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How to Fix a Broken Necklace

Jewelry chains can easily be fixed with a pair of pliers and a keen eye sight. With this simple step-by-step guide, the old jewelry that is very special to you can be restored.
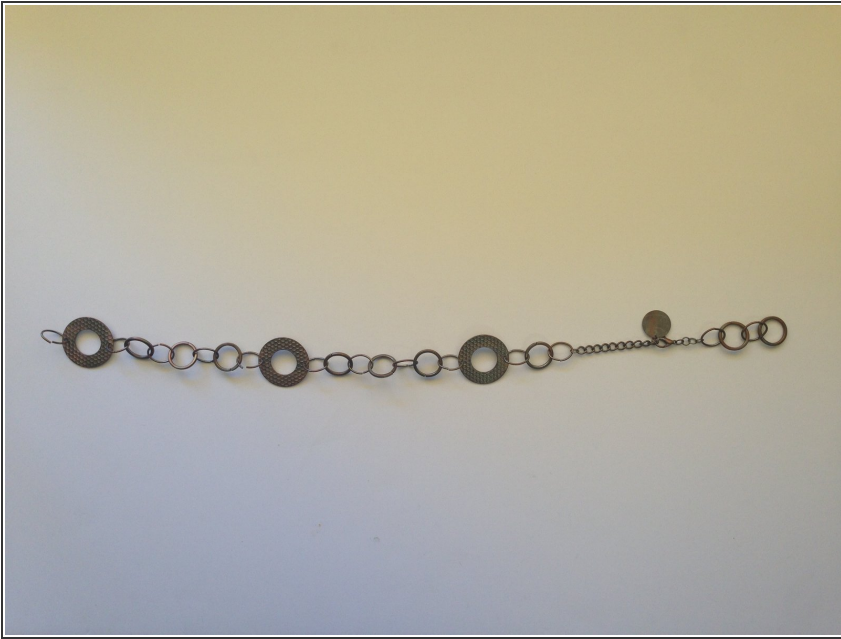
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INTRODUCTION

Do you have an old chain bracelet or necklace that broke, but you still want to keep? Old accessories can always be restored to its original functionality. This guide will provide you with a step-by-step process for fixing broken chains.

🔧 TOOLS:

- Large Needle Nose Pliers (1)
- Tweezers (1)

Step 1 — How to Fix a Broken Necklace

- Lay your chain necklace flat on the table from one end to another.

- ⓘ This way the chain will not get tangled up.

Step 2

- Grab one end of your chain necklace and place the pliers on the right of the small opening on the chain.

- ⚠ Be very careful that you do not hurt yourself with the pliers or the end of the metal chain.

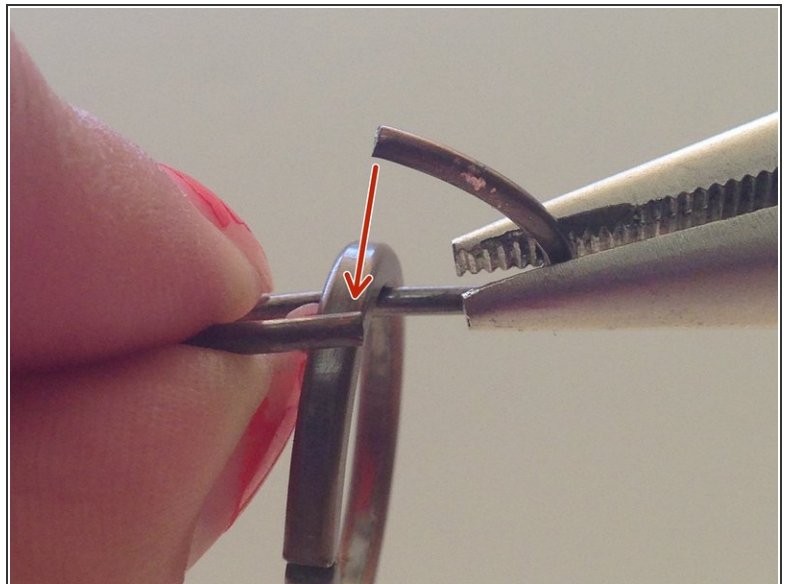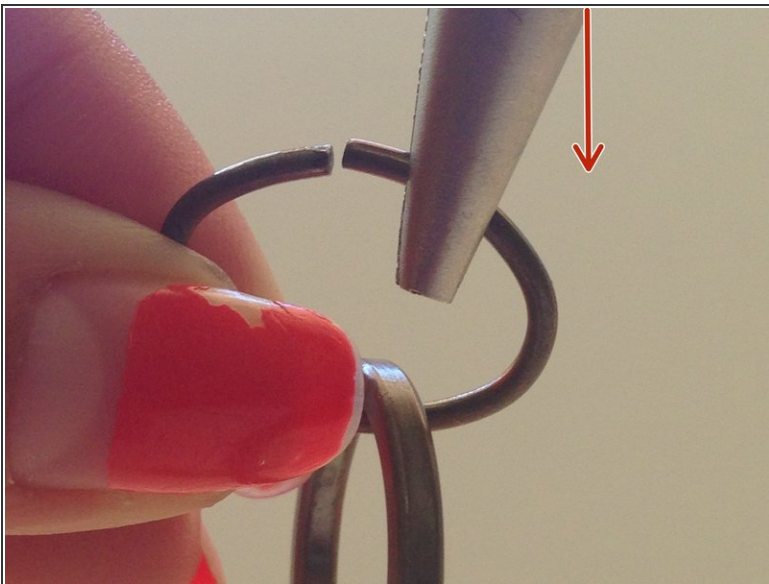- ⓘ Keep your hand a few centimeters lower than the opening of the chain.

