

O Holy Night Luminaire Box Fold Christmas Card

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I have another box fold card for you this week using the *O Holy Night Suite*...except this box fold is a luminaire card! I had promised on my Facebook Live last week to share an alternate version of this card that can accommodate a tea light inside of the box so that your card can be displayed. The tea light really makes the manger scene glow!

The specific instructions to create this Luminaire Box Fold card are included below. Let's get started!

Supplies:

- Night Divine Bundle (Item #161997)
- Stars at Night Bundle (Item #162007)
- O Holy Night 12" x 12" Designer Series Paper (Item #161986)
- Deckled Rectangle Dies
- Adhesive-Backed Star Trinkets (Item #162010)
- Vellum
- Gold Foil

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- Cardstock: Misty Moonlight, Copper Clay, Basic White
- Ink: Misty Moonlight
- Adhesives: Multipurpose Liquid Glue, Mini Glue Dots
- Paper Trimmer
- Simply Scored Scoring Tool
- Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine

Non-Stampin' Up! Supplies:

- 1 round Tea Light measuring no more than 1-3/8" in diameter.



1. Card Cuts:

- Card Base - Cut 1 Misty Moonlight cardstock to 5-1/2" x 4-1/4". There are no score lines on this base.
Right & Left DSP Panels - Cut 2 of the desert scene print from the O Holy Night Designer Series Paper to 4-1/8" x 1-1/2"
- Box Portion of Card - Cut 1 Misty Moonlight cardstock to 5-3/4" x 4-1/4". On the long edge, score at 3/8", 1-3/4", 4", and 5-3/8"

DSP Panels:

- Cut 2 Side Panels of the starry sky print from the O Holy Night Designer Series Paper to 4-1/8" x 1-1/8"
- Cut 1 Center Panel of the starry sky print from the O Holy Night Designer Series Paper to 4-1/8" x 2-1/8"
- Vellum Panel - Cut 1 to 2-1/8" x 3-3/8"
- Inside Panel - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5-3/8" x 4-1/8"
- Envelope Flap - Cut 1 coordinating piece of designer series paper to 6" x 2-1/4"

2. Start by scoring the Box Portion of the Card. On the long edge (5-3/4") use the Simply Scored Scoring Tool to score at the measurements indicated above under Step #1. All score lines are mountain folds. The box portion of this card was specifically designed so that a tea light could be slipped inside of the box in order to light up the manger scene. Specific instructions are included below on how to adjust the width of the center panel for this box fold card (should you need to slightly adjust the width for a future project).

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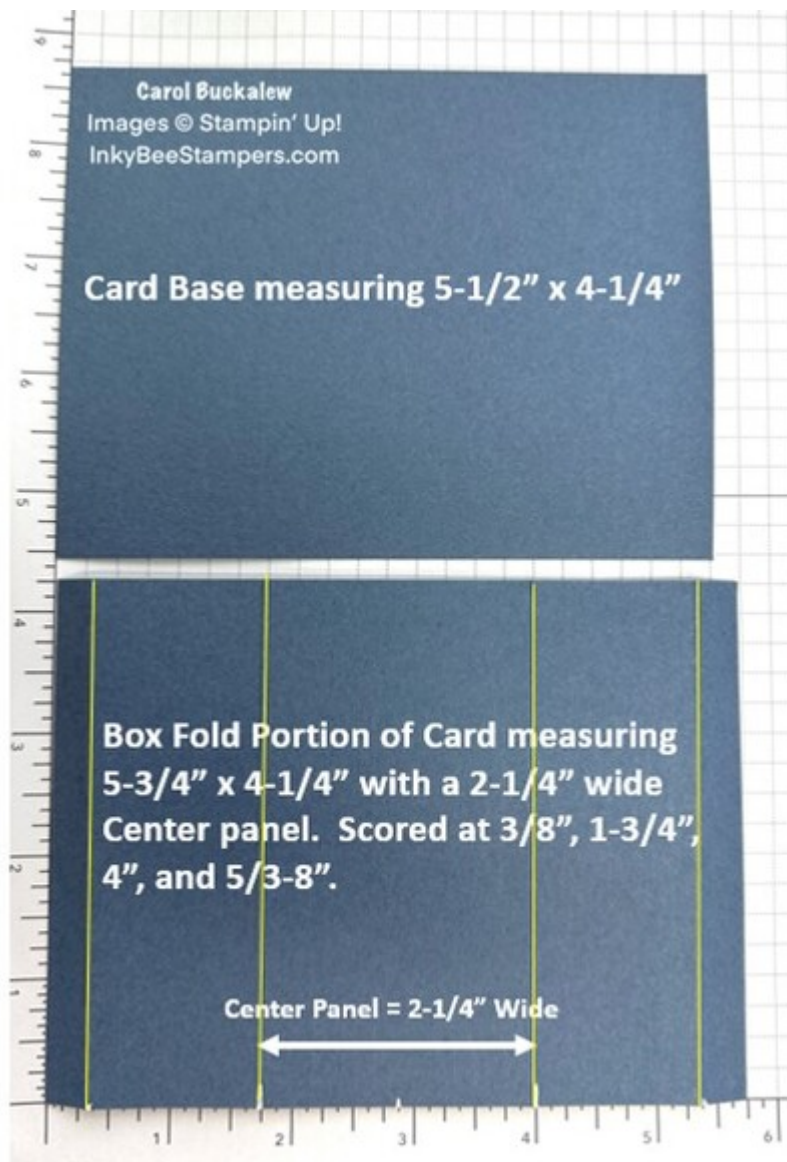
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Here are the measurements with score lines. Note that the base does not have any score lines.



