

Starry Basket Bouquet Card with Cheshire Background

A PROJECT FROM OUR LIVE SHOW - JOIN TONI FOR A WEDNESDAY LAUNCH IN THE HTCN STUDIO BROADCAST 26TH...



ABOUT THIS PROJECT

A handmade greeting card featuring a stamped basket of flowers with a starry background created using stencils and sparkly paste. The card combines white-on-white die-cutting with colourful accents and sequins for a cheerful, dimensional design.

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The project starts: 8:00 into the show

In this guide: 14 steps

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1**STEP 1 OF 14**

Cut the Cheshire cover plate die from white cardstock using your die-cutting machine, angling it slightly for interest.

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Place a piece of mirror card or coloured cardstock behind the white die-cut to make the design stand out.

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Secure the 7x7 star stencil onto white cardstock using tape to hold it in place.

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Apply the silver Izink Diamond 24 Carats paste through the stencil using a spatula, working sporadically across the design.

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Fill in the remaining star spaces with the orange Izink Diamond 24 Carats paste, creating a mixed colour effect.

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Allow the paste to dry for a couple of minutes, then carefully lift away the stencil to reveal the sparkly star background.

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Stamp the basket image from the new stamp set onto white cardstock using black memento ink.

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Fussy cut around the basket stamp carefully with scissors.

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Colour the basket using alcohol markers in brown tones, applying lighter shades first and darker shades along the woven lines for dimension.

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Stamp the sentiment 'You are amazing' onto white cardstock in black ink and fussy cut it out.

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Mount the starry background panel onto black cardstock, then attach to a white card blank.

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Adhere the coloured basket image to the card using 3D foam pads for dimension.

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Attach the sentiment strip to the card.

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Add purple sequins in clusters of three around the design for sparkle and embellishment.

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- Use memento ink with alcohol markers and versafine ink with watercolours to avoid bleeding.
- When using alcohol markers, let the ink evaporate between layers rather than going over the same area repeatedly, as the colour dries lighter than it appears wet.
- Follow the lines on the stamp when adding shading with alcohol markers to create natural dimension and light and shade effects.

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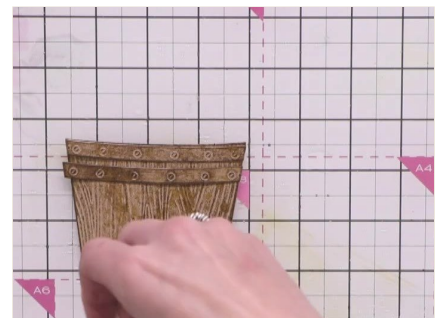
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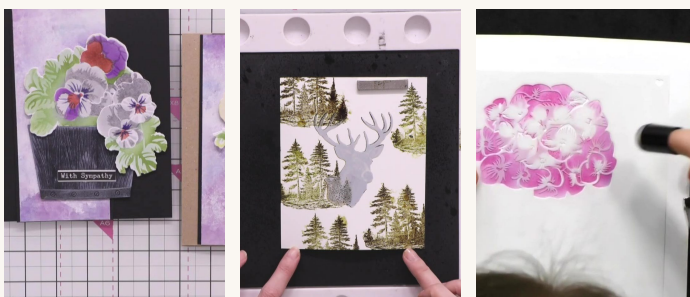
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