

Whimsical Greeting Card plus optional ornament

SUPPLIES

STAMPS

- Ringed with Nature Bundle

CARD STOCK

- Melon Mambo
- Shimmery White

INK

- Melon Mambo
- Granny Apple Green
- Brights Stampin' Write Marker (Granny Apple Green)

TOOLS

- Cut & Emboss Machine
- Three Rings Hybrid Embossing Folder & Dies

EMBELLISHMENTS

- White Frayed Ribbon
- Iridescent Pearls

Measurements- Metric:

- Melon Mambo card base 14.8 x 21.0 cm; scored/folded at 10.5 cm
- Shimmery White CS: two 14.4 x 10.0cm and a scrap piece

Measurements- Imperial:

- Melon Mambo card base 11" x 4 1/4", score and fold at 5 1/2"
- Shimmery White CS: two 4" x 5 1/4" and a scrap piece

1. For the front of the card, Stamp the poinsettia stamp in Melon Mambo Ink, randomly on front of card. Stamp one extra flower on a scrap of the Shimmery White cardstock. Fussy cut the poinsettia. Leave space for the "Merry" stamp.
2. Stamp the "Merry" in the empty space by coloring with the Granny Apple Green Stampin' Write Marker.
3. Stamp the "Merry Christmas" greeting in Granny Apple Green, inking with the marker or the Granny Apple Green Stamp Pad, onto a piece of the Shimmery White cardstock. Fussy cut the greeting as shown on the sample.
4. Cut a length of the White Frayed Ribbon, approximately 6" long (15.24cm) and add Stampin' Seal to back of card. Wrap ends of ribbon behind the card, held by the adhesive. Make sure the ribbon is low enough to center your paper embellishment on the card and ribbon.
5. Adhere the front of the card to the Card Base. Adhere the inside of the Shimmery White to inside of card. Stamp Poinsettia.
6. Run the Shimmery White Cardstock through the Tree Rings Die with the 3-d Embossing Folder. This cuts and embosses your images. Choose a log ring for the base of your embellishment.
7. Run through the Cut & Emboss Machine, 3 of the skinny leave stalks, and 2 of the berries & leaves dies.
8. Apply Stampin' Seal adhesive heavily onto the back of the poinsettia flower. Arrange the leaves, stalks and berries as desired, poking out behind the poinsettia, creating an arrangement.
9. Adhere Stampin' Dimensionals to the back of the poinsettia and leaves and adhere to the desired size embossed log.
10. Cut two Stampin' Dimensionals in half and adhere the greeting to the center of the poinsettia.

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11. Adhere the whole paper embellishment to the front of the card, centered on the ribbon with one dimensional above the ribbon and one below.

12. Add large Iridescent Pearls to the center of the flowers on the card. Then add small Iridescent Pearls to the Berries.

Enjoy!

Bonus: You may also attach the Paper Embellishment to wooden circle for a tree ornament! See photo for example.

