

# Butterfly Brilliance Card Tutorial

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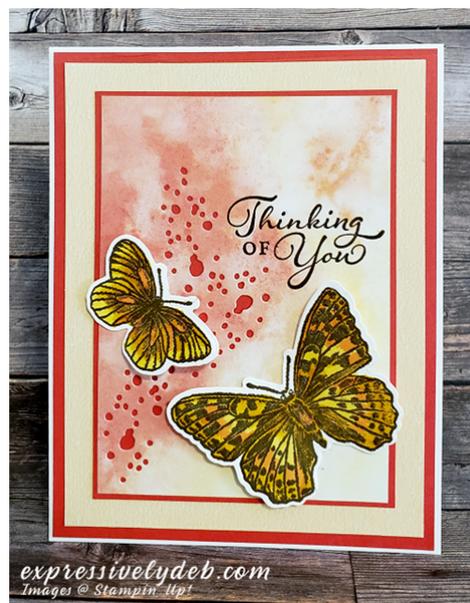
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## Supplies Used:

- **Cardstock** - Basic White, Poppy Parade. **DSP** - Butterfly Bijou, Natural Touch Specialty Paper.
- **Ink** - Soft Suede
- **Alcohol Markers** - Light and Dark yellows and oranges. I used So Saffron, Daffodil Delight and Pumpkin Pie.
- **Stamps and Dies**: Butterfly Brilliance Bundle, Happy Thoughts Stamp Set (sentiment)
- **Adhesives**: Multipurpose Glue, Stampin' Seal

## Prepare your layers from the card base to the top of the card:

- Cut a Basic White A-2 card base 11" x 4 1/4", scored at 5 1/2".
- Cut a Poppy Parade layer at 4 1/8" x 5 3/8".
- Cut the Natural Touch layer (this is the one on the top of the first Poppy Parade layer) at 3 7/8" x 5 1/8".
- Cut the second Poppy Parade layer at 3 1/4" x 4 1/2".
- Cut the top Butterfly Bijou So Saffron and Poppy Parade watercolor pattern paper at 4 3/8" x 3 1/8".

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## Stamp the Butterflies:

- Stamp the butterflies using the stamp from Butterfly Brilliance with Soft Suede ink.
- With the matching die from the Brilliant Wings dies and your cutting machine, cut the dies.
- Color the butterflies with Stampin' Blends of your choice. I used Light and Dark So Saffron, Daffodil Delight and Pumpkin Pie.

**Assemble your card:** Start at the base of your card and work toward the top layer.

- Attach the large Poppy Parade layer to your Basic White card base.
- Attach the Natural Touch layer to the Poppy Parade layer.

## Die Cut the Splatter:

- Before you attach the top two layers, die cut the splatter on the top watercolor DSP layer.
- Place the splatter die from the Brilliant Wings dies on the DSP as shown below.



- I followed the pattern in the DSP, but you can place them wherever you feel comfortable.
- Just remember to leave room for your butterflies and sentiment.

## Attach the top two layers:

- Attach the top DSP layer to the Poppy Parade layer leaving room for your sentiment and butterflies.

## Stamp the sentiment:

- I chose the "Thinking of You" sentiment from the Happy Thoughts stamp set.
- I stamped the sentiment just above the center of the DSP layer on the right side of the layer.
- It's much easier to use the Stamparatus.

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## Attach the butterflies:

- Attach the butterflies with Multi purpose glue adding the glue only to the spine of the butterfly.

Enjoy your creation. I'm sure it's beautiful.

As always, if you have any questions concerning this tutorial, please email me at [expressivelydeb@gmail.com](mailto:expressivelydeb@gmail.com)

**Note:** You can use the layer dimensions from this card for any card design.

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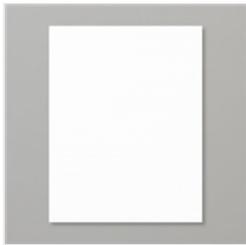
[Butterfly Brilliance Collection - 159408](#)

Price: \$71.25



[Happy Thoughts Cling Stamp Set - 154507](#)

Price: \$21.00



[Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 159276](#)

Price: \$9.75



[Poppy Parade 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 119793](#)

Price: \$8.75



[Soft Suede Classic Stampin' Pad - 147115](#)

Price: \$7.50



[Pumpkin Pie Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 154897](#)

Price: \$9.00

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[So Saffron Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 154905](#)

Price: \$9.00



[Daffodil Delight Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 154883](#)

Price: \$9.00



[Multipurpose Liquid Glue - 110755](#)

Price: \$4.00

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