

The Important Thing

Materials Needed

D1772 My Acrylix® Documented—Scrapbooking Stamp Set
 E1032 My Acrylix® Typography Alphabet Stamp Set
 BULK408 Chelsea Gardens Bulk Paper Packet
 BULK406 Gimme Some Sugar Bulk Paper Packet
 1385 White Daisy cardstock (2 sheets)
 X5941 Bashful cardstock (2 sheets)
 X5979 Juniper cardstock (1 sheet)
 X5946 Linen cardstock (2 sheets)
 X5947 Mink cardstock (1 sheet)
 X5958 Peacock cardstock (1 sheet)
 Z2831 Charcoal Exclusive Inks™ Stamp Pad
 Z2865 Juniper Exclusive Inks™ Stamp Pad
 Z2896 Smoothie Exclusive Inks™ Stamp Pad
 Z4149 Picture My Life™ Cards—Be-YOU-tiful
 Z3283 Picture My Life™ Overlays—White Frames
 X7230C Chelsea Gardens Complements
 Z3089 Grey Gems
 Z1979 Marvy® Uchida® LePen™ Journaling Pen
 Z9996 Everyday Life™ Album—Bashful
 Z3231 Flip Flaps™ Memory Protectors™ 4" × 6"

Z3230 Flip Flaps™ Memory Protectors™ 3" × 4"
 Z3234 Flip Flaps™ Memory Protectors™ 3" × 3"
 Z3252 Everyday Life™ Memory Protectors™ 6" × 8"
 Z3192 Everyday Life™ Memory Protectors™ 4" × 6"
 Z3191 Everyday Life™ Memory Protectors™ 3" × 4"
 Z1151 3-D Foam Tape
 Z2060 thin 3-D foam tape
 Z1836 Non-stick Micro-tip Scissors
 Y1000 1" × 1" My Acrylix® Block
 Y1002 1" × 3½" My Acrylix® Block
 Y1003 2" × 2" My Acrylix® Block
 Y1005 1" × 6½" My Acrylix® Block
 Y1009 2" × 3½" My Acrylix® Block
 Adhesive of choice
 Paper trimmer
 Pencil
 Eraser
 Ruler

Gather photos (22 total)

(P) = portrait (L) = landscape

	2 × 2	3 × 3	3 × 4 (P)	3 × 4 (L)	4 × 6 (L)
Today Layout	-	-	2	1	-
Me Layout	-	2	2	-	-
Home Layout	-	-	1	-	1
Hobby Layout	-	1	-	1	-
Place Layout	4	-	-	-	1
Someone I Admire Layout	-	-	1	-	-
Tradition Layout	-	-	1	-	1
Lesson Learned Layout	-	-	-	1	3
Back Cover	-	1	-	-	-

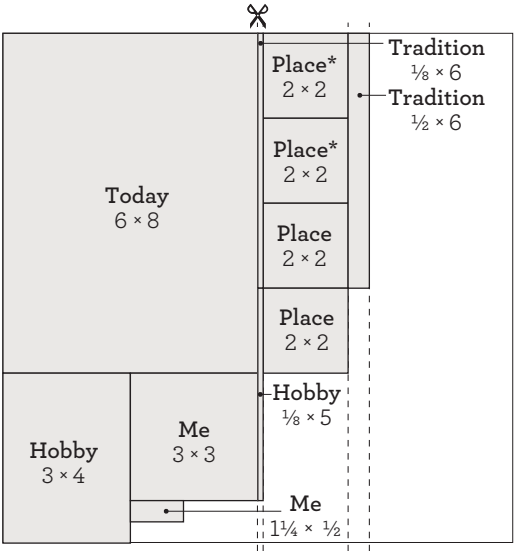
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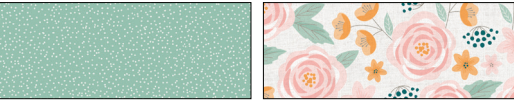
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Lesson: 3 × ½

