

Watercolour Lamination Stamp Card with Sentiment Banner

A PROJECT FROM OUR LIVE SHOW - STAMPING TECHNIQUES - 22 DECEMBER 2021



ABOUT THIS PROJECT

Create a stunning watercolour-effect card using a two-part lamination stamp system. The design features a sketched floral element stamped in multiple colours that blend together when sprayed with water, creating a realistic artistic finish with a sentiment banner accent.

From the show: Stamping Techniques

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In this guide: 12 steps

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Stamp the outline portion of the lamination stamp onto the right-hand side of your card using coloured ink pads rather than black or grey.

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Apply green ink to the solid green parts of the design, then add a red or pink colour to the flower details.

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Enhance the design by stamping again with a darker colour on the flower to add more depth and detail.

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Remove the outline stamp and line up the solid portion of the lamination stamp over your first stamped image, referring to the packaging guide if needed.

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Colour the solid stamp portion using a light colour on the flower and different shades of green elsewhere, adding touches of purple to enhance the flower.

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Spray the entire stamped design with water to allow the colours to bleed and blend together, creating a realistic watercolour finish.

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Stamp a sentiment phrase onto a separate piece of card using black ink.

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Cut the sentiment into a banner or tab shape using scissors.

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Cut a foam pad in half and attach it to the back of the sentiment banner to add dimension to your card.

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Mount the watercolour stamped element onto white card stock, then attach this to a coloured card base.

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Position the sentiment banner down the side of the card, ensuring it is as straight as possible.

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Add sparkle to the design using a sparkle pen to catch the light and enhance the overall effect.

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- You can start with either the outline or solid portion of the stamp – you will get results either way.
- The imperfect alignment of the two stamp portions creates the true artistic feel of the card.
- If you prefer a flat card, you can skip the foam pad dimension step entirely.

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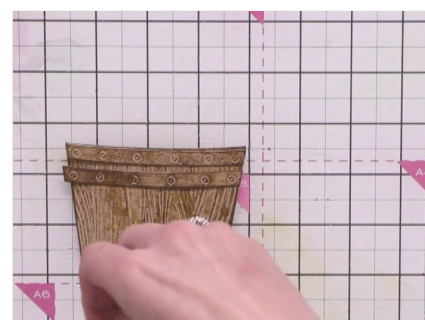
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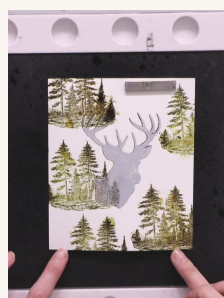
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