



# Crystal Corona Earrings

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Create these beautiful earrings to match the Crystal Corona pendant in the May/June 2009 issue of *Step by Step Beads*.

## ADVANCED BEGINNER

### WHAT YOU NEED

- 40 bicone 4mm crystals
- .5g size 15° Japanese seed beads
- #12 thin beading needle
- Fireline 6lb test
- 1 pair French ear wires
- Scissors
- Round-nose pliers

Finished length: 1", not including the ear wire.



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## Make the bail

**8.** String 1 seed, 1 crystal, 1 seed, 1 crystal, 1 seed and pass back through bead 51 (Figure 7). Reinforce, passing pass back through the beads just added, beads 52-56, and continue through beads 52, 53 and 54.

**9.** String 6 seeds and pass back through bead 54. Repeat through the loop of beads again including bead 54 to reinforce (Figure 8).

**10.** For added security, pass through beads added in step 8 (Figure 7).

**11.** Weave thread into beads and tie off using half-hitch knots. Trim. Thread a needle on the tail and weave that into the beads; trim.

**12.** Using round-nose pliers, open the loop on an ear wire. Slip the loop of the ear wire through the loop of seeds at the top of the medallion. Close the loop of the ear wire. Repeat Steps 1-12 to make a second earring.

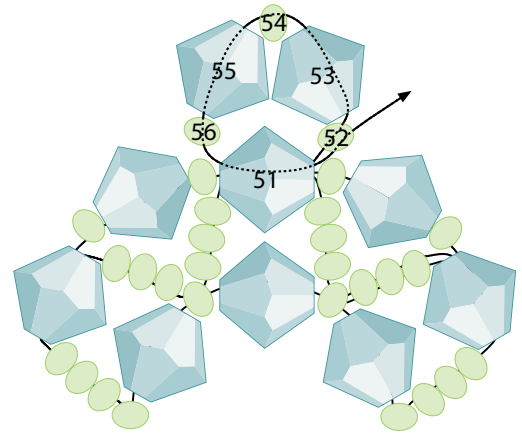


Figure 7

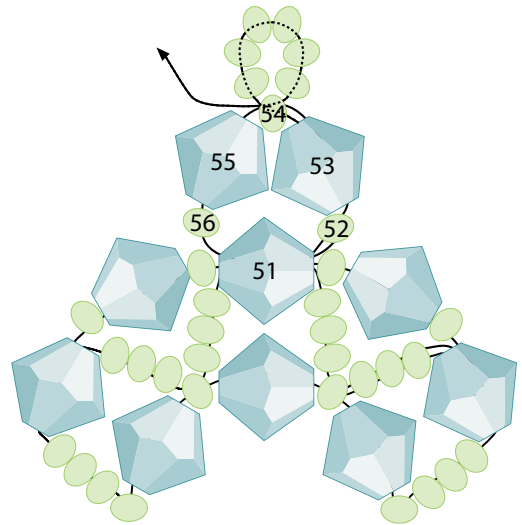


Figure 8



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