Fairy Wings Necklace

The Fairy Wings Necklace is a straightforward pattern with a couple of charts. It has lacy fairy wings hanging from a simple chain with small seed beads sewn on afterward. The necklace can be made with 3 or 5 wings and smaller needles can be used to make the wings smaller.

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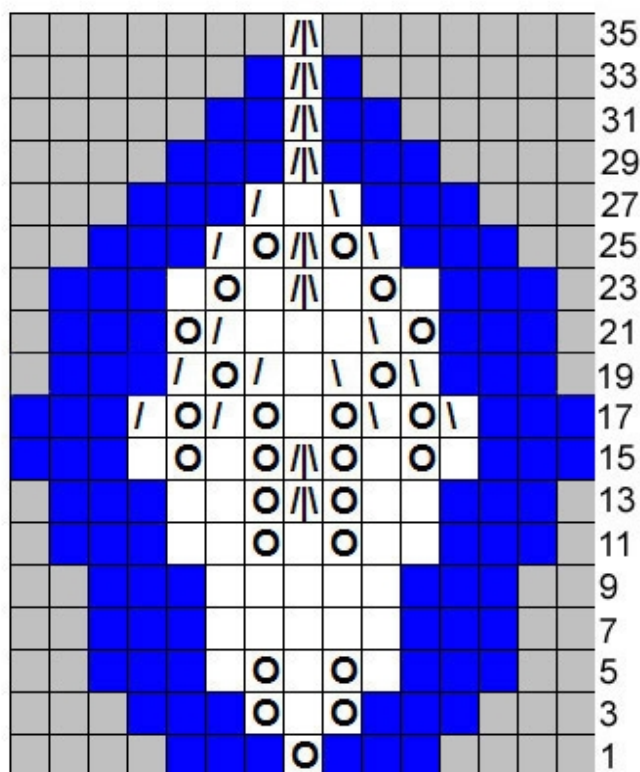What you'll need for a 5 wing necklace:
- Less than 80 yards of Moll Flanders or another laceweight yarn.
- US 5 needles or smaller needles for smaller wings.
- Approximately 430 seed beads size 11/0, color(s) of choice. Use larger beads if you want to knit them in rather then sew them on.
- Tapestry needle.
- Small sewing needle (if you want to sew beads on after knitting).
- Sewing thread in a color that is similar to the yarn.
- At least 17″ of chain, more if you want a longer necklace or have a larger neck.
- Six jump rings to match chain.
- Matching clasp.
- Small pliers.

You will obviously need less for a 3 wing necklace.

Note in regards to charts: I have charted the garter stitch borders because they are used in the pattern at the tips of the wings. Work blue stitches in garter stitch, work white stitches in stockinette stitch. Wrong side rows are not charted.

Chart for larger wings (make 3 for a 5 wing necklace or 1 for a 3 wing necklace):
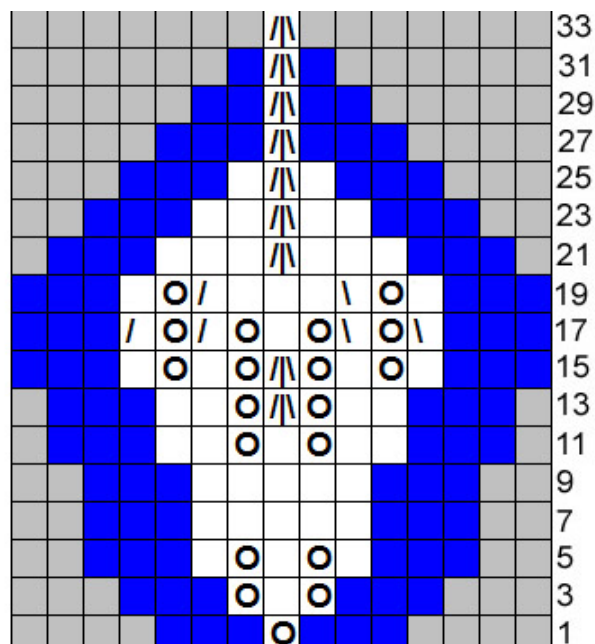

Finished size after blocking: 4 inches long by apprx. 2 inches wide.