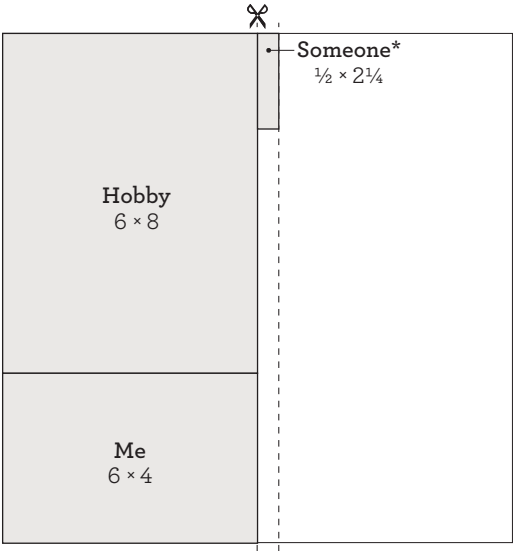


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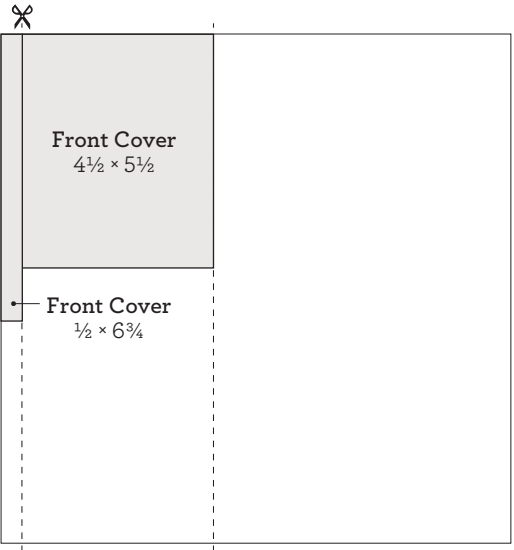


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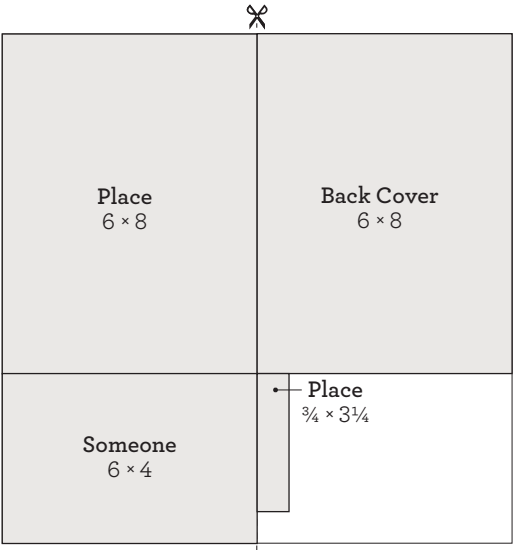


Linen cardstock



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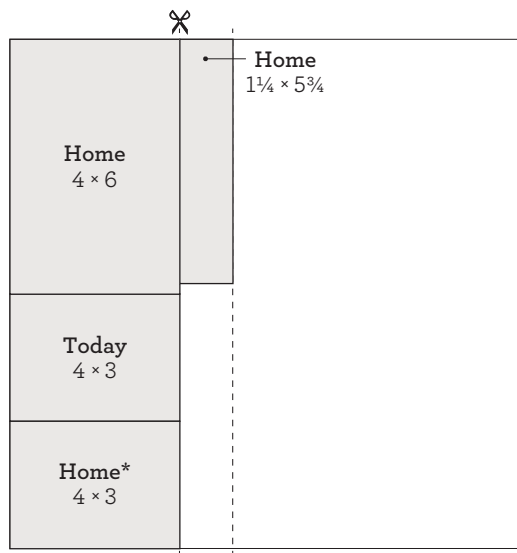


Linen cardstock



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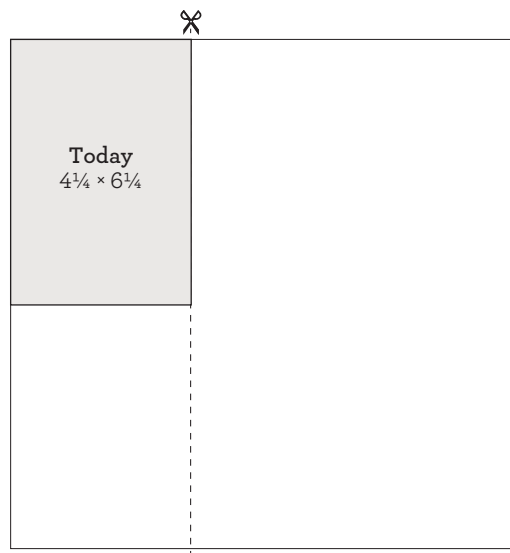


