



HAPPINESS COMES IN WAVES CARD BY LEA LAWSON

"I love this sentiment in particular because mental health can be hard some days. Cards don't always have to be rainbows and sunshine. They can address the hard times, and be an encouragement that the better times will come again. I have specific times during the year that are very hard for me, and I know I'm not the only one. I love that this sentiment addresses that!"

SUPPLY LIST:

PINKFRESH STUDIO SUPPLIES: FUCHSIAS STAMP, STENCIL SET & DIE, ARCH BACKDROP HOT FOIL PLATE & DIE, BALLET SLIPPER JEWELS

PINKFRESH STUDIO INK COLORS: METROPOLIS, BUBBLE GUM, RASPBERRY BLISS, CANDY VIOLET, REGAL KISS, OLIVE, EVERGREEN, DETAIL BLACK

OTHER SUPPLIES/TOOLS: HAMMERMILL WHITE CARDSTOCK, SPELLBINDERS GLIMMER HOT FOIL SYSTEM, SPELLBINDERS POLISHED BRASS FOIL ROLL, SPELLBINDERS PLATINUM 6 DIECUTTING MACHINE, GEMINI JR. DIECUTTING MACHINE, SIZZIX BIG SHOT EXTENDED CUTTING PLATES (X3), THERMOWEB GLITTER DUST SPRAY - GOLD, WOW! EMBOSSING INK, WOW! SUPERFINE WHITE EMBOSSING POWDER, ANTI STATIC POWDER TOOL, HEAT TOOL, MISTI STAMPING PLATFORM, PAPER TRIMMER, SCISSORS, FOAM ADHESIVE, LIQUID GLUE.



INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO RECREATE

***I tend to work in steps when creating cards, then assemble at the end. These instructions will reflect that.*

STEP 1: STAMP, STENCIL & DIECUT

- Add the Fuchsias stamp to a MISTI stamping platform, and stamp in Metropolis ink.
- Clean off the stamp, leave it in your MISTI and set aside.
- Align each stencil to the stamped image and ink blend:

Stencil 1: Olive

Stencil 2: Bubble Gum

Stencil 3: Candy Violet

Stencil 4: Evergreen

Stencil 5: Raspberry Bliss

Stencil 6: Regal Kiss

- Put the image back in your MISTI and stamp over top of it in Detail Black. (This is achievable only by leaving the stamp in your stamping platform.)
- OPTIONAL: Spray the stamped & stencil panel with gold Glitter Dust for some added shine.
- Diecut the Fuchsias panel using the 1-piece coordinating die.
- TIP: You can use 3 extended Big Shot cutting plates as your sandwich in your Gemini Jr. when cutting these larger dies. You might need a paper shim - I use a 100 LB shim for my machine.





STEP 2: FOILING & DIECUTTING

- Turn on and let your hot foil system heat up.
- Foil the Arch Backdrop foil plate in Polished Brass foil.
- Put your Solid Hot Foil Plate on the machine, and let it heat up.
- TIP: I hit the timer button TWICE for my solid plate. You may also need a shim or two based on your diecut machine pressure.
- Foil the leftover Arch Backdrop foil piece to create the negative.
- Turn your foiling system off and set aside to cool down.
- Diecut both the standard and reverse foiled Arch Backdrop panels with the coordinating die.

STEP 3: HEAT EMBOSSING AND ASSEMBLY

- Put the foiled center that you diecut from the Arch backdrop into a MISTI stamping platform.
- Generously sweep your powder tool over top, then stamp the sentiment in embossing ink.
- Cover in white embossing powder, heat set and fussy cut.
- Attach the foiled Arch Backdrops pieces together as shown, then mount to an A2 sized white card base.
- Adhere the sentiment with foam tape, then arrange the flower cluster as shown. Glue them down with liquid glue.
- Accent with ballet slipper jewels to finish.

