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## At Home With You and Sheltering Tree:

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### Design Inspiration: Pinterest

#### What you need:



**Cardbase - Z Fold** – Thick Very Vanilla cardstock – 14.8cm x A4 length 29.6cm – score and fold at 8cm and 16cm

**Mat 1 and 2 – Brickwork** – Very Vanilla cardstock - 8cm x 14.8cm (x2) – you will need to trim these to fit when assembling

**Artwork Panel – Sheltering Tree** – Whisper White cardstock - 14.8cm x 13.7cm

**Fence** – Thick Very Vanilla cardstock - 1cm x A4 length (x 3)– score and fold at 1cm, 9cm and 17cm. The 1cm folds stick behind artwork panel right hand side.

Thick Very Vanilla cardstock - 6cm x 15cm for fence posts.

**Door** – Berry Burst cardstock – 10cm x 6cm (x 2) and Very Vanilla cardstock – 10cm x 6cm

**Other** – Post It Note mask for sun – scraps of Very Vanilla, Whisper White and Soft Suede cardstock for other die cuts.

**Stamp Sets** – At Home with You - Sheltering Tree – Timeless Textures

**Dies** – At Home Framelits

**Masks** - Pattern Party Decorative Masks – for brickwork

**Inkpads** – Soft Sky – Wild Wasabi – Soft Suede – Blushing Bride – Berry Burst – Crumb Cake – Daffodil Delight – Garden Green

**Ink Refil** – Crumb Cake

**Markers** – Berry Burst – Soft Sky – Garden Green – Crumb Cake – Old Olive

**Tools** – Palette Knives – mask for sponging clouds (homemade) – Stampin’ Sponges – Dauber for sun – 1” circle punch to punch out sun mask – Classic Label Punch to punch out fence

**Adhesives** – Tombow – Stampin’ Dimensionals

**Other** – Embossing Paste – Wink of Stella (Gold) – Gold Metallic Pen – White Gel Pen – Silicone Mat for mixing embossing paste

### What to do:



- **Cardbase** - Cut and Score. 14.8cm x A4 length 29.6cm – score and fold at 8cm and 16cm
- **Artwork Panel** - Using Stampin' Sponges and Dauber create your Sheltering Tree Artwork. Note that I used stamping and stamping off techniques to vary colours/shades on tree foliage. *Set aside for now.*
- **Mat 1 and 2 Brickwork** – Using Embossing Paste, mix 2 drops of Crumb Cake ink refill in to paste. Tape your brickwork mask over mats to allow Embossing Paste to be applied with a Palette Knife. Remove carefully, allow to almost dry and repeat on mat 2. Note: - when the Embossing Paste was almost dry I rubbed it with my fingers to distress it a little and soften the 'brick' edges. Be careful how much pressure you use when rubbing. *Set aside for now.*
- **Fence Posts** – you could use scraps for this if you wish. Stamp the woodgrain from Timeless Textures with Crumb Cake on to Thick Very Vanilla cardstock. Punch 14 shapes from Classic Label Punch and trim off one end of these. Likewise stamp the 3 long strips.
- **Assembling Fence, Artwork and Brickwork** – The idea is to adhere the 1cm ends of the long fence strips behind the lower right hand side of artwork panel. *Leaving a small gap between each strip.* Whilst adhering the artwork panel to the right hand side section of the Z Fold card base. *This is to create the support for the fencing.* Next, adhere one piece of brickwork to middle section of Z Fold. Now, folding the card (and Fence) into the Z Fold shape, adhere the other end of the fence to the left hand section of the Z Fold cardbase. *It is important to note that the fence support strips will now not fold in line with the Z Fold. This is how it should be to create a 'garden' area. Folding the card and fence at same time ensures that the fence is secured exactly in place.*
- **Door** – stamp door on to 2 pieces of Berry Burst cardstock. *One of these doors are simply required to cut out the 2 front door panels.* Die cut one door frame. From the other, fussy cut 2 door panels. Distress edges of the cut pieces with sponge and Berry Burst inkpad. Die cut window from the door frame and die cut the 'door' using the special die *(that cuts 3 sides and creased one to make door opening)*. Use white gel pen to highlight areas of door where desired. Use gold metallic pen to colour door handle and lock. Distress outer edges of door frame with sponge/berry burst and berry burst marker.
- **Door background** – Die cut Very Vanilla cardstock using the door frame die and adhere behind your completed Door. Adhere this completed piece to the last piece of brickwork then adhere this in place on the left hand section of cardbase. **Important note** – *remember that the brickwork pieces may need to be trimmed to fit.*
- **Final Touches** – Stamp, die cut, colour any other pieces that you wish to add to the card i.e planters, lanterns, wall planter (made from door mat die and flower planter flowers) and door mat.
- **Enjoy!**



