Hummingbird Card with Watercolour Background and Sentiment

A PROJECT FROM OUR LIVE SHOW - CREATE AND CRAFT - 27 APRIL 2022

ABOUT THIS PROJECT

Create a dynamic card featuring a hummingbird stamp with a soft watercolour background. The layered lamination technique allows the bird to appear to move and dive, creating energy and motion in your design whilst maintaining simplicity and ease.

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Shown: 27 April 2022
The project starts: 54:15 into the show
In this guide: 8 steps

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STEP BY STEP

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STEP 1 OF 8

Select your hummingbird stamp and ink it with pink and blue tones.

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STEP 2 OF 8

Spritz the inked stamp with water to create a watercolour effect and movement.

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STEP 3 OF 8

Press the stamp onto watercolour cardstock, allowing the water to blend the colours naturally.

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STEP 4 OF 8

Remove excess water with a tissue to control the effect.

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STEP 5 OF 8

Layer the detailed hummingbird outline stamp on top, positioning it slightly offset to create the illusion of diving or flying motion.

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STEP 6 OF 8

Stamp your chosen sentiment onto the card, pressing firmly to ensure good transfer.

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STEP 7 OF 8

Mount the finished design onto cardstock using adhesive.

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STEP 8 OF 8

Add optional glitter embellishments to enhance the flying motion of the hummingbird.

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TIPS FROM THE SHOW

- Offset the detail stamp slightly for an artistic, dynamic effect that suggests movement.
- These stamps are very forgiving—don't worry about perfect alignment.
- The technique works quickly, making it ideal for creating multiple cards.

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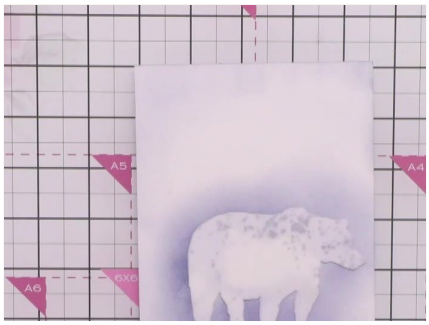

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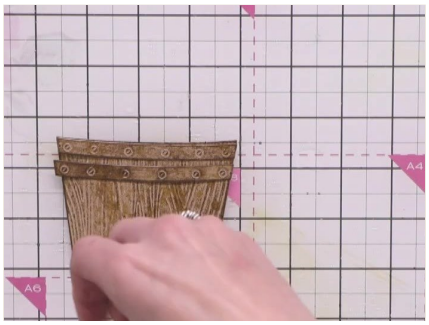

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