

Lover's Knot Bracelet

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w9humSvLi_M



Materials List:

Needle size 12

Scissors or clippers

Flat nose Pliers

Fireline 6Lb

Two colors of 8/0 beads or 2mm round beads



Clasp of your choice(they use 14x9mm box clasp) I use a shank button one one



1. First thread on a stop bead.
2. Pick up one color of you beads for a total of 83 for my size. (this can be adjusted later)



3. Hold the string of beads up on your finger and pick up (2) silver beads.
4. Go down 2 of the black beads.



5. Go back up the 2 beads previously added.



6. Pick up one 8/0 of silver beads then pass back down (3) black beads



7. Go across and up the (3) silver beads



8. Pick up one silver bead and go down (3) black beads



9. Go across and up the (3) silver beads



10. Pick up one silver bead and go down (3) black beads continue steps 7 through 9 to complete.

11. Make a second strand of beads. start at step 1 through step 10 then continue to step 12



12. take one strand and put the right end on top of the left end forming a fish shape. Lay the strands where they each have tread on opposite sides. Decide if you want the light color on outside or inside of design. Loop (1) strand to look like a fish with the top tail is on top.



13. Slide the other strand under the fish head with The strand longer on top of fish body.



14. Take top end of strand over top of fish fin then under bottom of fish fin



15. Take the same strand and go over the bottom of the fish body.



16. With the same end of stand go under the same strand of beads which where put there in step 11.



17. With the same strand of beads go over the top of the fish body and pull all (4) ends to tighten knot.



18. Pull tight from both ends measure for fit. if the length is correct then continue to next step. If it is to long you need to untie and remove a few beads from the ends with the threads. if to short add more beads to the threaded ends in the same matter as before in step 1 -10.



19. Take the stitching thread to the center of the 2 strands of beads



20. Insert needle on opposite strand go down 2 beads



21. Pull thread across to opposite strand then go down 4 beads



22. Go through 2 beads across on opposite strand across to opposite strand



23. Go through 4 beads across to opposite strand continue this until you stitch together 14 to 20 beads in towards the knot making a small opening for knot.



24. With the last thread at end put on your two strand clasp. pick up one matching bead through the one eye of clasp. pick up 2 light color beads through the other eye pick up one bead of matching color down through 2 beads go through the last 4 beads and clasp 3 times. Tie off and clip threads