1. S Fold and unfold. Turn the paper over.
2. S Fold and unfold again.
3. S Collapse using existing creases.
4. S Petal-fold in the front.
5. S Turn the model over.
6. S Squash-fold to the left.
7. S Valley-fold differently. Note the guidelines.
8. S ...like this. Unfold.
10. S Fold to the center and unfold.
11. S Closed-sink.
12. S Valley-fold to add some creases for imitating feathers of the tail.

13. S Fold over to the right.

14. S Repeat steps 6-13 on the left in mirror image.

15. S Fold the big triangle flap down.

16. S Turn the model over.

17. S Fold up the two large flaps from the bottom.

18. S Squash-fold on both sides symmetrically.

19. S Steps 20-37 will focus on the right leg.

20. S Wrap one-one layer behind to change colour.

21. S Fold the tip to the hidden intersection.

22. S Valley-fold prependiculary to the bottom side of the triangle.

23. S Steps 24-31 will focus on the tip of the leg.
24. S Pull out some paper.
25. S Swivel-fold.
26. S Pull out some paper.
27. S Swivel-fold to the left.
28. S Valley-fold up.
29. S Fold to the right.
30. S Spread-squash...
31. S ...like this. Reverse-fold the tiny corners.
32. S Fold the sides in to the center crease.
33. S Steps 34-35 will focus on the leg’s tip again.
34. S Fold and unfold the tiny excess corners.
35. S Closed-sink the same corners.
36. S Fold the upper half down.
37. S Right leg almost done.
38. S Repeat steps 20-37 on the left leg in mirror image.
39. S Valley-fold up the tip of the tail.
40. S Fold the model in half.
41. S Rotate the model 45 degrees clockwise.

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42. S Reverse-fold the long flap.
43. S Reverse-fold back up.
44. S Reverse-fold the neck.

45. S Steps 44-50 will focus on the head.

46. S Enlarged view. Fold the tip over the edge and unfold.
47. S Fold the top edge to the new crease and unfold.
48. S Inside-reverse-fold. Do not lock the layers.

49. S Outside-reverse-fold from the interior, using existing creases.
50. S Reverse-fold the little white flap.
51. S Outside-reverse-fold the head to its final position.
52. S Finished head.

53. S Crimp both legs.
54. S Spread the toes, shape the model.
55. S Finished blackbird.