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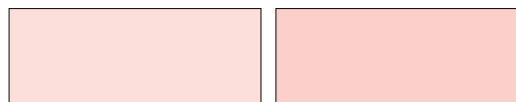


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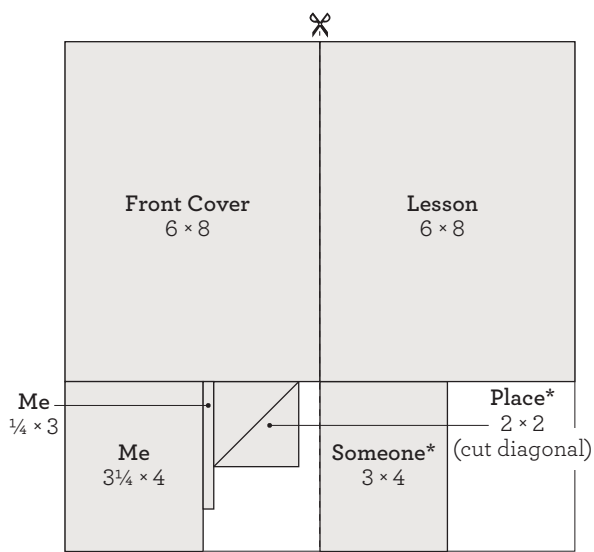


Bashful cardstock

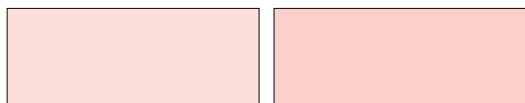


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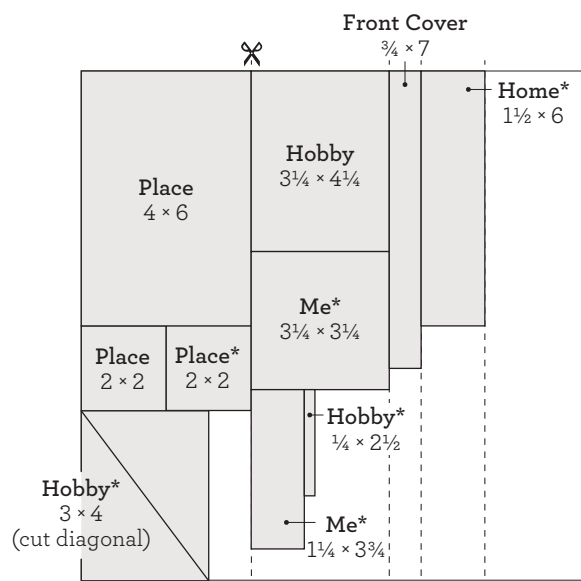


Bashful cardstock



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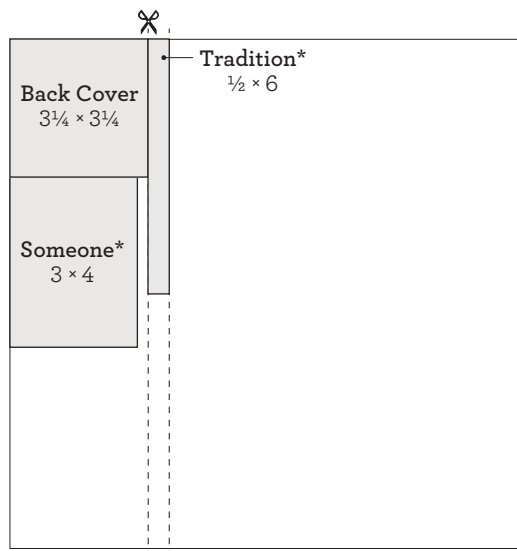