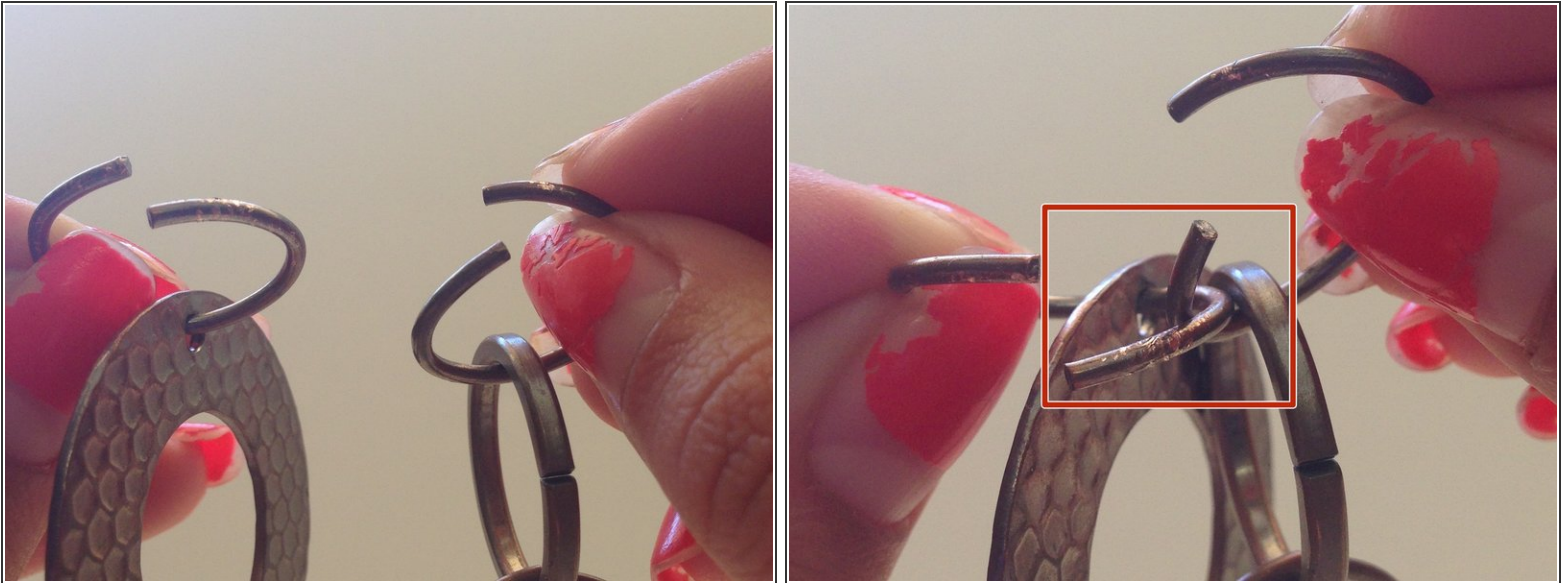This document was generated on 2019-09-19 12:08:20 AM (MST).

