

To Make This Card You Will Need the Following Items

Paper

- 1 piece of thick **Whisper White**, not Very Vanilla as I said in the video, 5 ½" x 8 ½" scored at 4 ¼" for card base
- 2 pieces of Green Garden cut to 4" x 5 ¼" for layering
- 1 piece of Whisper White 3 ¾" x 5" (this is for the inside sentiment to be stamped on)
- 1 piece of Sparkle Glimmer Paper 3 ¾" x 5" for the front of the card
- 1 piece of Whisper White 4" x 5 ¼" to stamp the branch and the cardinal on
- 1 small piece of Garden Green to cut the scalloped circle
- 1 small piece of Whisper White cardstock to stamp the front sentiment and cut out with the plain circle die

Stamp Set & Dies

- Rustic Retreat Stamp Set
- Toile Christmas Bundle
- Layering Circle Die Set

Ink

- Memento Tuxedo Black Ink Pad
- Garden Green Classic Stampin' Pad
- Real Red Classic Stampin' Pad

Markers

- Neutral Stampin Write Markers (Basic Black Marker)
- Regals Stampin Write Markers (Garden Green, Real Red, and I used Grapefruit Grove from another set, but you could use the Pumpkin Pie or Crushed Curry for the beak so you don't need to buy another set of markers.

Adhesive

- Tombow Liquid Multipurpose Glue
- Stampin Dimensionals

Embellishments

- Toile Tidings Glitter Enamel Dots

Tools

- Stamparatus or Acrylic Block E
- Bone Folder
- Scissors

Take Your Pick Tool

Brush for cleaning dies

Simply Shammy for cleaning stamps

Some kind of Paper Cutter-**Stampin' Up no longer sells a paper cutter**

Some kind of Die Cutting Machine-**Stampin Up' does not sell a die cutting machine at this time**

Directions for Card Assembly

Step 1. Cut all your cardstock according to measurements above.

Step 2. Using the sentiment from the Rustic Retreat Stamp Set, stamp the sentiment for the front of the card on a small piece of Whisper White Cardstock using the Garden Green Ink Pad. Also stamp the inside sentiment from the Toile Christmas Set on a piece of Whisper White measuring 3 ¾" x 5" using the Real Red Ink Pad. Stamp the branch with Garden Green Ink Pad. Stamp the cardinal with Memento Black Ink Pad. You should be able to get the branch and the cardinal stamped on the piece of Whisper White measuring 4" x 5 ¼".

Step 3. Color the cardinal, and the branch using the watercolor markers. Run through the die to cut out these images. Also using the Layering Circle Dies cut out the front sentiment with the plain die and cut out the scalloped die in Garden Green Cardstock. Now take the piece of Whisper White Cardstock with the inside sentiment and place the swirly die in the left lower corner and run through the die cutting machine.

Step 4. Glue the sheet of Sparkle Glimmer paper to one of the pieces of Garden Green measuring 4" x 5 ¼". Glue the inside sentiment piece to the other piece of Garden Green Cardstock. Take the piece with the inside sentiment and glue to the inside of the cardbase.

Step 5. Glue your colored branch to the lower left side of your Sparkle Glimmer Sheet followed by placing glue on the back of the cardinal and place the cardinal so that it sits on the branch. Do any touch up coloring around the feet if you need to.

Step 6. Glue the front sentiment to the scalloped garden green piece. Put Stampin' Dimensionals on the back of this circle combination and after removing protective coverings adhere to the front of the card.

Step 7. Put one Toile Enamel Glimmer Dot at the bottom of the circle just under the sentiment.

All finished and my what a lovely card!