Peacock cardstock



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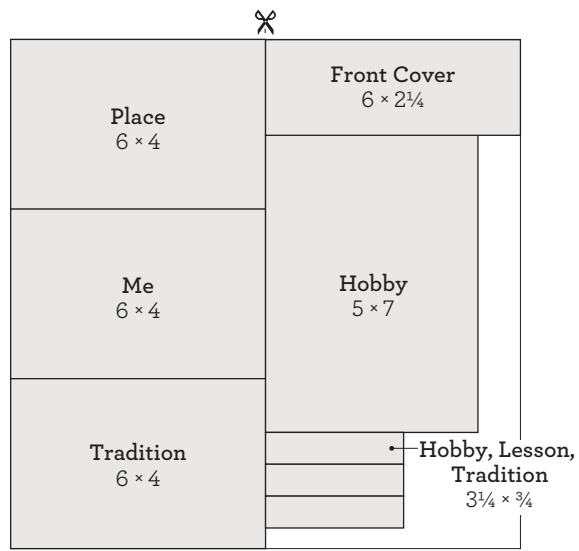
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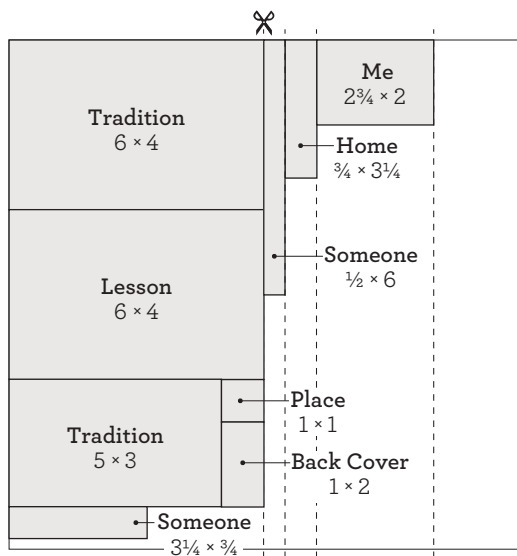
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White Daisy cardstock



White Daisy cardstock



The Important Things Front Cover Page

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - ½" x 6¾" Linen cardstock
- 1 - 5½" x 4½" Linen cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 2¼" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - ¾" x 7" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - ½" x 6½" Smoothie zip strip

Assembly

1. Prepare 5½" x 4½" Linen cardstock for stamping. Use ruler and pencil to lightly draw one vertical guideline at 2¾". Lightly draw three horizontal guidelines 1¾", 2¾" and 3¾" from top.
2. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "Important" with Typography alphabet along middle horizontal guideline. Start by stamping letter 'o' to left of middle guideline, and letter "r" to right of middle guideline.
Tip: Stamp each letter individually to ensure words will fit across cardstock.
3. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "The" along top horizontal guideline. To center word, start by stamping letter 'h' centered on vertical guideline.
4. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "Things" along bottom horizontal guideline. Start by stamping letter "n" to right of vertical guideline, and then "i" to left of vertical guideline.
5. Erase guidelines after stamping is complete.
6. Using Charcoal ink, stamp buffalo check on 6" x 2¼" White Daisy cardstock.
7. Attach stamped White Daisy cardstock along bottom of 6" x 8" light Bashful cardstock. Using Charcoal ink, stamp dot border on Bashful cardstock, above White Daisy stamped piece.
8. Cut Glacier Complement border in half. Attach one half to top of ½" x 6¾" Linen cardstock, and second half to bottom.
9. Dovetail one edge of ¾" x 7" Peacock cardstock, ½" x 6¾" Linen cardstock, and ½" x 6½" Smoothie zip strip.
10. Attach light Peacock cardstock to light Bashful cardstock, ¾" from right. Attach ½" x 6¾" Linen cardstock directly left of Peacock cardstock. Attach zip strip to Peacock cardstock, along left edge.
11. Attach "The Important Things" title to light Bashful cardstock.
12. Using Juniper ink, stamp ink splatters in top right corner of Linen cardstock.
13. Attach Charcoal scallop Complement along top edge of Linen cardstock.
14. Embellish with Complements and grey gems as shown. Use thin 3-D foam tape to attach Complements as desired

The Important Thing About Today Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 4¼" x 6¼" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - 4" x 3" Mink cardstock
- 1 - Linen lined Picture My Life card
- 1 - Smoothie diamond Picture My Life card
- 1 - Bashful flowers Picture My Life card
- 1 - white "remember this" overlay
- 1 - white floral bough overlay