Chart for smaller wings (make 2):

Finished size after blocking: 3.5 inches long by apprx. 2 inches wide.

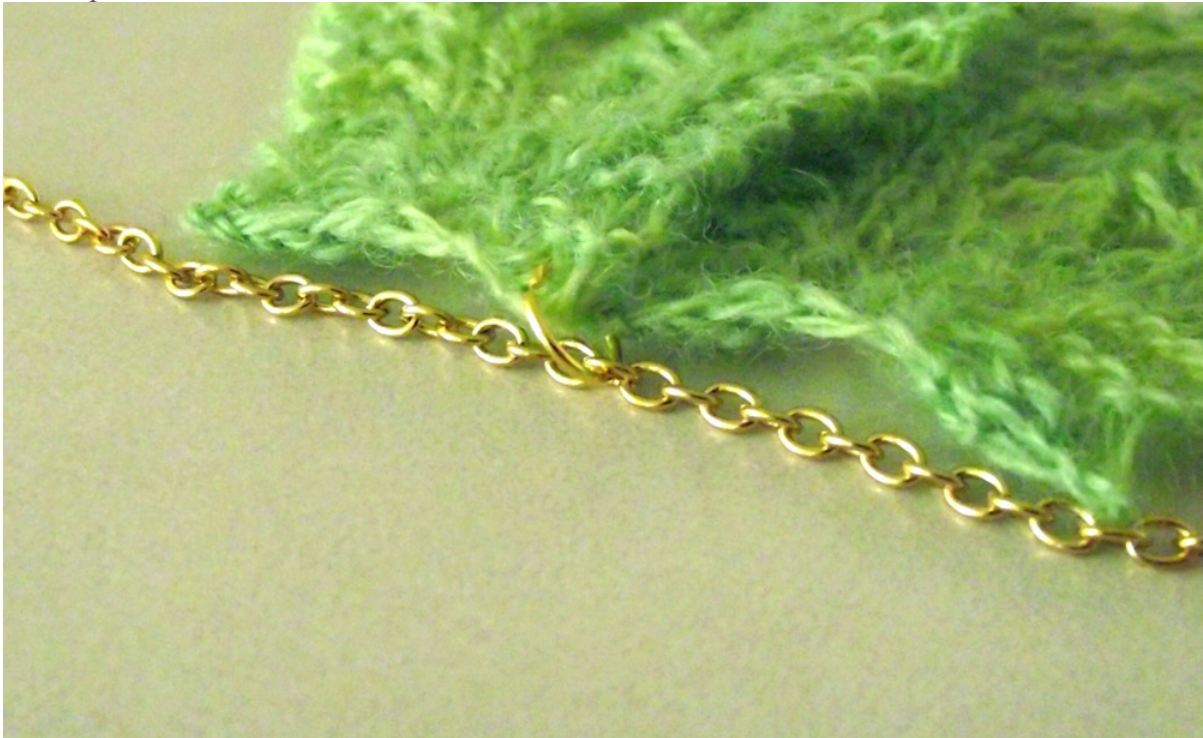**Finishing:** Weave in ends and block your wings into shape.

Beading: Sew on beads wherever you want. On all of the wings I sewed beads up the center line from tip to just before the yarn over in the base. With the smaller wings I sewed beads around the edges of the stockinette area at each garter stitch ridge:

With the larger wings I sewed beads on almost all of the stockinette area on either side of the center line:

Attaching wings to chain: Center a larger wing on your chain. Open a jump ring and put it on the chain near the corner of the base of the wing on either the left or right side. Put a smaller wing on first and then the larger wing. Close the jump ring and repeat for the other side. Attach the rest of the wings and the clasp.

All done!

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