

Just Fine Designs

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Easy Pink Tulip Tag

A PJs and Paintbrushes Design



Surface: 7" x 3 1/2" Recollections Chipboard Tag available at Micheals (Package of 9) or singly at Just Fine Designs

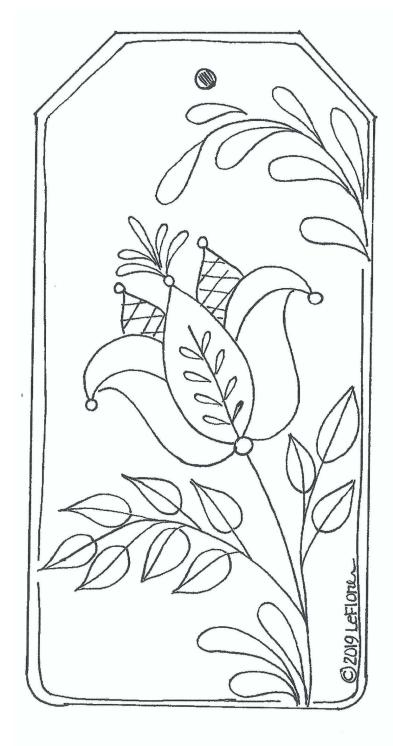
Brushes I Used: 3/4" Flat; 1/2" Flat; #1 Liner

Other Supplies: White Graphite

Palette: DecoArt Americana Boysenberry Pink Warm White

Preparation: With a large flat brush paint the surface with a coat of Boysenberry Pink plus Warm White (1:1).

Let dry and then sand lightly. Apply the pattern with white graphite. Please, please, please use white graphite. You'll regret it if you don't.



Painting the Design:

Shading: Float shading with straight Boysenberry in the leaves, the tulip, the strokes, and on the background around the design elements themselves (see picture...some shading is only on one side of an element such as the stems and below the strokes)

Float shading, again with straight Boysenberry, around the outer edge, walking the color out in the corners a bit.

Detail Lining: Everything is lined with thinned Warm White.

Tulip Strokes and Dots: Add the strokes to the top and center petal of the tulip with Warm White.

Spattering and Border: Both are done with thinned Warm White.

Finishing: Let everything dry and then varnish. Add a hanger and enjoy!