Assembly

1. Stamp "The Important Thing About" above ninth journaling line from top of Linen lined Picture My Life card. Using Juniper ink, stamp "THE" ½" from left edge, and stamp "THING ABOUT" ½" from right edge. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "important" centered between "THE" and "THING."
2. Using Charcoal ink, stamp scallop border along top edge of 4" x 3" light Mink cardstock.
3. Attach Linen lined Picture My Life card to 4¼" x 6¼" light Bashful cardstock.
4. Attach 4¼" x 6¼" light Bashful cardstock centered on Juniper dots paper.
5. Attach "TODAY" Complement directly below stamped words and embellish with grey gems as desired.
6. Attach 3" x 4" horizontal Flip Flap to 6" x 8" Everyday Life Memory Protector, aligned with top edge of light Bashful cardstock. Insert "remember this" overlay over outer 3" x 4" photo in Flip Flap.
7. Using Juniper ink, stamp "documented" centered along top edge of Bashful flowers Picture My Life card. Stamp second and third-generation "documented" below as shown. Add Charcoal heart Complements and gems as desired.
8. Attach watering can Complement to center of 3" x 4" Smoothie diamond Picture My Life card. Insert floral bough overlay over pocket card in Memory Protector.
Tip: Make sure to remove clear protectant from overlay card.

The Important Thing About Me Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 2¾" x 2" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 4" Glacier stripe paper
- 1 - 3" x 3" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 1¼" x ½" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 3¼" x 4" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - ¼" x 3" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x 3¼" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - 1¼" x 3¼" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - "Be you tiful" Picture My Life card
- 1 - Smoothie diamond Picture My Life card
(from previous layout)
- 1 - white line border with heart overlay

Assembly

1. Dovetail one end of 1¼" x 3¼" Peacock cardstock. Attach to Smoothie diamond Picture My Life card centered from sides.
2. Attach ½" x 1¼" Juniper dot paper on top of Peacock cardstock, along top edge. Attach large butterfly Complement. Using Charcoal ink, stamp ink splatters around butterfly. Embellish with white gems as shown.
3. Insert line border with heart overlay over "Be you tiful" Picture My Life card.
Tip: Make sure to remove clear protectant from overlay card.
4. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "THING ABOUT" on 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock in top right corner. To left, use Smoothie ink to stamp "important." Then use Charcoal ink to stamp "THE." Using Juniper ink, stamp doodle heart below "ABOUT." Using Charcoal ink, stamp "me" with Typography alphabet left of Juniper heart. Attach Charcoal arrow Complement as shown.
5. Using Charcoal ink, stamp journaling box on 2¾" x 2" White Daisy cardstock. Stamp triple hearts in top left corner of journaling box and trim.
6. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "good times" on Charcoal banner Complement.
7. Using Smoothie ink, stamp dot border on left side of 3¼" x 4" light Bashful cardstock.
8. Attach stamped journaling box to 3" x 3" Juniper dot paper, ¼" from bottom and sides. Attach 3" x ¼" light Bashful cardstock ⅜" from top. Embellish with Charcoal butterfly Complement.
9. Attach 3¼" x 4" stamped light Bashful cardstock to 6" x 4" Glacier stripe paper ⅜" from left. Keep Smoothie dot border on left. Attach 3¼" x 3¼" Peacock cardstock, about ¼" from bottom, and ¼" from left of light Bashful cardstock. Attach stamped "good times" Complement. Using 3-D foam tape, attach large flower Complement. Embellish with white gems.
10. Attach 3" x 3" Flip Flap to Memory Protector, aligned with 3" x 3" photo on card.