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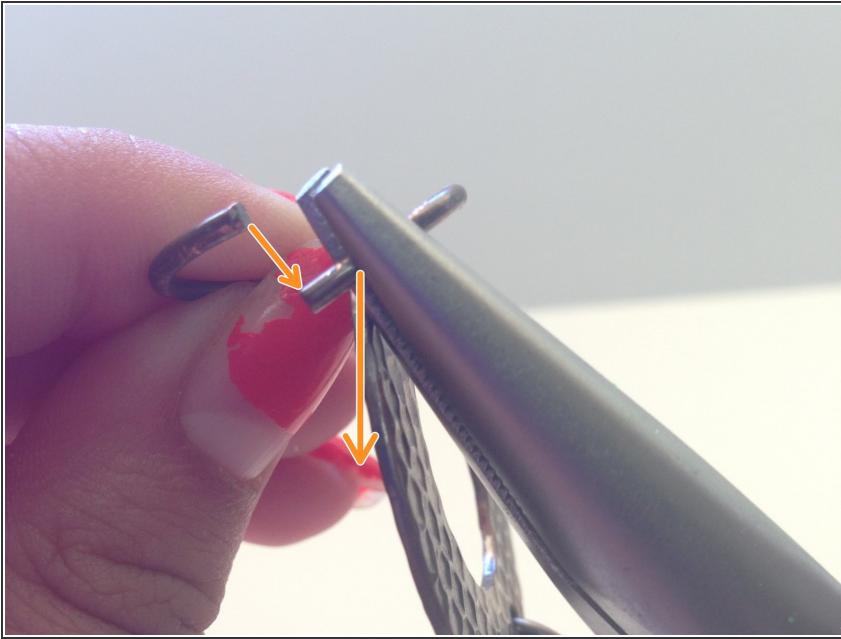
- Using your pliers, pull down slightly as to make the gap in the chain larger.

- (i) This opens up the chain allowing you to work with it easily.
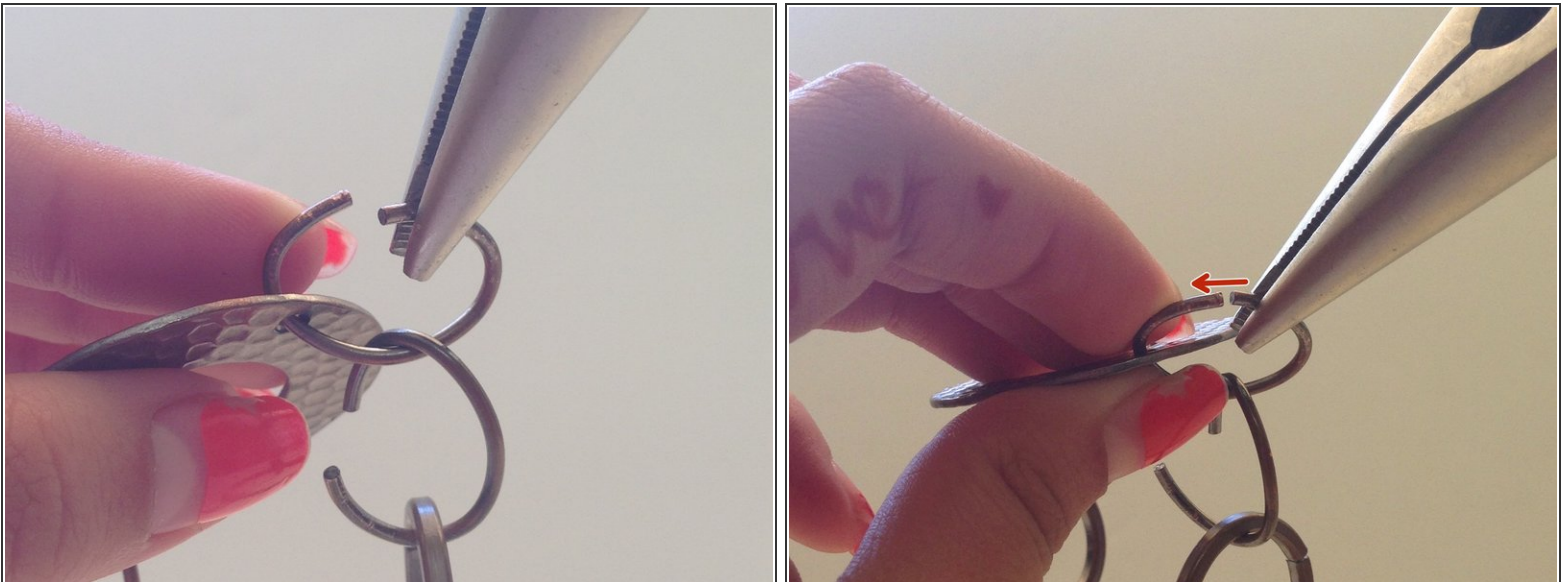
Step 4

- Do the same thing with the chain on the opposite side.

Step 5

- Grab both ends of the chain and hook them together.

Step 6

- Once they're hooked together, grab the pliers and place them on the right side of one of the chains.

- Using the pliers, push the chain back to its original position.

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Step 7

- Do the same thing on the other chain to close it all together.

Step 8

- The jewelry piece should now be good as new.

With this easy guide, any individual can restore his or her own accessory. This creative guide can be used for all accessories whether big or small, wide or thin. Now you can always save those old, broken, accessories that still have a special place in your heart.