2 of the following chain sections:
 - “two short, one long,” eye pin/turquoise, “two short, one long,” eye pin/turquoise
 - “two short, one long,” eye pin/turquoise, “two short, one long”
24. Attach the shorter chain section to the next free loop on the bangle. Hook the other end onto the turquoise eye pin (image “B”). Attach the longer chain section to the next loop down, and then repeat for the other side of the bangle.
25. On each of the remaining bangle loops, hang a 4mm crystal dangle on a head pin.
26. Attach 5mm crystal eye pins to both ends of the remaining sections of both styles of chain.

27. Hang the chain across the center of the bangle in any desired pattern, using the open ends of crystal eye pins to secure it to the bangle loops. You might want to trim some chain sections shorter.



