

This is What You Will Need For The Sparkle of the Season Christmas Card

Paper

- 1 Piece of Basic White Cardstock cut to 5 ½” x 8 ½” scored at 4 ¼”
- 1 Piece of Basic White Cardstock cut to 3 ¾” x 5”
- 2 pieces of Evening Evergreen Cardstock cut to 4” x 5 ¼ ”
- 1 piece of Evening Evergreen Cardstock, (about half of a sheet to cut 2 wreaths from)
you will have cardstock left but ¼ sheet isn’t enough.
- 1 piece Real Red Cardstock just big enough to cut small berries and the two birds
- 1 piece of Basic White Cardstock cut 2” x 2” for the bird house
- 1 piece Evening Evergreen Cardstock 2” x 4” to stamp Merry Christmas on
- 1 piece of Soft Succulent cardstock about 3” x 3” for cutting 2 3/8” circle from, (3rd
largest smooth circle)
- 1 piece Christmas Tidings cut to 3 ¾” x 5”

Designer Series Paper

Christmas Tidings

Stamps & Dies

Sparkle of Season Bundle
Circle Layering Dies
Seasonal Label Dies
Beautiful Tree Dies
Garden Birdhouse Stamp Set

Ink

Tuxedo Black Memento Ink Pad
Evening Evergreen Classic Pad

Blends

Dark Smoky Slate Blend
Basic Black Blends
Real Red Blends

Adhesive

Multipurpose Glue

Tools

Embossing Buddy

Heat Tool

Scissors

Simple Shammy

Bone Folder

Paper Trimmer & Scissors

Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine

Instructions

1. Cut all the paper from the list above.
2. Stamp the birdhouse using the Tuxedo Black Momento Ink pad on the piece of Basic White cut to 2" x 2"
3. Go ahead and color the birdhouse with the blends. Cut the birdhouse out using scissors. Lay aside.
4. Stamp the Merry Christmas, (using the Veramark Ink pad), on the piece of Evening Evergreen Cardstock measuring 2" x 4". **Be sure to use the embossing buddy by rubbing across the cardstock to remove any static.** Sprinkle embossing powder on the Merry Christmas, then let the excess embossing powder slide off onto a piece of cardstock so you can return it to your jar. Tap the back of the cardstock and blow away what little maybe left. Using your heat tool melt the powder. As soon as one area melts, move to the next area quickly.
5. Stamp the inside sentiment using the piece of Basic White Cardstock cut to 3 3/4" x 5". Stamp using the Evening Evergreen ink pad..
6. Using the long die from the Seasonal Label Dies cut your label being careful to center the Merry Christmas.
7. Now cut your 2 wreaths using the proper die from the Sparkle of the Seasons set. Also cut from the piece of Soft Succulent cardstock about 3" x 3" the 2 3/8" circle, (3rd largest smooth circle)
8. Cut 2 birds from the Real Red Cardstock as well as the small berries. Use whatever you have like a small hole punch or a die go cut the small berries. You could even use a pair of scissors if you need to. The bird die is in The Beautiful Tree Die set.
9. Glue the piece Christmas Tidings cut to 3 3/4" x 5" to a piece of the Evening Evergreen Cardstock cut to 4" x 5 1/4 ". Next glue the Soft Succulent circle to the front of this panel. Next glue your birdhouse near the top of your circle and centered from side to side. Now glue one of your wreaths around the circle, then the second one slightly forward from the first one so they are not directly on top of each other. This will make your wreath look fuller.

10. Now glue birds on the wreath and the small berries. Be careful just to dab a little glue to attach berries.
11. Lastly glue the Merry Christmas just below the wreath.
12. Glue this finished panel to the front of your card.
13. Glue the inside sentiment to the last piece of Evening Evergreen Cardstock cut to 4" x 5 1/4"
14. Glue this panel to the right inside side of your card.

Stampin' UP does not sell these but they are very helpful in card making

Reverse tweezers with pointed tip

Tombow Mono sand and rubber eraser combo

Adhesive Remover (2"x2" block")