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## Whimsical Lollipop Flower Block, from Lollipop Garden Quilt

Hand Reverse Appliqué with Appliqué

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**Beginner: 3 Hours** 



Join the fun! Be empowered!

Reverse appliqué mixed with appliqué gives a unique, dimensional look to your quilt! Like in a real garden, the receding greenery is created in the background fabric peeking out of the black top fabric. And the blossom-dots pop because they are appliquéd.

Learn the quick and easy steps in Eye of the Beholder's trace, baste, snip and stitch process to hand reverse appliqué, and get pointers on how to successfully needle-turn appliqué, giving you crisp points and graceful curves. See the dimensional magic of the *Lollipop Flower block* (7" x 7") from *Lollipop Garden Quilt* (40" x 40") revealed as you stitch. We designed the pattern in Black & Bright batik fabrics by Island Batiks, but perhaps you'll re- imagine it in your own colors. Learn with others and experience the fun and beauty of reverse appliqué by hand.

<u>Supply List</u> below is to make 1 – 7" x 7" Lollipop Flower Block

Required: Lollipop Garden Quilt XV pattern- \$18.50 print/ \$13.88 digital available at <a href="https://www.eobquiltdesign.com">www.eobquiltdesign.com</a> (If you purchase the digital PDF, print it "actual" size/ "full" size.)

8 ½" x 8 ½" square of batik, background fabric (Green in the picture)

8 ½" x 8 ½" square of batik, top fabric (Black in the picture)

scraps for appliqué blossom-dots (no more than 7" x 7" square needed)

No. 7 Sharps needle for basting\*

No. 11 Milliner's needle for stitching\*

1 spool of Button/ hand quilting thread for basting (CONTRASTING COLOR to top fabric)\*

1 spool each of threads for hand stitching (SAME COLORs as top & appliqué fabrics)

5 safety pins or straight pins for pin basting

Mechanical pencil for tracing pattern onto paper side of fusible

1 pair small, sharp scissors\*

PREPARATION BEFORE CLASS: Purchase pattern prior to class. Read the section on Hand Reverse Appliqué with Appliqué: Lollipop Flower Block on page 4, and do the steps for Trace-1 & 2 (Trace your Lollipop Flower 7" x 7" pattern).

## **BRING TO CLASS:** Lollipop Garden Pattern

- 8 ½" x 8 ½" square background batik (with entire Lollipop Flower pattern traced onto the wrong side)
- 8 ½" x 8 ½" square of top batik
- 3" x 3 ½" blossom dots batik
- No. 7 Sharps needle for basting\*
- No. 11 Milliner's needle for stitching\*
- 1 spool of Button/ hand quilting thread for basting (CONTRASTING COLOR to top fabric)\*
- Threads (2) for stitching (SAME COLORS as top fabric & blossom dots)
- 1 pair small, sharp scissors
- 5 safety pins or straight pins for pin basting
- Needle Threader Helpful\*

Kai 4" slightly blunted bent-handled scissors; No.7 Sharps Needles; No.11 Milliner's Needles; Desk Needle Threader; Basting Thread.



<sup>\*</sup>We recommend these helpful items available from www.eobquiltdesign.com