TINY TULIP

April 2023 Block of the Month • **BROOKLYN QUILTERS GUILD By Eleanor Lutz**



Fabrics & Cutting

Flower (scrappy, colorful fabrics suggested)

A: 3x Petals, 4x2.25 in. B: 1x Center. 11x5.5 in.

Leaves & stem (green fabric suggested)

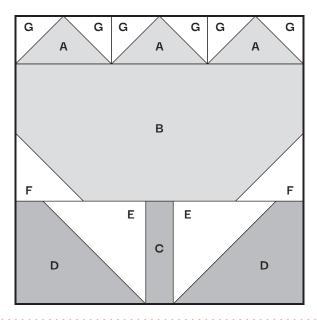
C: 1x Stem, 1.5x4.25in.D: 2x Leaves, 5.25x4.25in.

Background (light fabric suggested)

E: 2x Large squares, **4.25x4.25in.**

F: 2x Small squares, 3x3in.

G: 6x Tiny squares, **2.25x2.25in.**





Instructions

All seam allowances are 1/4 in. Finished block is 11x11 in.

1: Draw one diagonal line on the back of each background square (**E,F&G**) in washable marker or chalk.

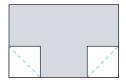


2: Sew one large background square (E) onto each leaf (D), following the diagonal line you drew earlier. One square should go on the left side of one leaf, and the other on the right side of the other leaf. Trim and iron flat.





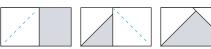
- Sew
 Cut ½in. away from seam
- 3: Sew one small background square (**F**) onto the bottom two corners of the flower center (**B**), following the diagonal line. Trim and iron flat.



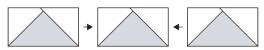


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4: Sew the tiny background squares (**G**) onto each petal (**A**), following the line you drew earlier. Iron flat.



5. Sew the three petals together horizontally. Iron flat.



- 6: Sew the leaves together horizontally with the stem (\mathbf{C}) in the middle. Iron flat.
- 7. Sew the three sections of the flower together vertically.

The finished block should be 11 inches square, including seam allowance.

This block is a big tulip flower for the quilted neighborhood. Pick out one of the huge variety of cheerful tulip colors - pink, yellow, red, or even purple and black!

Bring your block to our next guild meeting to enter the lottery and win that month's collection of blocks! If you can't come to the meeting, you can enter by sharing your block on our B.O.M. Facebook by 10am. the morning of the Guild Meeting. Each completed block gives you a chance to win, whether you are present at the meeting or not. Blocks will be collected from those attending the meeting in person. Everyone else will privately mail their blocks to the winner.



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