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Ocean Friends Thank You Card

Short Cut Card Sketch #13



Supplies

- Ocean Friends Bundle - 164692
- Ocean Friends Stamp Set - 164685
- Ocean Friends Dies - 164691
- Heart Shaped Bundle - 164953
- Birthday Celebration Dies - 164598
- Soft Waves 3D Embossing Folder - 164695
- Friends Of The Ocean 12" X 12" Designer Series Paper - 164684
- Petal Pink Cardstock - 146985
- Coastal Cabana Cardstock - 131297
- Crumb Cake Cardstock - 120953
- Lemon Lime Twist Cardstock - 144245
- Basic White Cardstock - 159276
- Neutrals Stampin' Write Markers - 161697
- Melon Mambo Stampin' Ink Refill - 115662
- Summer Splash Stampin Pad - 163809
- Early Espresso Stampin' Pad - 147114
- Calypso Coral Stampin' Pad - 147101
- Cream 1/4" Woven Ribbon - 164143
- Low-Profile Dots - 164658
- Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine - 149653
- Paper Trimmer - 152392
- Simply Scored Scoring Tool - 122334
- Stampin' Pierce Mat - 126199
- Embossing Additions Tool Kit - 159971
- Take Your Pick - 144107
- Paper Snips Scissors - 103579
- Bone Folder - 102300
- Mini Stampin' Dimensionals - 144108
- Stampin' Dimensionals - 104430
- Mini Glue Dots - 103683
- Multipurpose Liquid Glue - 110755

Measurements

- **Petal Pink Cardstock**
 - 5-1/2 x 8-1/2", scored at 4-1/4"
- **Basic White Cardstock**
 - scrap for stamping and die cutting the lobster using the Ocean Friends Bundle
 - scrap for die cutting the sentiment label using the Heart Shaped Bundle
- **Coastal Cabana Cardstock**
 - scrap for die cutting the pocket using the Birthday Celebrations Dies
- **Lemon Lime Twist Cardstock**
 - scrap for die cutting the coral using the Ocean Friends Dies
- **Crumb Cake Cardstock**
 - scrap for die cutting the starfish using the Ocean Friends Dies
- **Friends of the Oceans Designer Series Paper**
 - 1-1/4 x 3-3/4"
 - 3/4 x 4-1/2"
 - 1 x 4"
- **Cream Woven Ribbon**
 - about 12"



Sources

- **Squeeze Bottles** - Amazon

Instructions

1. Tie a bow with the ribbon. Drip 10 drops of Melon Mambo re-inker in a zip top sandwich bag, dilute the reinker by splashing rubbing alcohol in the bag. You have enough alcohol when the liquid is about the color you want your ribbon to end up. Drop the bow in the sandwich bag, seal the bag and manipulate the bow so it is saturated with ink. Remove the bow from the bag using tweezers and set to dry on paper towel. You can speed up the drying using a heat tool. If the bow does not dry to your desired shade, repeat the dying process to make a more saturated color. Allow the bow to dry completely before untying it.
2. Score, fold and burnish the Petal Pink card base using a Bone Folder. Emboss the card front using the Soft Waves 3D Embossing Folder.
3. Stamp the bubbles in the top left corner of the Coastal Cabana pocket using Summer Splash ink.
4. Adhere the designer paper, followed by the pocket, and the the coral using Multipurpose Liquid Glue.
5. Stamp the sentiment on the Basic White label using Early Espresso ink.
6. Stamp the lobster on Basic White cardstock using Calypso Coral ink. The lobster is two step stamping. Stamp the outline full strength ink and the fill with second generation of the same ink. Die cut.
7. Color the lobster's eyes using an Early Espresso Stampin' Write Marker.
8. Adhere the lobster and sentiment to the card using Stampin' Dimensionals.
9. Untie the dry bow and cut the ribbon in half widthwise. Remove any stray strings on the cut edge of the ribbon then tie a petite bow.
10. Adhere the bow to the sentiment then the starfish to the bow using Mini Glue Dots.
11. Embellish using the Low Profile Dots.

