




GRATEFUL TURKEY

In recent years, U.S. Presidents have been pardoning a turkey during Thanksgiving. Aren't you glad that God forgives our sins as it says in 1 John 1:9? Now, that's something to be grateful for.

YOU WILL NEED:

- Red Felt
- Orange Felt
- Tan Felt
- Yellow Felt
- Brown Felt
- Thread
- Needle
- Ruler
- Fiberfill
- Pencil
- Scissors
- 5" Ribbon
- Orange Tulle
- Nylon Stockings
- 7" Cardboard Circle
- 2 Googly Eyes
- Hot Glue Gun 



DIRECTIONS:



1. Cut out the following parts from felt:
4 feet (2x1½"),
2 legs (2x5"),
1 beak (2x2"),
2 combs (3x1½"),
2 wattles (3½x1½"),
2 heads (3x2½"),
2 necks (4x2½"),
2 wings (4x2½").



5. Fold the ribbon in half and glue it to the edge of the cardboard circle.



2. Sew all of the pieces together, except for the wings, stuffing with fiberfill.



6. Gather a tulle strip into a fan. Glue it to the middle of the long edge of a felt triangle. Fold and glue the two corners over the middle. Repeat to make 26 feathers.



9. Sew the beak, comb, wattle, and neck to the head. Glue the eyes on. Glue the neck and legs to the cardboard.



3. Cut 35 pieces of tulle 6x2½".



7. Glue 10 yellow feathers to the top of the circle, five on each side of the ribbon. Glue a tulle fan between each feather.



10. Cut loops of nylon stocking ¾" wide.



4. Cut yellow felt into 5 (4x4") squares; cut 4 tan (4x4"); and 4 orange squares (4x4"). Cut the squares in half diagonally.



8. Glue 8 orange feathers and 8 tan feathers as shown.



11. Stretch and twist the loops into a spiral, allowing them to knot themselves. Glue the twists to the cardboard on the bottom and around the neck.



12. Glue the wings in place. The turkey is ready to go!

