

Quiet Meadow Card

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Supplies:

- Stamps: Quiet Meadow (#155082), Timeless Tropical (#151497)
- Ink: Pale Papaya (#155670), Polished Pink (#155712), Evening Evergreen (#155576), Crumb Cake (#147116)
- Paper: Soft Succulent (#155776), Evening Evergreen (#155574), Basic White (#159276), Pearlescent Specialty Paper (#154291)
- Tools & Accessories: Meadow Dies (#155852), Stitched With Whimsy (#155314), Brick & Mortar 3D Embossing Folder (#149643), Blending Brushes (#153611), Genial Gems (#155500), Evening Evergreen 3/8" Open Weave Ribbon (#155583)
- Other: Multipurpose Liquid Glue (#110755), Stampin' Dimensionals (#104430), Glue Dots (#103683), Paper Trimmer (#152392)

Measurements:

- Card Base: Soft Succulent – 8-1/2" x 5-1/2" scored at 4-1/4"
- Cardstock #2: Evening Evergreen – 5-1/4" x 4"
- Cardstock #3: Evening Evergreen – 4" x 2-1/2" (Cut 3)
- Cardstock #4: Basic White – 5-1/8" x 3-7/8"
- Cardstock #5: Basic White – 3-7/8" x 2-3/8" (Cut 3)
- Cardstock #6: Basic White – 2-7/8" x 1-1/2"
- Cardstock #7: Pearlescent Specialty Paper – approx. 12" x 3" to cut flowers

- Ribbon – 14”

Instructions:

- Fold the card base. Using a trimmer, carefully cut out the top half of the card base front – 4-1/4” x 2-3/4”. Save this piece.
- Take the 3 Basic White pieces (one large and two small pieces) and run them through the Die Cut & Embossing Machine with the Brick and Mortar 3D Embossing Folder. CAUTION: One small piece will be in the embossing folder short-side up, the other will be long-side up.
- Die cut 3 flowers from the Pearlescent Paper and one leafy stem. Using the Blending Brushes and Evening Evergreen ink, brush the stems of all pieces, including the leafy piece. Then brush one flower with Polished Pink and the two alike flowers with Pale Payapa.
- Using the Blending Brushes (love these!), LIGHTLY brush all 3 Basic White brick pieces with Crumb Cake.
- Tape/glue the largest Evening Evergreen to the inside back of the card base. Glue the largest Basic White to the Evening Evergreen.
- Assemble the Focal Panel using the piece of Soft Succulent piece cut from the card front, tape/glue the Evening Evergreen piece to it and then glue the brick pattern piece to it – making sure the bricks are running horizontal. Glue the three flowers in a pleasing manner to the front of this layer set. Cut off any stem that is extending beyond the white layer.
- Randomly place 3 of the Genial gems on the front around the flowers.
- On the bottom front flap, tape/glue the Evening Evergreen piece. Then lay the piece of ribbon down (centering between the top and bottom) and glue the brick pattern piece on top of it.
- Put some tape or glue on the **bottom half** of the Focal Panel and put in place. Wrap the ribbon and tie a knot over the flower stems.
- Take the smallest piece of Basic White and run it though the Die Cut machine with the smallest rectangular shape. Stamp the greeting with Evening Evergreen ink. **Lightly** brush this piece with the Crumb Cake ink and a Blending Brush (did I tell you I love these?).
- Take the Leafy die cut piece and tape it to the back of the greeting layer making sure the leaves don’t stick out beyond the front when the card is closed. If you need to, trim off the stem at the bottom.
- Using dimensionals, place the greeting layer/leafy stem on the inside back.
- You have a remaining piece of Evening Evergreen and Basic White. Tape/glue these together and tape/glue them on the inside of the front half panel for your words/signature.

