

The beautiful Paua shell necklace will be the center of attention at your next island party.

# PAUA-DISE

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## MATERIALS

40 hematite 6mm rounds  
5 paua shell 12-25×18-32mm pendants  
9 paua shell 30×50mm pendants  
20 silver 4mm spacers  
20 silver 8mm spacers  
14 silver 6×8mm bails with attached closed rings  
4 silver 6mm split rings  
2 silver 8mm jump rings  
2 silver 2mm crimp tubes  
2 silver 3×7mm knot cups  
1 silver 25×40mm toggle clasp  
2" of silver 4×5mm twisted cable chain  
20" of .015 beading wire

## TOOLS

Wire cutters  
Chain-nose pliers  
Crimping pliers

**FINISHED SIZE: 18"**

## TIP

Try substituting pearls in place of hematite for a softer look.

**Step 1:** Attach 1 bail to each of the Paua pendants.

**Step 2:** Use one end of the beading wire to string 1 knot cup and 1 crimp tube. Crimp the tube on the very end of the wire and close the knot cup around it. Attach the knot cup to 1 split ring. Use 1 jump ring to attach this split ring to a second split ring. Attach the second split ring to the bar half of the clasp.

**Step 3:** String one 4mm spacer. String 1 round, one 4mm spacer, 1 round, and two 8mm spacers four times, omitting the final 8mm spacer. String the 5 bails attached to the small pendants and one 8mm spacer. String 1 round, one 4mm spacer, 1 round, and two 8mm spacers three times. String 2 rounds. String 1 bail attached to a large pendant, 1 round, one 4mm spacer, and 1 round nine times. String two 8mm spacers, 1 round, one 4mm spacer, and 1 round three times. String 1 knot cup and 1 crimp tube. Snug the beads, crimp the tube, and fold the knot cup around the tube.

**Step 4:** Attach the knot cup to a split ring. Attach the remaining split ring to the chain. Use the remaining jump ring to attach the two split rings to the ring half of the clasp. ◉

Designing jewelry has opened a whole new avenue of fun and relaxation for **Pat Henry**. It is a great feeling of satisfaction for Pat to see all of the ideas coming together, resulting in a beautiful piece of jewelry.

**Resources: Check your local bead shop or contact:** Paua pendants and hematite beads: Wal-Mart, [www.walmart.com](http://www.walmart.com). Bails: Hobby Lobby, [www.hobbylobby.com](http://www.hobbylobby.com). All other materials: Michaels, (800) MICHAELS, [www.michaels.com](http://www.michaels.com).



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