



ORANGE COUNTY
QUILTERS GUILD

OCQG BLOCK OF THE MONTH--- MARCH 2021

TIPTOE THROUGH THE TULIPS 8 ½" x 12 ½" Unfinished



This is a more modern version of the flowers blooming brightly in Holland right now. It is a simple pattern, so before you know it, you will have a whole flower bed full.

Colors: low volume backgrounds cut 9" x 13 "
Fresh spring colors for tulips, leaves and stems
(which don't have to be green)

1. Trace the two pattern pieces on to your fusible web.
You will definitely want to "window" *** the traced fusible pieces to make your block light and flexible.
2. Next iron your fusible pieces onto the back of your flower and leaf fabrics.
Cut them out. Remove backing paper.
3. Arrange your pattern pieces on your low volume background.
The flower may stand straight or tilt at an angle. Press.
4. Stitch your pattern pieces down using a buttonhole stitch with thread that matches your flower and leaf fabrics.
5. Trim each block to 8 ½" x 12 ½" Unfinished.

Put your name in the drawing Once for each tulip turned in (Maximum of 5).
Questions: Contact Cheri Hansen at hansen.cheri@gmail.com or 714-528-1836

Bringing in a quilt top made from your spring tulips will win you a prize,
whether you have won blocks or not!

*** "window"—to cut away part of the center of your fusible before ironing it on to your fabric.
It is usually wise to leave at least 1/2" along the edges to provide stability.

