Spellbinders – Starry Forest Christmas Card

Technique: Hot Foil and Die cutting  
Level: Beginner/Intermediate

TIME: about 10 minutes or less

Glimmer Hot Foil Plate Sets:  
Spellbinders – Holiday Sentiments

INK:  
Distress Oxides:  
Cracked Pistachio and Pine Needles

ACCESSORIES:  
Spellbinders Glimmer Hot Foil Machine  
Spellbinders Platinum Die cutting and embossing machine  
Spellbinders copper Glimmer Foil  
Gouache and brush (white paint).  
Simon Says Stamp Sunken Treasure Sequins  
Tombow Multi-purpose Glue  
Foam Tape  
Life Changing Brushes  
Tim Holtz Guillotine Paper Cutter  
Scor Buddy Mini  
Silicone Bone Folder

CARD STOCK AND DESIGNER PAPER:  
Simon Says Stamp Mint 4-1/4 x 11, score and fold at 5-1/2 - card base  
Simon Says Stamp Peacock 3 x 4-1/2 – die cut tree  
Tim Holtz Metallic Kraft 2-1/2 x 3 – die cut deer  
Neenah Solar White 80# 1-1/2 x 2 – die cut bunnies

DIRECTIONS:  
1. Use the Life Changing brush to add the two inks to the card front where the tree will go.  
2. Mix the Gouache with water and use a paint brush to splatter the card front  
3. Heat up the Spellbinders Glimmer Foil Machine.  
4. Place the “Merry and Christmas” plates face up on the hot plate and warm it up.  
5. Cut a piece of copper foil the size of the sentiment and place it “good side down” on top of the sentiment followed by the card, face down to emboss the foil in the top left corner  
6. Cover with the top plate and push the heat button.
7. Once the plate is heated, undock and run it through the Spellbinders Platinum Die cutting machine (going back and forth a couple of times SLOWLY will help transfer the foil).
8. Gently remove the top plate and peel back the foil to reveal the foiled/embossed image.
9. Use the die cutting machine to cut the tree, the deer and the bunnies.
10. Using a scrap from the deer copper paper, place it under the star the bird is holding at the top of the tree, and run it through again to get the copper star.
11. Use Foam tape to attach all the pieces to the card front.
12. Use the white glue to attach the copper star to the bird at the top of the tree.
13. Add a few copper sequins around the card to balance out the copper in the image.

Happy Stamping

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S4-1008 Spellbinders STARRY FOREST... [ SSS | SPL ]
GLP-111 Spellbinders HOLIDAY... [ SSS | SPL ]
Tim Holtz Idea-ology 8 x 8 Paper... [ SSS ]
Simon Says Stamp Card Stock 100# MINT... [ SSS ]
Simon Says Stamp Card Stock 100#... [ SSS ]
Neenah Classic Crest 80 LB SMOOTH... [ SSS ]
Simon Says Stamp Sequins
GLS-001EUK Spellbinders
Spellbinders PLATINUM 6 Die
GLF-005 Spellbinders COPPER Glimmer Foil

Tim Holtz Tonic GUILLOTINE COMFORT...

Simon Says Stamp SMALL TEFtON BONE...

Crystal Ninja CRYSTAL KATANA Mixed...

Tombow MONO MULTI Liquid Glue Two...

Simon Says Stamp BIG MOMMA FOAM TAPE...

Winsor Newton ZINC WHITE 37ml GOUACHE...