# CLOSe to; Heart\*

# Yesterday & Today | 16 cards, 4 each of 4 designs

Featured Technique: Antique Heat Embossing



# Additional Materials Needed:

Z2828 Toffee Exclusive Inks™ Stamp Pad
Z8003 Espresso Exclusive Inks™ Pigment Pad
Z2067 Silver Super Fine Embossing Powder
Z4220 Anti-static Pouch
Z4252 Heat Tool
Z697 Round Sponge
Z2060 Thin 3-D Foam Tape
Z2089 Glue Dots® Micro Dots
Y1000 1" × 1" My Acrylix® Block
Y1002 1" × 3½" My Acrylix® Block
Y1003 2" × 2" My Acrylix® Block
Y1009 2" × 3½" My Acrylix® Block
Tweezers

# **Exclusive Stamp + Thin Cuts:**



## **Getting Started:**

- Gather any additional materials needed.
- Trim all zip strips and set aside. The zip strip is the ½" accent paper along the top of each sheet of patterned paper.
- Check the cut orientation below each cutting guide image. This will show you how to cut the paper, keeping the patterns on your project pieces facing the right direction.
- Light grey pieces on your cutting guide are project pieces. White pieces are leftover paper.
- · As you cut the paper, sort the pieces as indicated in the cutting guide, creating a stack for each project.

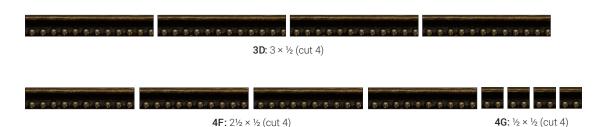
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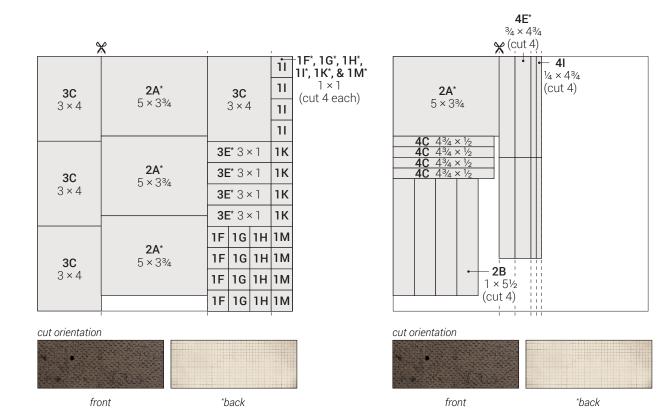
 $\mathbf{X}$  = first cut | \* = use back of paper

= suggested Thin Cuts arrangement

# **Cutting Diagrams:**

zip strips

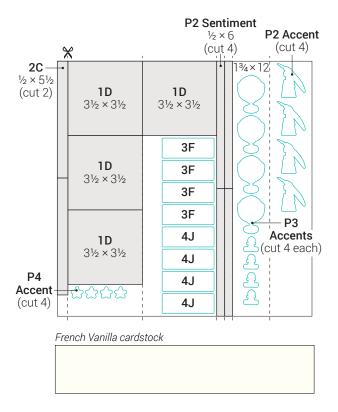




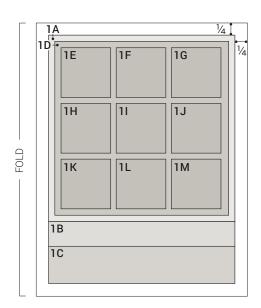
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## Prepare (4 each):



#### Card Base:

Paper: card base Ink: Toffee Tip: Sponge edges.



## 1B:

Paper: French Vanilla Ink: Toffee Tips: Stamp top of paper clip repeatedly across the top. Then, sponge edges with Toffee ink.



#### 1C:

Paper: Mink Inks: Espresso pigment, Toffee Tips: Stamp "thank you" with Espresso pigment. Then, sponge edges with Toffee.







#### 1E, 1J, & 1L:

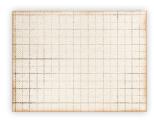
Paper: Kraft Ink: Espresso pigment (with Silver embossing powder)

Tips: Heat emboss. Use tweezers to hold the paper while applying heat. Technique: Rub the surface of 1E with an anti-static pouch. Emboss the image by stamping with Espresso pigment ink, sprinkling the wet image with embossing powder, shaking off any excess powder, and heating with the heat tool until the powder and ink melt together.