Here is how to adjust the width of the center panel on the box portion of the card:

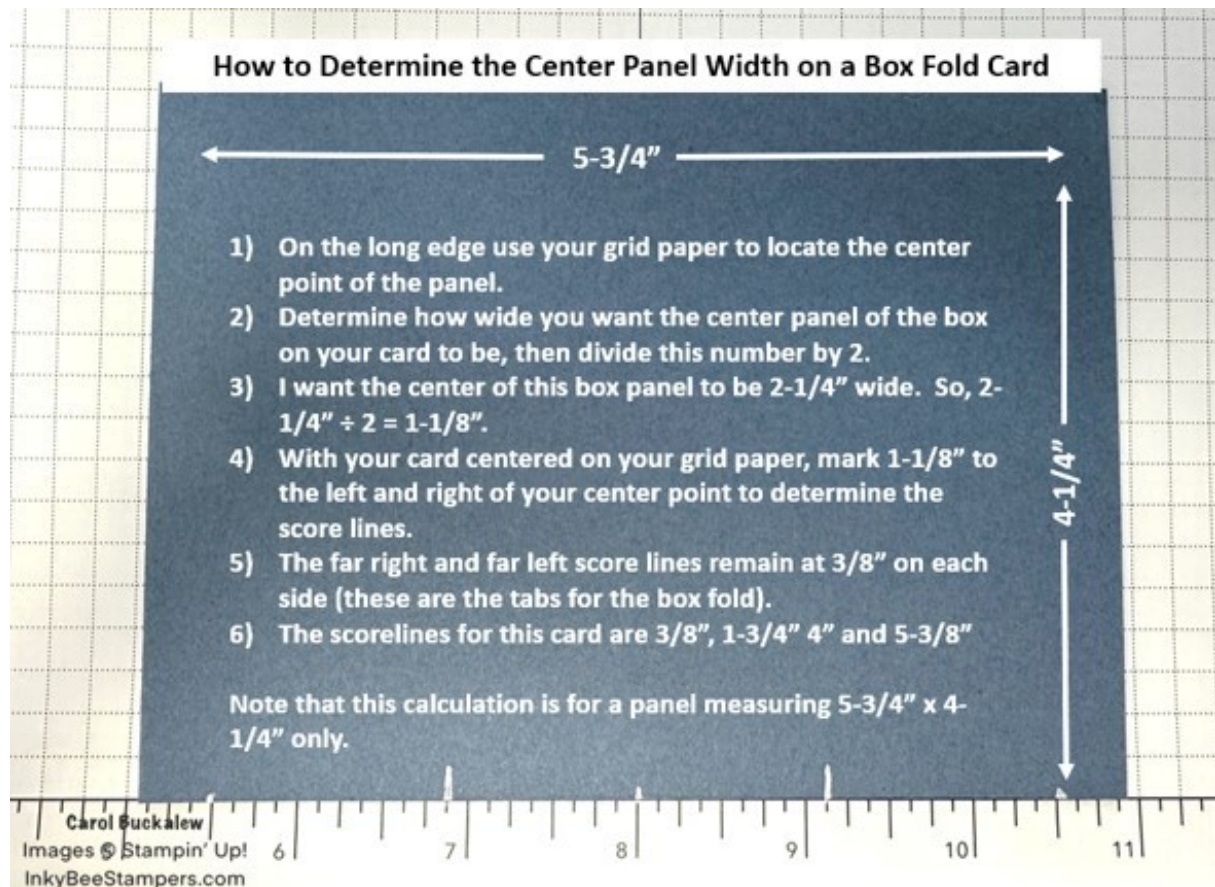
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3. Before adhering the box portion of the card to the card base, you will need to adhere the center DSP panel to the box portion of the card. This panel of DSP measures 4-1/8" x 2-1/8". Once the panel is adhered to the center panel of the box portion of the card, use the 3rd to smallest Deckled Rectangle Die to cut out the center of the panel. Center the die on the center panel of the box portion of the card and hold in place with Post It Tape or Sticky Notes. Run this through your Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine. Next, adhere the piece of vellum onto the back side of the center panel box portion of the card to cover the opening you just die cut.
4. Adhere the two side DSP panels to the box portion of the card. These are in the starry sky pattern.
5. Adhere the box portion of the card to the card base.
 - To do this, apply Tear & Tape to the far left and far right sections of the box portion of the card - these are the 3/8" wide sections. Place the tape on the top, or right side of the box portion of the card. Remove the Tear & Tape covers.
 - On the card base, make a small mark along the bottom edge at 1/4". You will use this 1/4" mark to line up the box portion of the card.
 - Fold the box portion of the card at the 1-3/4" score line. Line up this left folded edge with the 1/4" mark on the card base and adhere the left edge of the box portion of the card to the card base.

