

STEPS FOR TURNING A SMALL LIDDED BOX..

- 1 Mount your piece of wood between centers
- 2 Rough turn the piece round
- 3 Make a tenon/spigot at each end to fit your chuck jaws
- 4 Decide which end is the top of the box
- 5 Mark the top, the parting line, and the bottom/base see box blank drawing
- 6 Mount the blank with the top in the chuck, bring the tailstock up
- 7 Part the bottom/base from the top
- 8 Face the blank so that it is straight, this is important!
- 9 Turn the inside of the top, do not worry about the outside at this time
- 10 Sand and finish the inside of the top of your box
- 11 Remove the top and set a side.
- 12 Mount the bottom / base in the chuck

NOW THE FUN BEGINS!!!!!!

- 13 Face the blank so that it is straight, this is important!
- 14 Fit the top to the bottom/base with a tight friction fit!!!!
This is your jam chuck for the top
- 15 Leave the top jammed on the bottom/base. Bring the tail stock up, if you need to.
- 16 Turn the top and outside of the bottom/base to shape
- 17 Sand and finish the two pieces
- 18 Remove the top and adjust the fit to what you want
- 19 Turn/hollow the bottom/base

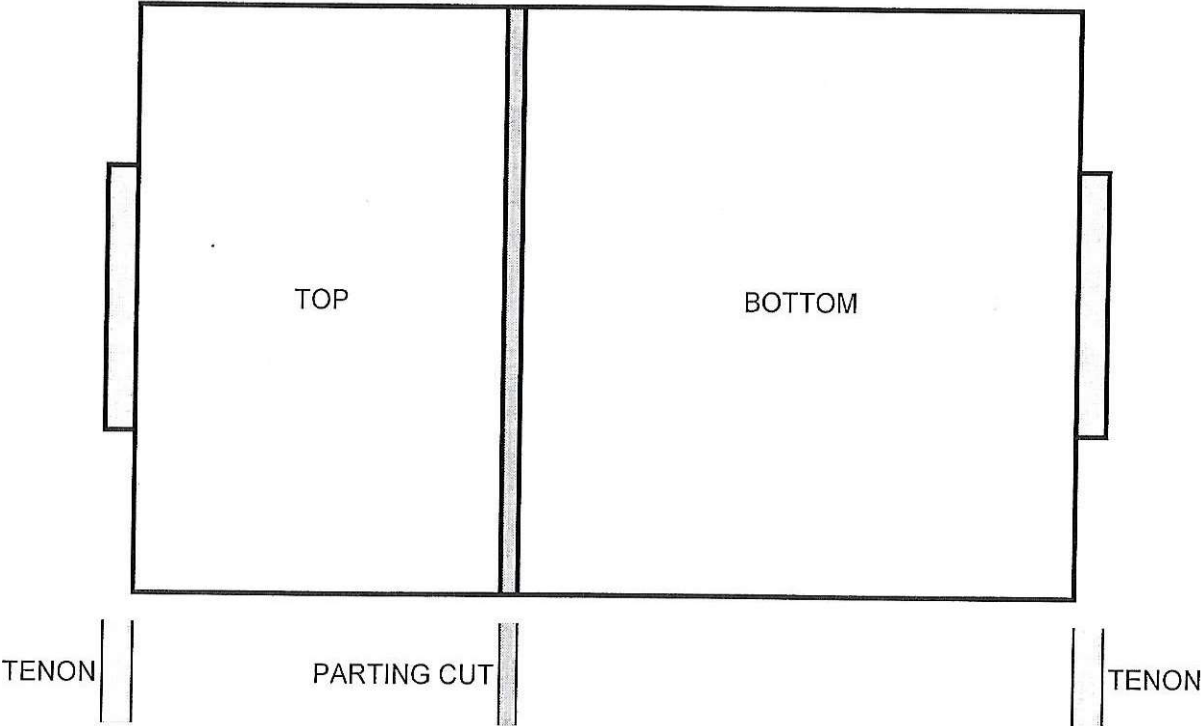
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20 Now you need to finish the foot of the bottom/base