- 1. Prepare pieces shown above
- 2. Attach 1A, 1B, and 1C
- 3. Attach 1D, as shown
- 4. Attach 1E, 1F, 1G, 1H, 1I, 1J, 1K, 1L, and 1M *Tip: Lay out all these pieces before attaching.*
- 5. Embellish with twine Tips: With glue dots, attach a 3½" strand along the bottom of 3D. Tie a separate knot and fray the ends before attaching it, as shown, with a glue dot.

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# Prepare (4 each):



**2A:**Paper: grid
Ink: Toffee

Tip: Sponge edges.



#### 2C:

Paper: French Vanilla Ink: Toffee



# 2E:

Paper: French Vanilla Ink: Toffee Tip: Sponge edges.



#### P2 Accent:

Paper: French Vanilla Die: hand Inks: Espresso pigment, Toffee Tips: Stamp the image with Espresso pigment and sponge edges

with Toffee ink.



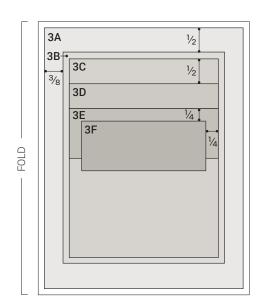
# P2 Sentiment:

Paper: French Vanilla Ink: Espresso Pigment, Toffee Tips: Stamp close together and hand trim.



- 1. Prepare pieces shown above
- 2. Attach 2A, 2B, and 2C
- 3. Embellish with twine

  Tip: Wrap twine around the front of the card and tie a knot on the left side, as shown.
- 4. Attach 2E to 2D
- 5. Attach 2D with thin 3-D foam tape
- 6. Attach hand accent and sentiment with thin 3-D foam tape





# Prepare (4 each):



# **3A:**Paper: Mink Ink: Toffee Tip: Sponge edges.



#### 3F:

Paper: French Vanilla Die: rectangle

Ink: Espresso pigment (with silver embossing powder)

Tips: Antique heat emboss and sponge edges first, then stamp the sentiment in the center. Use tweezers to hold the paper while applying heat.

Technique: Rub the cardstock surface with an anti-static pouch. Emboss the image by stamping with Espresso pigment ink, sprinkling the wet image with embossing powder, shaking off any excess powder, and heating with the heat tool until the powder and ink melt together. Lightly sponge on top of the embossed image with ink to create an antique look.



#### P3 Accent:

Paper: French Vanilla

Die: clip

Ink: Espresso pigment

Tips: Antique heat emboss and sponge edges. Use tweezers to hold the paper while applying heat.

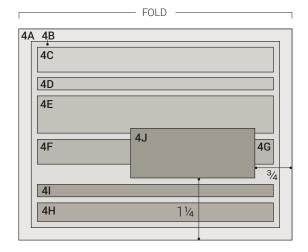
Technique: Rub the cardstock surface with an anti-static pouch. Emboss the image by stamping with Espresso pigment ink, sprinkling the wet image with embossing powder, shaking off any excess powder, and heating with the heat tool until the powder and ink melt together. Lightly sponge on top of the embossed image with ink to create an antique look.



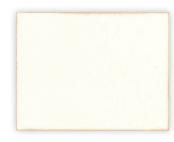
#### P3 Accent:

Paper: French Vanilla Die: globe Ink: Espresso pigment Tip: Embellish the stand with twine and fray the ends.

- 1. Prepare pieces shown above
- 2. Attach 3A
- 3. Attach 3D and 3E to 3C
- 4. Attach 3F to 3C
- 5. Attach 3C to 3B
- 6. Attach 3B with thin 3-D foam tape
- 7. Attach globe and clip accents with thin 3-D foam tape, as shown



# Prepare (4 each):



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Paper: French Vanilla Ink: Toffee Tip: Sponge edges.



#### 4J:

Paper: French Vanilla Die: rectangle Inks: Espresso Pigment, Toffee



#### P4 Accent:

Paper: French Vanilla

Die: star
Ink: Espresso pigment (with silver embossing powder)
Tips: Antique heat emboss and sponge edges. Use tweezers to hold the paper while applying heat.
Technique: Rub the cardstock surface with an anti-static pouch.
Emboss the image by stamping with Espresso pigment ink, sprinkling the wet image with embossing powder, shaking off any excess powder, and heating with the heat tool until the powder and ink melt together. Lightly sponge on top of the embossed image with ink to create an antique look.



- 1. Prepare pieces shown above
- 2. Attach 4A
- 3. Attach 4C, 4D, 4E, 4F, 4G, 4H, and 4I to 4B, as shown
- 4. Embellish 4B with twine Tip: Wrap twine around 4B and tie a knot on the right side, as shown.
- 5. Attach 4B with thin 3-D foam tape
- 6. Attach 4J with thin 3-D foam tape
- 7. Attach star accent with thin 3-D foam tape, as shown