

# Nested Friends Thank You Card

Project Sheet - Jan 16 2023

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The Nested Friends Bundle makes for some beautiful cards suitable for thank you cards, birthdays, thinking of you and friendship cards. I used the Nested Friends Bundle, Something Fancy Dies and the Cane Wave 3D Embossing Folder to create today's card. Let's get started!

## 1. Card Cuts:

- Card Base - Cut 1 Thick Basic White cardstock to 8-1/2" x 5-1/2", score at 4-1/4"
- Outside & Inside Mats - Cut 2 Old Olive cardstock to 5-3/8" x 4-1/8"
- White Panels - Cut 2 Basic White cardstock to 5-1/4" x 4"
- Scraps of Basic White cardstock for stamping and die cutting nest, bird and tree branch.
- Scrap of Granny Apple Green cardstock for die cutting leaves

2. Emboss one of the white panels using the Cane Weave 3D Embossing Folder. Adhere the embossed panel to one of the Old Olive mats. Wrap a length of Old Olive Twill Ribbon from the Old Olive & Sahara Sand Twill Ribbon Combo Pack around the bottom portion of the panel and adhere the ends of the ribbon to the back of the panel using short lengths of Tear & Tape. Adhere this unit to the card front.

3. Using the Nested Friends Stamp Set, stamp the nest image, bird and tree branch onto a

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scrap of Basic White cardstock. Use the following watercolor pencils to color in the images.

Note: I used the pencils as is and did not add water to the colors.

- Nest

Color in the top rim of the nest lightly with Daffodil Delight and Granny Apple Green, leaving some of the white areas showing. The lighter the better here.

Color in the remainder of the nest using Cajun Craze.

Darken areas of the nest in shadow using Early Espresso

Color the leaves using Granny Apple Green and Old Olive

For the inside of the nest, darken the shaded area with Early Espresso and Basic Black. Leave some highlights on the left side of the inside of the nest.

- Tree Branch

Color in the entire branch (minus the leaves) using Cajun Craze. Use Early Espresso to darken the underside of the tree branch.

Use Granny Apple Green and Old Olive to color in the leaves.

- Bird

Color the bird's breast using Cajun Craze

Color the bird's head, back and tail feathers using a combination of Pacific Point and Balmy Blue

Color the bird's eye and beak using Basic Black

4. Die cut the nest, bird and tree branch using the coordinating dies from the Nested Friends Dies set. Arrange the pieces onto the card front towards the top of the card. I had the tree branch coming in from the left side of the card with the nest sitting on top of the branch. The bird is sitting to the left of the nest. Adhere the nest to the tree branch using liquid glue. Adhere the nest/branch unit to the card front using Stampin' Dimensionals. Adhere the bird to the tree branch using a combination of glue and Stampin' Dimensionals.
5. Die cut several of the leaf units from Granny Apple Green cardstock. Tuck these leaves slightly under and around the nest. Adhere one leaf unit in front of the bird's feet. Save one leaf unit to adhere to the sentiment label.
6. Using the Nested Friends Stamp Set, stamp the sentiment "Thank you" in Granny Apple Green ink onto a scrap of Basic White cardstock. Use the Something Fancy Dies to die cut the sentiment label. Adhere the sentiment label to the card front using Stampin' Dimensionals and place the sentiment label over top of the ribbon. Adhere a die leaf set to the upper right corner of the sentiment label.
7. On the inside panel, stamp the tree branch coming in from the upper left of the panel. Stamp using Smoky Slate ink then use watercolor pencils to color in the image.

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8. Stamp the tree branch on the lower left front of the envelope and color in using watercolor pencils.
9. Use the dotted stamp to stamp along the envelope flap using Old Olive ink.

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This completes the card! The embossed white background of the card gives these images a soft look. I hope you give this card a try and have fun with it!

Products used to create this card are included on the next page.

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Nested Friends Bundle (English) - 160489

Price: \$52.00

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Something Fancy Dies - 160424

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Cane Weave 3D Embossing Folder - 160580

Price: \$10.00

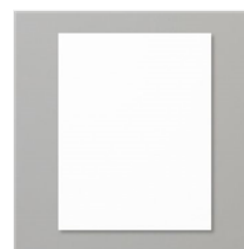
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Old Olive & Sahara Sand Twill Ribbon Combo Pack - 158955

Price: \$8.00

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Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Thick Cardstock - 159229

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Old Olive 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 100702

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Granny Apple Green 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 146990

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Smoky Slate Classic Stampin' Pad - 147113

Price: \$8.00

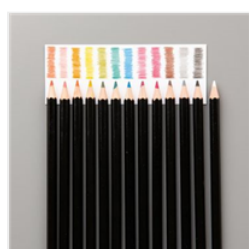
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