



Simple Rayon Necklace

Fabric designed by Amy Butler for Rowan. The fabric used is from Amy's Soul Blossoms Fashion fabric collection, Rayon Challis. Peacock Feathers / Sea Glass RAB02.

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"Silky, stylish and super easy to make – my Simple Rayon Necklace adds a relaxed yet refined accent to your own fashion. Enjoy!" XO Amy

- All you need is 1/2 yard of 58" wide Rayon Challis and coordinating thread.
- Cut 7 strips from your fabric - 2" wide by the width of the fabric. Leave one strip 58" long and cut the other 6 strips to various lengths measuring between 30" and 50". This will give the necklace a layered look.
- Fold each strip in half lengthwise with **RIGHT** sides together and sew a 1/4" seam down the length, backstitching at each end. Turn all of the strips **RIGHT** side out and press them flat.
- Next make 1 to 5 knots on each strand, randomly spacing them at least 4" apart.
- On the 58" strand leave 21" without knots on the first end and place the other end 15" in from the first. Stitch them together to create a "tail" and backstitch at each end. You'll use this "tail" to cover all of the raw ends of the necklace in the last step.
- Working on the remaining 6 strands; one by one, overlap each end by 1/2" and sew them together.
- Now, stack all of the strands on top of each other lining up the seams placing the 58" strand on the bottom. Begin wrapping the "tail" around all of the strands covering the seams; overlapping each edge as you go until the "wrapped" area measures about 3" across. Fold under the raw end 1/4" and hand-stitch it in place.

Well done and easy breezy! Your beautiful necklace is complete!