Venētian Tapestry Earrings

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designed exclusively for Toho

Toho 15/0 #712 (15A) Miyuki #4202 in kit

Toho 15/0 #503 (15B)

Materials needed:

Toho 11/0 #515F (11A) Toho 11/0 #952 (11B)

Toho 11/0 Charlotte #712 (11C) $(Miyuki\ 4202\ in$

Toho 8/0 #2508 (8/0)

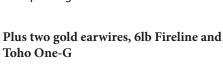
Toho 3mm Magatama #503 Toho #85 in kit

Czech 4mm round, turquoise gold luster

Czech two-hole dagger, dk. turquoise gold luster www.mgsdesigns.net







1. Needle up a half wingspan of Fireline and pick up (PU) four 8/0s. Stitch through (ST) the first one again

to form a loop, then stitch around several more times to reinforce.

2. PU two 11Bs and ST the next 8/0. Repeat 3 times, then step up (SU) through the first 11B added.

3. PU one 11B and ST the next 11B. PU one 11C and ST the next 11B. Repeat 3 times, then step down through the next 11B and 8/0.

4. PU one 11A and ST the next 8/0. Repeat 3 times, then ST the next two 11Bs.

5. PU two 15As and ST the next 11C. PU two 15As and ST the middle 11B in the next group of 3. Repeat 3 times, then SU through the first two pairs of 15As added.

6. PU four 15As and ST the next two 15As, the next 11C, and next two 15As. Repeat three times, then SU through the first two 15As added.

7. PU one 15A and ST the next three 15As. PU three Magatamas and skip the next 15A, 11C, and 15A. ST three 15As. Repeat three times, then SU through the first 15A added.

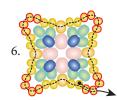
8. PU two 11Bs and ST the next Magatama, skip the middle Magatama, and stitch through the third. PU two 11Bs and stitch through the point 15A. Repeat three times, then SU through the first two pairs of 11Bs.

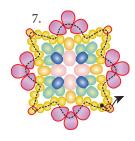


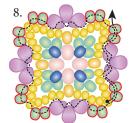




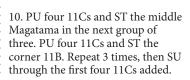


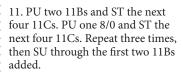


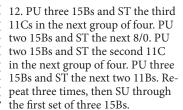


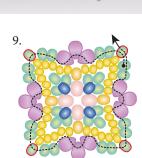


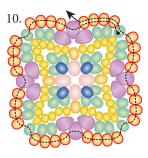
9. PU one 11B and ST the next two 11Bs. ST the next three Magatamas and the next two 11Bs. Repeat three times, then SU through the first 11B added.

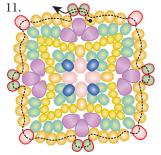


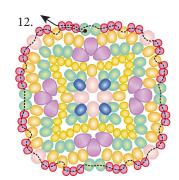


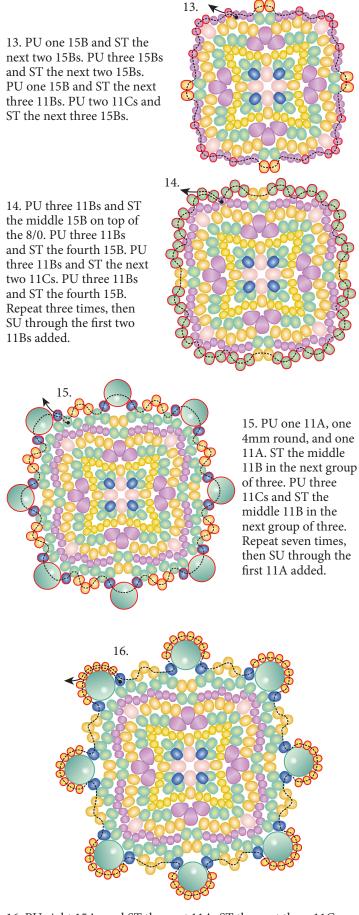




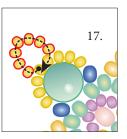






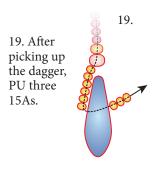


16. PU eight 15As and ST the next 11A. ST the next three 11Cs, then the next 11A. Repeat seven times, then SU through the first five 15As added.

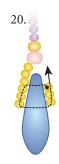


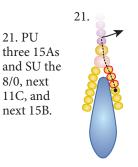
17. PU seven 15As and ST the middle two 15As in the group of eight. Repeat the thread path at least once more to reinforce. Then open the bottom earwire loop and place it around the beaded loop, then close it.

18. You'll now add nine identical fringes to the bottom of the beadwork. Each fringe begins by picking up: eleven 15Bs, one 11C, one 4mm round, one 11C, sixteen 15Bs, one 11C, one 4mm round, one 11C, twenty-five 15Bs, one 11C, one 8/0, six 15As, and the bottom hole of a dagger.



20. ST the top hole of the dagger, then the bottom three 15As in the group of six. ST the bottom hole of the dagger again and the three new 15As again.





22. PU two 15Bs and ST the next 15B.



24. Add one fringe to each of the places denoted in the diagram above. Then repeat all for the second earring. You're done!