

## Step by step instructions for creating "Spring Blossoms"

1. First the clear tips were polished with 2 coats of green apple colored nail polish. Once the polish dried the clear top coat was applied to all 5 tips.
2. The thin black lines and leaves are painted with black nail polish.
3. The 3D flowers are sculpted with white acrylic powder.
4. The stamens were sculpted with yellow acrylic powder.
5. The depth and shading is added to petals with black acrylic paint.
6. The highlights are painted on the sides of petals with shimmery white nail polish.
7. Some yellow sand-like dots were added in random spots as a falling pollen.
8. The surface of the tips except the flowers was polished with clear top coat to make the flowers to stand out more.

Photos taken with Sony Cyber-shot 7.2 Mega pixels, then images sizes reduced using Adobe Photoshop software.