

Watercolour Hummingbirds Card with Lamination Stamps

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ABOUT THIS PROJECT

Create a charming two-bird card using the lamination technique with teal and purple watercolour effects. The detailed hummingbird stamps add fine line work and delicate details that appear hand-painted.

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In this guide: 11 steps

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STEP BY STEP

1**STEP 1 OF 11**

Spot teal and purple ink onto the colour stamp in random places using the corners of your ink pads.

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2**STEP 2 OF 11**

Spray the inked stamp with water three times to activate and blend the colours.

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3**STEP 3 OF 11**

Press the wet stamp onto white card stock and hold it in place to allow the colours to blend together.

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4**STEP 4 OF 11**

Lift the stamp away and let the card dry naturally or use a heat gun to speed up the process.

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5**STEP 5 OF 11**

Create a second watercolour background on another piece of card stock using teal and purple inks, positioning it to suggest two birds flying in.

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6**STEP 6 OF 11**

Clean the colour stamp thoroughly with your damp microfibre cloth.

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7**STEP 7 OF 11**

Ink up the detail stamp (the hummingbird outline) with black ink, ensuring full coverage.

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8**STEP 8 OF 11**

Line up the detail stamp by matching the bird's beak and tail with the droplet details on the packet example.

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Press the stamp down firmly onto the first watercolour background.

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Repeat the stamping process on the second watercolour background to create two hummingbirds.

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Select a sentiment stamp such as 'Together, it's a beautiful place to be' and stamp it at the bottom of the card.

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- The lamination system includes an example on the packet showing exactly where each detail should align, so refer to this if you are unsure.
- Hybrid inks dry faster than regular ink pads, so keep the pad well-sealed and consider getting reinkers for longevity.
- You can experiment with colour inks for the detail stamp instead of black for different effects.

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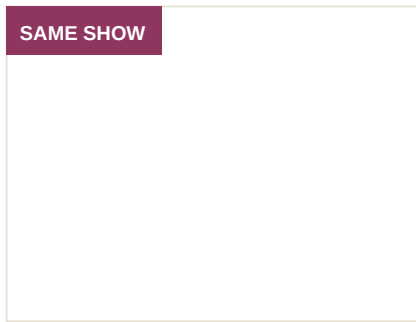
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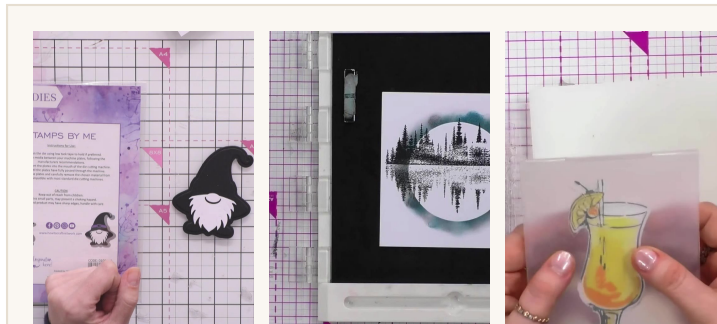
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