

"Dream"

Tatted necklace

This design uses beads dangling from picots on floating rings, beads slipped onto picots before joining, a split ring, and zigzag chains for the neck cord. The necklace could be finished with a barrel clasp joined into a small tatted ring at each end. Or, it could be made adjustable by putting a lobster claw clasp on one end, and 3 inches or so of split rings on the other, allowing the clasp to hook into any of the split rings.

Supplies:

- 2 tating shuttles
- Size 20 or 10 cordonnet crochet thread
- 62 seed beads
(Size 10 or 11 with # 20 thread. Or, use size 8 with #10 thread.)
- 3 leaf or drop beads
- 1 barrel or lobster claw clasp

The strung beads are all on shuttle 2. Fill shuttle 1 first, and then measure off about 4 yards of thread and cut.

String 2 seed beads, 1 drop bead, 6 seed beads, 1 drop bead, 6 seed beads, 1 drop bead, 20 seed beads.

Wind shuttle 2 and you are ready to follow the diagram.

After the center ring is worked and closed, the chains and floating rings are added in the same round.

The split ring is worked last, leading into the neck cord.