The Important Thing About Home Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 4" Mink cardstock
- 1 - 5¾" x 1¼" Mink cardstock
- 1 - 3" x 4" Mink cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x ¾" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 1½" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - date journaling Picture My Life card
- 1 - Peacock gingham Picture My Life card
- 1 - white dotted edge overlay
- 1 - white dot border overlay

Assembly

1. Attach 6" x 1½" Peacock cardstock centered on 6" x 4" light Mink cardstock. Attach "Love Grows Here" Complement to center. Insert dot border overlay over Mink cardstock in Memory Protector.
2. Dovetail left end of 5¾" x 1¼" light Mink cardstock. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "home" with Typography alphabet in bottom right corner. Then stamp "THE" directly above "h" under top edge of cardstock. Next, use Juniper ink to stamp "important." Below this, use Charcoal ink to stamp "THING ABOUT."
3. Attach title to 4" x 6" photo. Embellish with small heart Complement and dark grey gems on title as desired.
4. Using Charcoal ink, stamp arrow on ¾" x 3¼" White Daisy cardstock and trim. Attach to Peacock gingham Picture My Life card, ¼" from top. Allow point of arrow to continue off card and trim. Embellish with grey butterfly Complement.
5. Insert dot border overlay over 3" x 4" Mink cardstock in Memory Protector.

The Important Thing About My Hobby Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Glacier stripe paper
- 1 - 5" x 7" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x ¾" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 5" x ⅛" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 3" x 4" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 3" x 4" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - 3" x 4" Mink cardstock (from previous layout)
- 1 - 2½" x ¼" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - 4¼" x ¾" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - "enjoy THE LITTLE things" Picture My Life card
- 1 - striped edge Tangerine Picture My Life card
- 1 - white "best EVER" overlay

Assembly

1. Trim 3" x 4" Peacock cardstock diagonally into two triangles.
2. Attach one Peacock triangle to light side of 3" x 4" Mink cardstock used in previous layout. Insert "best ever" white overlay over cardstock in Memory Protector.
3. Attach 3" x 3" photo centered on 3" x 4" Juniper dot paper. Embellish with small flower Complement.
4. Prepare 5" x 7" White Daisy cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw one vertical guideline at 2½". Lightly draw three horizontal guidelines ⅝", 1⅜", and 2¼" from top. Then, draw one horizontal guideline 1" from bottom.
5. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "important" on top horizontal guideline, directly left of vertical guideline. Using Juniper ink, stamp "THE" left of "important," and stamp "THING ABOUT" on right. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "my" on 1⅜" guideline with Typography alphabet. Then, stamp "hobby" on 2¼" guideline.
Tip: Start by stamping middle letters to keep word centered on guideline.
6. Using Juniper ink, stamp dotted circles and circle outline to create scallop border on 5" x 7" White Daisy cardstock. Stamp circle outline so half is below bottom guideline.
7. Erase guidelines after stamping is complete.
8. Using Juniper ink, stamp arrow on 3¼" x ¾" White Daisy cardstock and trim.
9. Attach 5" x 7" White Daisy cardstock to 6" x 8" Glacier striped paper along bottom and right edges. Attach 5" x ⅛" Juniper dot paper directly above White Daisy cardstock. Layer and attach 2½" x ¼" Peacock cardstock ¼" from right of edge.
10. Attach 4¼" x ¾" light Peacock cardstock 1" from bottom and centered on White Daisy cardstock.
11. Attach "Remember" tab, Charcoal leaves, and small Glacier flower Complements. Use 3-D foam tape to attach Complements as desired.
12. Embellish with dark grey gems as shown.

The Important Thing About This Place Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Linen cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x ¾" Linen cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 1" x 1" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 2" x 2" Bashful cardstock
- 2 - 2" x 2" Juniper dot paper
- 2 - 2" x 2" floral paper
- 2 - 2" x 2" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 4" Peacock cardstock
- 1 - floral journaling Picture My Life card
- 1 - white floral edge overlay

Assembly

1. Trim 2" x 2" Bashful cardstock diagonally into two triangles.
2. Arrange and attach 2" x 2" paper and photos on 6" x 8" light Linen cardstock. Then attach two Bashful cardstock triangles as shown.
Tip: Light Linen squares on second and bottom rows are page base.
3. Using Charcoal ink, stamp dot border on light Linen cardstock square in second row to create journaling lines.
4. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "&" on 2" x 2" light Peacock cardstock.
5. Attach 1" x 1" White Daisy cardstock to 2" x 2" floral paper in third row. Layer with Charcoal Complements as shown.
6. Using Charcoal ink, stamp arrow on 3¼" x ¾" light Linen cardstock and trim.
7. Prepare 6" x 4" light Peacock cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw one vertical guideline at 3". Then draw horizontal guidelines ½", 1¾", and 2½" from top.
8. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "THE," "important," and "THING ABOUT" along top guideline starting 1¼" from left. Stamp "this" with Typography alphabet centered on middle line. Then stamp "place" centered on bottom line.
9. Erase guidelines when stamping is complete.
10. Using 3-D foam tape, attach stamped arrow to floral edge white overlay. Embellish with gems as shown and insert over title card in Memory Protector.
Tip: Make sure to remove clear protectant from overlay card.
11. Attach 4" x 6" vertical Flip Flap to Memory Protector.

