Pattern for Flower Dangle and Earrings



## Materials used

Size 10 thread in green; beads approx 3mm in size, approx 80 in flower colour and 9 green for leaf; clasp; 1 shuttle; needle or hook for threading beads.



## <u>Method</u>

Wind <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> m green thread onto shuttle and then without cutting thread, make a ring 1 ds, long picot. I used a shirt label 45mm wide as a picot guage. Thread approx 8 beads onto the picot, leaving a small space at the top for joining.

Join the picot to the ring, forming the first petal. Repeat 4 times. Close ring.

Reverse work and using the ball thread, make a chain of 3 Victorian sets 4-4 ie make the first half of a double stitch 4 times, then the second half 4 times for 1 set.

Attach a clasp, using the ball thread.

Do three more sets, then a long picot as before, adding green beads and joining to form a leaf.

Do four more sets.

Reverse work. Use the shuttle thread to make another flower as before.

Cut thread, tie and hide the ends in the ring.

## Earrings



Earrings can be made in exactly the same way, using size 40 thread, tiny beads and a hook in place of a clasp. And of course you have to make two!