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- Next, fold the box portion of the card under at the 4" score line, then fold the box portion of the card to the right and flat, then adhere the right edge of the box portion of the card to the card base.



6. Now that the card is assembled, adhere the desert print DSP panels to the right and left panels of the card base.
7. Die cut the following using the Night Divine and Stars at Night Dies:
 - From Basic White cardstock, die cut 1 each of the clouds (there are two different sizes)
 - From Basic White cardstock, die cut 1 lamb
 - From Copper Clay cardstock, die cut 1 donkey
 - From Copper Clay cardstock, die cut 1 manger
 - From Gold Foil, die cut 1 holy family
 - From Gold Foil, die cut 2 stars - the smallest star and the 2nd to smallest star
8. You will need to cut apart the manger in order to get it to fit onto the center panel of the card. Trim straight across the bottom horizontal support of the manger to separate the

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vertical posts and cross supports from the roof of the manger. Trim the cross supports away from the vertical posts. Trim each post to 3-3/8" long. Turn the posts so that the wider end is towards the top. Adhere a post to the right and left edges of the center panel (on either side of the vellum window). Trim the right and left sides of the manger roof so that it measures approximately 2-1/2" wide. Adhere the roof to the top of the posts.

9. Cut apart the holy family die cut so that Jesus, Joseph and Mary are one unit. Adhere Jesus, Joseph and Mary to the center panel of the card on the vellum. Adhere the donkey on the center panel in front of Joseph. Adhere the Wiseman on the left panel. Adhere the Shepard on the right panel. Adhere the white lamb in front of the Shepard. Adhere one cloud to the right panel and one cloud to the left panel. Adhere the small gold foil star to the larger gold foil star with a small drop of glue. Adhere the assembled star unit to the top center of the manger roof.
10. Adhere a large Adhesive-Backed Star Trinket to the center of the gold foil star on top of the manger. Adhere one smaller Star Trinket to the left and right panels.
11. On the inside panel, use the multi-star stamp from the Stars at Night Stamp Set and stamp stars in Balmy Blue ink down the left edge of the panel. Stamp the sentiment "He shall be called wonderful counselor..." in Misty Moonlight ink on the left side of the panel and partially over the stamped stars. This sentiment is large and will take up half of the panel. Adhere the inside panel to the Copper Clay mat, then adhere the panel to the back of the box fold card.

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12. Stamp the multi-star image in Misty Moonlight ink onto the lower corner of the envelope front. Adhere a piece of coordinating designer series paper to the envelope flap and trim the excess paper away from the flap.

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This completes the card! This is a fantastic card to send to family and friends that they will be able to display! Thanks for letting me share this special box fold luminaire with you...I hope you enjoyed!

Products used to create this card are included on the next page. Item numbers for products that will be available on September 6 are included in the supply list above.

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Gold Foil Sheets -
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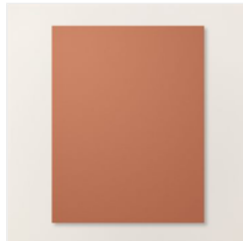
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Vellum 8-1/2" X
11" Cardstock -
101856

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Copper Clay 8-1/2"
X 11" Cardstock -
161721

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

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Basic White
Medium Envelopes
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Misty Moonlight
Classic Stampin'
Pad - 153118

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Balmy Blue Classic
Stampin' Pad -
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Paper Snips
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