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How to make ...

Father's Day Card

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Materials Needed for Project

Creative Expressions Singles Stamps: Ship in a Bottle

Cosmic Shimmer Embossing Powder: Silver Shine Metallic

Heat Emboss Acetate

Grime Boss Hand Wipes

Teresa Collins Designer Paper Pad

Cosmic Shimmer Specialist Acrylic Glue

Foundations A4 Card: Coconut White / Kraft / Dark Roast Ground Coffee

Walnut Hollow Brass/Gold metal sheet

Ranger Perfect Medium Ink Pad: Clear

Ranger Archival Ink: Jet Black

Ranger Distress Ink Pads: Vintage Photo

Ranger Distress Markers: Antique Linen/Vintage Photo/Walnut Stain/Stormy Sky/Faded Jeans

Inkssentials Opaque Pen: White

Ranger Glossy Accents

Ranger Fine Tip Waterbrush

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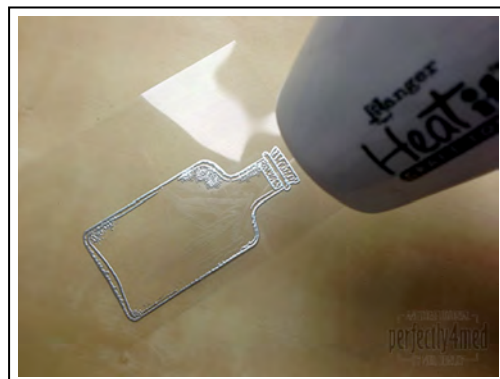
Dust a piece of the heat emboss acetate with an antistatic pad to remove finger marks, then stamp with the ship stamp using Perfect Medium.



Cover with the silver metallic embossing powder, and tap off the excess, returning it to the jar.



Using a dry brush, remove the powder from the ship and sea areas, wiping the brush clean on kitchen paper between strokes.



Heat set the bottle outline using your heat tool.



Using a Grime Boss hand wipe, wipe off the remaining Perfect Medium where you brushed off the powder. Use the smooth side!

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Fussy cut right next to the embossed outline and set aside.



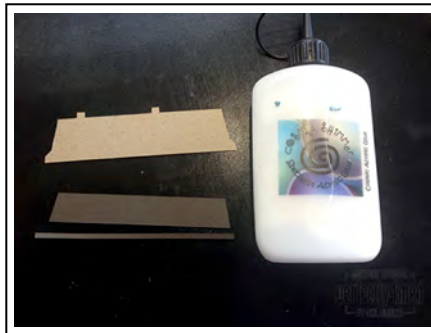
Stamp the bottle again in the black Archival Ink onto Coconut White card. Use your heat tool to thoroughly dry the ink.



Colour in the image using the Distress Markers. Use a water brush to add shading – pick up colour from the marker nib.



Fussy cut round the sea and ship, as well as the cork. Using Glossy Accents on the sea only, stick the ship to the bottle. Stick the cork sections in place also.



Cut out the stand using the templates below from each of the card colours indicated. Layer up using the Cosmic Shimmer glue.



Stamp the sentiment onto the metal sheet using Archival Ink: try not to press too hard as it may slide. Cut out and curl ends around a cocktail stick to shape.



Cut the background paper to size and edge with Vintage Photo Distress Ink. Mat onto more of the dark brown card. Assemble the card, using foam pads to add depth and the glue to stick down the background.