The Important Thing About Someone I Admire Layout

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 4" Mink cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 1/2" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 3 1/4" x 3/4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 3" x 4" Juniper cardstock
- 1 - 3" x 4" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - 2 1/4" x 1/2" floral paper
- 1 - White Daisy wreath Picture My Life card
- 1 - Bashful floral Picture My Life card
- 1 - Linen stripe Picture My Life card
- 1 - stripe border white overlay
- 1 - "hello" white overlay

Assembly

1. Using Smoothie ink, stamp grid lines and solid square to create plaid pattern on 6" x 1/2" White Daisy cardstock.
Tip: Use first and second-generation stamping technique with square stamp.
2. Prepare 6" x 4" light Mink cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw one vertical guideline at 3". Lightly draw three horizontal guidelines 3/4", 1 1/4", and 2 3/4" from top.
3. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "Someone" with Typography alphabet centered on middle guideline, and "I Admire" centered on bottom horizontal guideline.
Tip: Start by stamping middle letters to keep word centered on guideline.
4. Using Juniper ink, stamp "THE" on top horizontal guideline 1 1/4" from left. Then using Charcoal ink, stamp "important", and using Juniper ink, stamp "THING ABOUT".
5. Erase guidelines when stamping is complete.
6. Attach stamped 6" x 1/2" White Daisy cardstock along bottom of light Mink title.
7. Using Charcoal ink, stamp scallop border on light Mink cardstock, along top edge of stamped White Daisy piece
8. Using Juniper ink, stamp arrow on 3 1/4" x 3/4" White Daisy cardstock and trim.
9. Attach medium Glacier butterfly and Charcoal butterfly Complements to Linen Stripe Picture My Life card. Using Charcoal ink, stamp ink splatters and triple hearts around butterflies as shown. Using Juniper ink, stamp "remember" below hearts.
10. Dovetail left end of 2 1/4" x 1/2" floral paper. Attach to bottom of 3" x 4" stripe border overlay as shown. Attach Charcoal butterfly circle Complement to straight edge of floral paper. Overlay is window to next layout.
Tip: Make sure to remove clear protectant from white overlay card.
11. Attach 3" x 4" vertical Flip Flap to bottom right 3" x 4" pocket on Memory Protector.
12. Embellish "hello" overlay with white gems as shown and insert over Juniper cardstock in Flip Flap™.
Tip: Make sure to remove clear protectant from white overlay card.

The Important Thing About This Tradition Layout

Paper

- 2 - 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 5" x 3" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 3 1/4" x 3/4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 1/2" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 6" x 1/8" Juniper dot paper
- 1 - 6" x 1/2" Juniper cardstock
- 1 - polka dot Picture My Life card
- 1 - "NOTED" Picture My Life card
- 1 - Juniper floral Picture My Life card
- 1 - striped border white overlay (from previous layout)