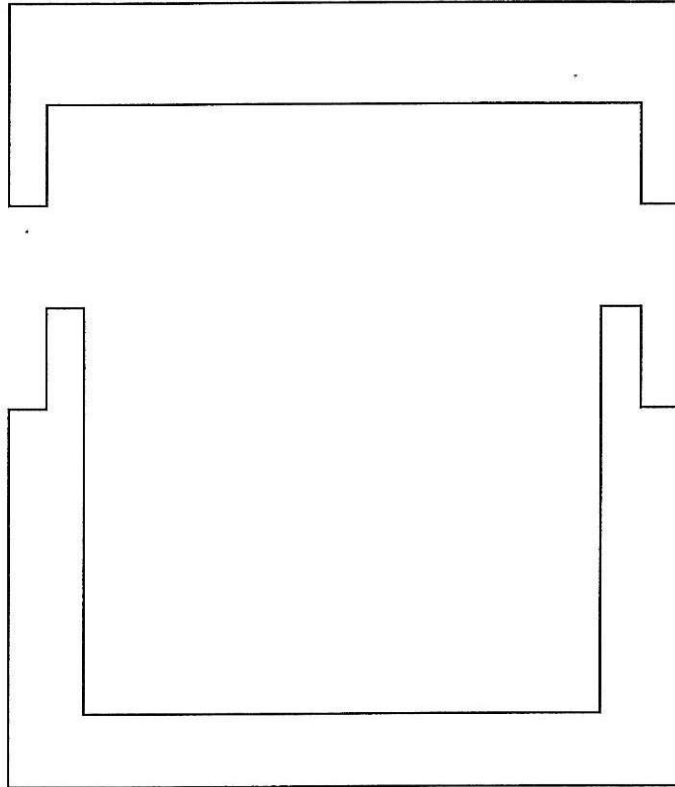
- 1 Turn and part it off, finish by hand
- 2 Remove from chuck and rechuck or use a jam chuck
Turn the foot and finish

IF EVERYTHING WENT WELL YOU'RE DONE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

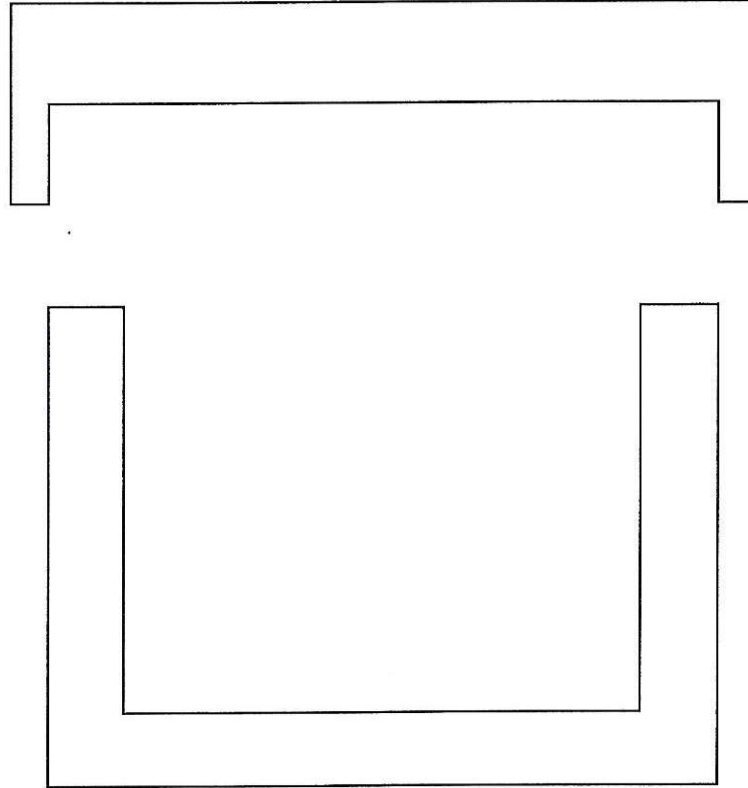
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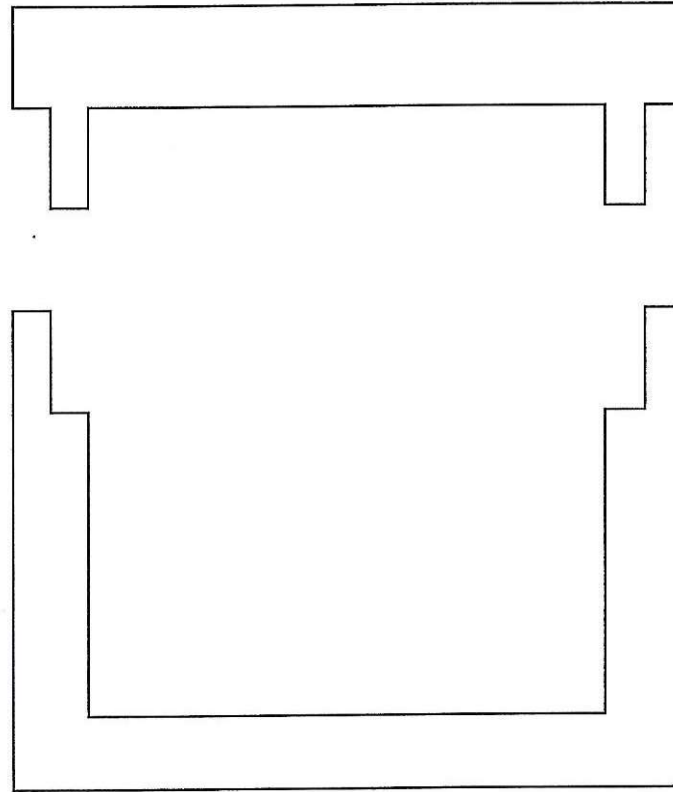
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