

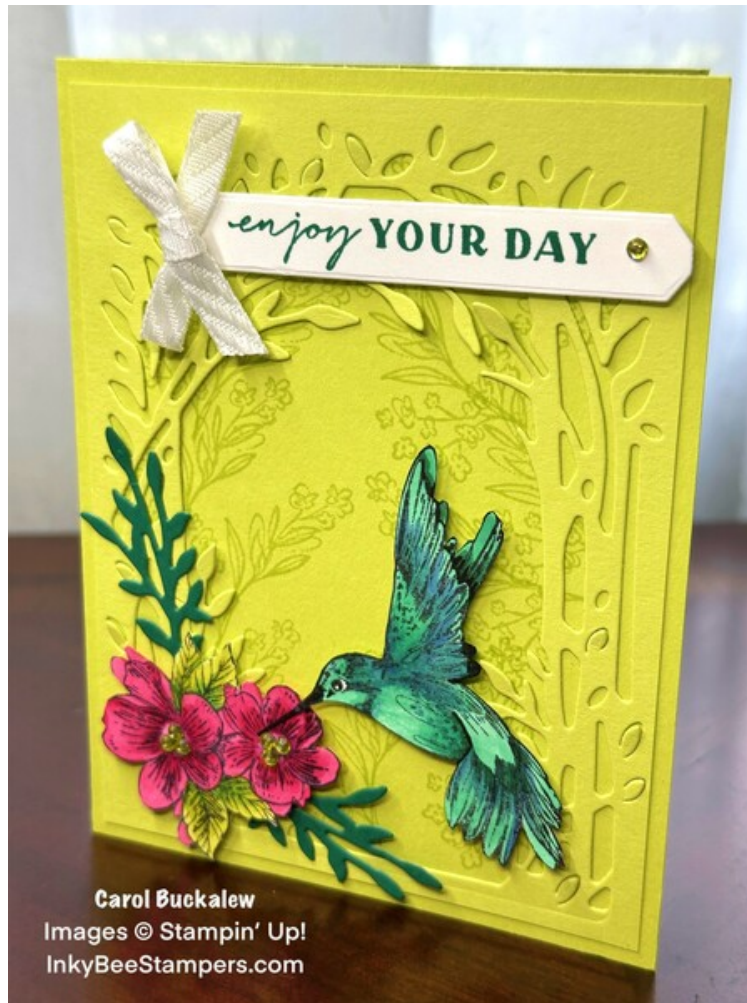
Thoughtful Expressions All Occasion Card

Project Sheet - Jul 11 2024

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I used the **Thoughtful Expressions Stamp Set** and the **Delicate Forest Dies** and a little bit of coloring and fussy cutting to create today's card. Let's take a look!

Supplies:

- Thoughtful Expressions Stamp Set
- Delicate Forest Dies
- Petal Pink & White Diagonal Trim
- Rhinestone Basic Jewels
- Cardstock: Lemon Lime Twist, Shaded Spruce, Basic White
- Ink: Tuxedo Black Memento Ink, Shaded Spruce, Lemon Lime Twist
- Stampin' Blends: Lemon Lime Twist, Shy Shamrock, Shaded Spruce, Blueberry Bushel, Melon Mambo, Color Lifter
- Fine Line Black Marker

1. Card Cuts:

- Card Base - Cut 1 Lemon Lime Twist cardstock to 8-1/2" x 5-1/2", score at 4-1/4"

