

Christmas Lights Holiday Card

Project Sheet - Sept 15 2022

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There is nothing more beautiful than freshly fallen snow sparkling and shimmering in the sunlight after a snow storm! Today's card captures all of that beautiful shimmer and sparkle! I used the **Christmas Lights Stamp Set**, **Twinkling Lights Dies** and the **Wonderful Snowflakes** to create this card. And lots of Wink of Stella, of course! The sentiments are from the **Sweet Candy Canes Stamp Set**. Let's go...

1. Card Cuts:

- Card Base - Cut 1 Night of Navy cardstock to 8-1/2" x 5-1/2", score at 4-1/4"
- Panel - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5-1/4" x 4"
- Scrap of Basic White cardstock measuring approximately 3-1/4" x 3-1/4" for die cutting snowflake
- Inside Panel - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5-1/4" x 4"
- Sentiment Label - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to 5" x 1/2"
- Sentiment Label Mat - Cut 1 Night of Navy cardstock to 5-1/8" x 5/8"

2. Start by die cutting the snowflake from white cardstock using the Twinkling Lights Dies. I used both dies for the large snowflake in this set. You will set the smaller die inside the larger outline die for the snowflake to die cut. These dies nest together nicely. Once die cut,

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use your Take Your Pick Tool to punch out any remaining pieces that have not fallen out on their own.

3. Working over a scrap piece of paper, use a sponge dauber to blend Balmy Blue ink over the die cut snowflake. I concentrated the color on the outside edges of the snowflake and lightly blended ink towards the center. Allow the ink to dry, then use Wink of Stella to completely cover the snowflake surface. **Caution: The points of the snowflake are delicate! When blending ink on the snowflake, I pressed my index finger down on the stem of the snowflake point so it wouldn't bend or break while ink blending.**
4. Adhere the white panel to the card front, then adhere two Wonderful Snowflakes to the card front. These snowflakes are iridescent! Place one in the upper left corner and one in the lower right corner of the card front. I allowed the points of the snowflakes to hang over the edge of the white panel, but don't go past the edges of the Night of Navy card base.
5. Using Stampin' Seal, adhere a length of Glittered Organdy Ribbon diagonally across the card front.
6. Using Stampin' Dimensionals, adhere the ink blended, die cut snowflake in the center of the card front.
7. From the Sweet Candy Canes Stamp Set, stamp the sentiment "It's the most wonderful time of the year" using Balmy Blue ink onto the white sentiment label. Center the stamped greeting. Adhere the sentiment to its Night of Navy mat. Adhere the sentiment label across the ink blended snowflake. You will only place Stampin' Dimensionals on the areas to the right and left that are not touching the ink blended snowflake.
8. On the inside panel, stamp the medium sized snowflake from the Christmas Lights Stamp Set onto the upper left and lower right corners of the panel in Balmy Blue ink three times. Use Wink of Stella to add sparkle to the stamped snowflakes.
9. From the Sweet Candy Canes Stamp Set, stamp the sentiment "Wishing you lots of love, joy & happiness this Christmas season and always." on the inside panel in Balmy Blue ink. Adhere the panel to the inside of the card.
10. Use the same medium sized snowflake from the Christmas Lights Stamp Set to stamp snowflakes on the lower corners of the envelope front in Balmy Blue ink. Stamp a single snowflake on the envelope flap. Use Wink of Stella to add sparkle to all of the stamped snowflakes.
11. On the card front, place a Rhinestone Basic Jewel on each side of the stamped sentiment, then add several rhinestones on either side of the ribbon.

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This completes today's card! It is very difficult to capture all of the sparkle and glimmer on this card but trust me when I say that it's beautiful! I hope you'll give it a try!

Products used to create today's card are included on the next page.

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Sweet Candy
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Stamp Set
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Price: \$22.00

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Wonderful
Snowflakes -
156340

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White 3/8" (1 Cm)
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Wink Of Stella
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Rhinestone Basic
Jewels - 144220

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Night Of Navy 8-
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Cardstock -
100867

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