

# BUDDING ROMANCE



QTY	ITEM	DESCRIPTION
1	97520	27" Valentine Filtered Ombre Hearts
1	11221	11" Caribbean Blue Latex 100 pk (4 needed)
1	5237	5" Spring Lilac Latex 100 pk (4 needed)
1	18214	Wild Berry 260 Twistee 50 pk (2 needed)
1	18206	Pink 260 Twistee 50 pk (2 needed)
1	18221	Rose 260 Twistee 50 pk (2 needed)
1	18202	Dark Green 260 Twistee 50 pk (3 needed)
1	1129	Azalea Curling Ribbon
1	1598	80g Heavy Weight

## #97520

Helium-inflate the foil balloon. Tie 6' of curling ribbon to the tail and set aside.

## #11221/#5237

Air-inflate two spring lilac latex balloons to 5" and tie together to form a duplet. Repeat to create a second duplet. Twist the two duplets together to create a four-balloon cluster. Create a second cluster using the 11" caribbean blue latex inflated to 7".

Create the base by twisting the two clusters together so the lilac cluster is nested on top of the caribbean blue cluster (see image to the right).

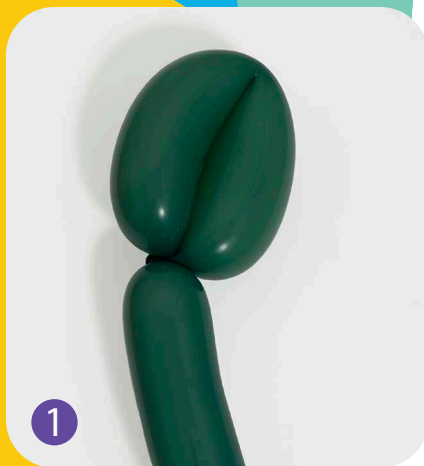
## 260 Twistee Roses

### #18202/18206/18214/18221

Follow the instructions on the next page to create three roses. Tie the stems together at the necks. Slip the group of the roses through the clusters of the base and make any final adjustments.

Add the foil balloon to finish the design. Wrap the curling ribbon through the base. Tie a heavy weight to the ribbon for added stability.





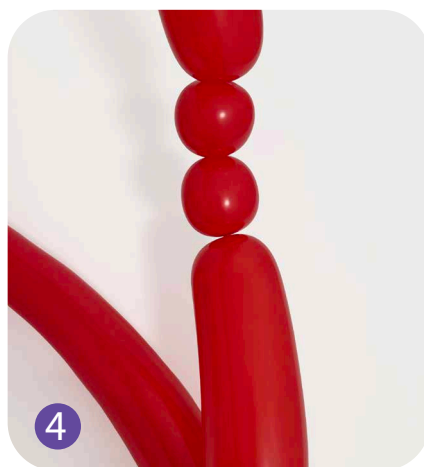
Air-inflate the dark green 260, leaving about 1" uninflated. Working from the tip, fold a 2" segment over and twist it into the 260 to create a leaf.



Repeat this step two more times, twisting each leaf onto the stem to hold them in place.



For the petals, air-inflate two 260 balloons, leaving about 3" uninflated on one and 4" on the other. Tie them together at the necks. Slip them through the leaves on the stem.



Using the 260 with 3" uninflated, twist a segment 4" up from the leaves. Twist in two additional 1" bulbs.



Fold the 260 over and twist a final segment the same length as the first and wrap it into the leaves. Repeat this step to create a second set. Deflate the excess length by carefully cutting the tip and tying the end to prevent air from escaping.



Using the other 260, twist a segment of equal height to the segments from the prior step.



Wrap the 260 snugly around the bulbs at the top of the petals. Twist the 260 and tuck the remainder under the bulbs so it comes out the opposite side.



Create a final segment of equal length, run it down the petals and twist it into the leaves. Deflate the excess, tie the end and wrap it into the leaves.