

# Abundantly Beautiful Sunflowers

## Sneak Peek of the Abundant Beauty Decorative Masks

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*...the only limitation is your imagination*



I hope you enjoy taking a look at the fun and easy process of using the upcoming Decorative Masks. I created three sunflowers using four numbered masks, ink, and blending brushes.

I thought the easiest way to show you how the Masks work is to use lots of pictures. So, take a look and add these to your Wish List for the new September - December 2023 Mini Catalog. You'll be able to get the masks on September 6th when the catalog goes live to customers.

Let's do some masking!

### Set up your space:

- Use a piece of grid paper. If you don't have grid paper, a piece of copy paper would work.
- Cut your card top layer (this is the layer you'll use to ink the masked images). My card top layer is 4" x 5 1/4".
- Attach your cardstock top layer to the grid paper with low tack tape. I put a small piece of tape on each corner of the cardstock layer.

### Create the Sunflowers:

- Using Mask #1 - This is the mask that will create the flower.
- Center Mask #1 over the cardstock layer making sure the flowers are where you want them to be. See the image below.

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- Use low tack tape to secure the Mask over the cardstock layer.
- With your blending Brush and Moody Mauve ink, gently brush the ink over the mask in a circular motion until the flower images are covered.
- Remove the mask.



- Place Mask #2 (the leaves) over the sunflowers, making sure the leaves are where you want them to be. Secure the Mask with low tack tape.
- With Mossy Meadow ink and your blending brush, gently spread the ink over the leaves. I covered only the tops of the leaves with Mossy Meadow ink.
- See image below. **DO NOT REMOVE THE MASK.**



- With a paper towel or soft cloth, wipe the Mossy Meadow ink from the Mask.
- With Mask #2 still in place, cover the bottom of the leaves with Wild Wheat ink.
- See the image below.

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- Remove Mask #2.
- Attach Mask #3 to your cardstock layer. This is the center of the sunflowers. Be sure the center opening in the mask is in the center of your inked sunflower.
- With Wild Wheat ink and a blending brush, gently ink the center of the sunflowers in a circular motion. See the image below.



- Remove Mask #3.
- Attach Mask #4 to your cardstock layer. This is the flower "seeds" center.
- With Blackberry Bliss ink and your blending brush, gently add ink to the flower "seeds" center. See the image below.

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- Remove the mask.
- Your Sunflowers are complete.



I attached the Very Vanilla sunflower layer to a Wild Wheat mat layer, then attached both to a Blackberry Bliss card base.

### Clean your masks:

- Our inks are water based, so you can easily clean the masks with water. I did use a little dish detergent to clean mine.
- They clean quickly and easily.
- Dry them with a paper towel and you're ready to create another beautiful sunflower card.
- I know you'll want to do this because it's quick, easy, and fun.

Thanks for stopping by!

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- [Very Vanilla 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 101650](#)  
Price: \$10.50
- [Wild Wheat 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 161725](#)  
Price: \$10.00
- [Blackberry Bliss 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 133675](#)  
Price: \$10.00
- [Blackberry Bliss Classic Stampin' Pad - 147092](#)  
Price: \$9.00
- [Moody Mauve Classic Stampin' Pad - 161649](#)  
Price: \$9.00
- [Mossy Meadow Classic Stampin' Pad - 147111](#)  
Price: \$9.00
- [Wild Wheat Classic Stampin' Pad - 161651](#)  
Price: \$9.00
- [Small Blending Brushes - 160518](#)  
Price: \$12.00
- [2023–2025 In Color Jute Trim - 161637](#)  
Price: \$8.00
- [Stampin' Dimensionals - 104430](#)  
Price: \$4.25
- [Multipurpose Liquid Glue - 110755](#)  
Price: \$5.50