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- Die Cut Panel - Cut 1 Lemon Lime Twist cardstock to 5-1/4" x 4"
 - Hummingbird & Flowers - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5" x 3-1/4"
 - Die Cut Stems - Scraps of Shaded Spruce cardstock
 - Sentiment Label - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to approximately 3-1/2" x 3/4"
 - Inside Panel - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5-1/4" x 4"
2. Fold and burnish the Lemon Lime Twist card base. On the card front, repeatedly stamp the small floral image from the Thoughtful Expressions Stamp Set in Lemon Lime Twist ink. I stamped the floral image so that the flowers would all point to the center of the card.
 3. From the Lemon Lime Twist panel measuring 5-1/4" x 4", center the large leaf frame from the Delicate Forest Dies onto the panel then die cut. Adhere the panel to the card front using liquid adhesive.
 4. Die cut two of the leaf stems from the Delicate Forest Dies from Shaded Spruce cardstock. Set aside for now.
 5. On a scrap piece of white cardstock, stamp the image of the hummingbird and flower grouping in Tuxedo Black Memento ink. Use Stampin' Blends to color the images then use a small pair of scissors or paper snips to fussy cut around the images up to the outer-most black stamped line.
 - First, color the entire hummingbird using the light shade of a Shy Shamrock Stampin' Blend. Be sure to preserve the white highlight in the bird's eye and just behind the eye. Add Shaded Spruce in the shadow areas of the bird, then brush the light shade of a Blueberry Bushel Stampin' Blend across the back of the bird's head, throat and through the wing and tail feathers. Blend the marker colors using a Stampin' Blend Color Lifter on the top of the bird's head and his chest. Use a fine tipped black marker to better define the wings and the shadows on the bird's body.
 - Color the flowers using the light shade of a Melon Mambo Stampin' Blend. Shade the center of the flowers using the dark shade of Melon Mambo then blend with the light shade. Color the leaves using a Lemon Lime Twist Stampin' Blend then add Shy Shamrock in the shadow areas of the leaves and blend with the light shade of the Lemon Lime Twist Stampin' Blend.

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6. Stamp the "enjoy Your Day" sentiment onto a scrap piece of white cardstock using Shaded Spruce ink. Use the long slender die from the Delicate Forest Dies to cut out the sentiment. Adhere the sentiment to the upper right of the card front using Stampin' Dimensionals.
7. Adhere the die cut Shaded Spruce stems to the lower left corner of the card front and attach to the die cut frame. I have one pointing to the right and one pointing towards the top of the card.
8. Adhere the fussy cut flowers to the lower left corner of the card front using Stampin' Dimensionals. Adhere the hummingbird to the card front using a combination of Stampin' Dimensionals and liquid glue (on the tip of the beak only). The hummingbird should be hovering over the flower blooms.
9. On the inside panel, stamp the small floral image (the same used on the card front) in Lemon Lime Twist ink two times in the upper right and lower left corners. Clean the stamp, then stamp the same image once in each corner using Shaded Spruce ink. Adhere the panel to the inside of the card.

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10. On the envelope front, stamp the small floral image multiple times in Lemon Lime Twist and Shaded Spruce ink. Stamp the same image again once onto the envelope flap.
11. Use the dark shade of a Lemon Lime Twist Stampin' Blend to color seven (7) small Rhinestones. Adhere three of the Rhinestones to each of the two flowers on the card front and adhere one of the Rhinestones onto the sentiment label.
12. Tie a small bow from White Diagonal Trim and adhere the bow to the left side of the sentiment label using Mini Glue Dots.

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This completes the card! The Thoughtful Expressions Stamp Set is one of my favorites just because it has this beautiful image of the hummingbird!

Products used to create this card are included on the next page.

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Thoughtful Expressions Cling Stamp Set (English) - 162815

Price: \$25.00

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Delicate Forest Dies - 162679

Price: \$38.00

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Petal Pink & White 1/4" (6.4 Mm) Diagonal Trim Combo Pack - 163417

Price: \$10.00

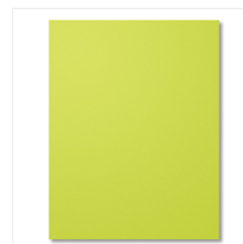
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Rhinstone Basic Jewels - 144220

Price: \$6.00

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Lemon Lime Twist 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 144245

Price: \$11.50

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Shaded Spruce 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 146981

Price: \$11.50

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Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 159276

Price: \$13.00

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Tuxedo Black Memento Ink Pad - 132708

Price: \$8.00

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Shaded Spruce Classic Stampin' Pad - 147088

Price: \$9.00

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Lemon Lime Twist Classic Stampin' Pad - 147145

Price: \$9.00

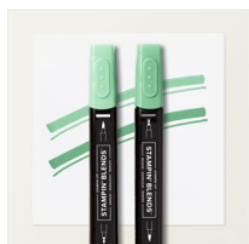
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Lemon Lime Twist Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 161682

Price: \$11.00

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Shy Shamrock Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 163825

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Shaded Spruce Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 154903

Price: \$11.00

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Blueberry Bushel Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 161679

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Melon Mambo Stampin' Blends Combo Pack - 153112

Price: \$11.00

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