Assembly

1. Trim 4" x 6" polka dot Picture My Life card to 3" x 4".
2. Trim 4" x 6" "NOTED" Picture My Life card to 3" x 4".
Keep vertical side of card facing up and trim 1/2" from each side. Then trim 2" from bottom of card.
3. Attach Charcoal circle heart Complement to striped border overlay on previous layout. Complement will cover back of circle used on front side of overlay window.
4. Attach 6" x 1/2" Juniper dot paper to bottom of 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock. Using Juniper ink, stamp dot border above Juniper dot paper. Stamp again along top of White Daisy cardstock.
5. Attach "THIS IS OUR STORY" and small flower with leaves Complements to card.
6. Attach 5" x 3" White Daisy cardstock to Juniper floral Picture My Life™ card for additional journaling space.
7. Prepare second 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw one vertical guideline at 3". Then draw horizontal lines 1/2", 1 1/8", and 2 1/2" from top.
8. Using Smoothie ink, stamp "THE" on top line at 1 1/2". Then using Charcoal ink, stamp "important", and using Smoothie ink, stamp "thing about". Using Charcoal Ink, stamp "This" with Typography alphabet on the middle line, and "Tradition" on the bottom line.
9. Erase guidelines when stamping is complete.
10. Attach 6" x 1/2" Juniper cardstock to bottom of title pocket card. Attach 6" x 1/4" Juniper dot paper directly above Juniper cardstock.
11. Using Smoothie ink, stamp arrow on 3 1/4" x 3/4" White Daisy cardstock and trim. Using 3-D foam tape, attach on top of Juniper dot paper.
12. Embellish with gems as desired.
13. Attach 4" x 6" horizontal Flip Flap to Memory Protector.

The Important Thing About A Lesson Learned

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Bashful cardstock
- 1 - 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x ¾" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - ½" x 3" Smoothie zip strip
- 1 - white "you hold my heart" overlay

Assembly

1. Prepare 6" x 4" White Daisy cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw horizontal guidelines every ½" starting ½" from top.
2. Using Charcoal ink, stamp dot border along each horizontal guideline, leaving ¼" on both sides of border. Use for journaling.
3. Prepare 6" x 8" Bashful cardstock for stamping. Lightly draw one vertical guideline at 3". Lightly draw one horizontal guideline ¾" from top. Draw three more horizontal guidelines 1¾", 2¾", and 3¾" from top.
4. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "A Lesson Learned" with Typography alphabet centered on three bottom guidelines.
Tip: Start by stamping middle letters to keep word centered on guideline.
5. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "THE" on Bashful cardstock 1¼" from left on top guideline. Then using Smoothie ink, stamp "important." The using Charcoal ink, stamp "THING ABOUT."
6. Erase pencil lines when stamping is complete.
7. Attach 3" x 4" photo ⅝" from left and bottom edges of Bashful cardstock.
8. Attach ½" x 3" Smoothie zip strip along right edge of 3" x 4" photo. Using 3-D foam tape, attach "LIVE LOVE LAUGH" Complement over Smoothie zip strip.
9. Using Charcoal ink, stamp plus sign scatter as shown.
10. Using Smoothie ink, stamp arrow on ¾" x 3¼" White Daisy cardstock and trim.
11. Attach stamped arrow, overlapping photo ⅛" as shown.
12. Attach 4" x 6" vertical Flip Flap to Memory Protector.
Insert "you hold my heart" overlay over outer photo in Flip Flap.

Back Cover Page

Paper

- 1 - 6" x 8" Linen cardstock
- 1 - 3¼" x 3¼" Juniper cardstock
- 1 - 1" x 2" White Daisy cardstock
- 1 - Tangerine floral Picture My Life card

Assembly

1. Attach 4" x 6" Tangerine floral pocket card to 6" x 8" Linen cardstock, centered along left edge.
2. Using 3-D foam tape, attach 3¼" x 3¼" light Juniper cardstock ¼" from right and 1¼" from bottom of Linen cardstock.
3. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "date place notes" on 1" x 2" White Daisy cardstock. Attach as shown.
4. Attach grey rectangle Complement ¼" from left edge, along top edge of pocket card. Using Charcoal ink, stamp "NOTEWORTHY" on left side of Complement.
5. Attach butterfly, heart, and leaf Complements as shown.
6. Using Charcoal ink, stamp ink splatters as shown.
7. Embellish with grey gems as desired.













The important thing I've learned about joy is that lasting joy is found in focusing on our Savior, Jesus Christ. As I have studied, I've found more value in the true joys of my life. It is that joy is in connection, not perfection. It is not in my circumstances, but in my focus. It is God's purpose for my life to have joy. The important thing I've learned about joy is it can be achieved daily with the right focus - the eternal things bring joy. ~

THE *important* THING ABOUT

A Lesson Learned



LIVE
LAUGH
LOVE

Joy!

NOTEWORTHY

date

Nov 2017

place

Home

notes

I breathed peace

CLOSE[®] HEART