Aspens in Mountain Air Very Best Occasions Sympathy Card

Link to the Original Project Blog Post:
https://wp.me/p5snyt-oaI

Card Stock Cuts for this Project:

Gray Granite Cardstock: 4 1/4" x 11" (card base, scored and folded at 5 1/2"); Stitched Rectangle Die (sentiment)

Starry Sky Cardstock: 4 1/8" x 5 3/8" (x2 – mats for card front and for inner liner)

Basic White Cardstock: 4" x 5 1/4" (x2 - Die cut card front and inner liner); 3 7/8" x 5 1/8" ("scene" behind die cut)

Instructions for this Project:

1. On the 3 7/8" x 5 1/8" piece of Basic White use a Blending Brush to brush Daffodil Delight ink near the middle to create the sun.
2. Near the bottom of the panel brush on Parakeet Party ink.
3. Add Starry Sky ink in the middle and up to the top of the panel to create both sky and "lake". Tip - keep the "intermingling" of the inks - especially the Starry Sky and Daffodil Delight! - as minimal as possible. Or you might end up with a greenish sky!
4. Use the mountain image in the ***Mountain Air*** set to stamp a range in Gray Granite a little above the middle of the card.
5. At the bottom of the mountains stamp the line of trees from the set (it has a "reflection" built into the stamp) in Shaded Spruce.
6. Stamp the individual tree images at the bottom of the panel in the Parakeet Party "meadow".
7. Stamp the bird image a couple of times in Gray Granite up in the "sky".

8. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the panel to one of the 4 1/8" x 5 3/8" pieces of Starry Sky cardstock.
9. Use the large die from the ***Aspen Trees Die*** set to cut out from one of the 4" x 5 1/4" pieces of Basic White cardstock.
10. Use the ***Light Gray Granite Stampin' Blend*** to accentuate the cutouts in the trees.
11. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the die cut over the stamped scene to create the card front. Tip: be generous with the Dimensionals here – you wanted the die cut well supported.
12. Use Stampin' Seal to adhere a length of Sahara Sand ribbon from the ***Old Olive & Sahara Sand Twill Ribbon Combo Pack*** and a piece of ***Early Espresso 1/4" Faux Suede Trim***.
13. Tie a simple ***Linen Thread*** bow and adhere it with a Glue Dot.
14. On a piece of Gray Granite cardstock stamp the ***Very Best Occasions*** sentiment in Starry Sky.

15. Use the square-ish die in the ***Stitched Rectangles Die*** set (it's the one that is sort of by itself – it doesn't "nest" with the other dies) to cut out the sentiment.
16. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the sentiment over the ribbon and bow.
17. Add single ***Rustic Metallic Adhesive-backed Dot*** to the sentiment.
18. On the second 4" x 5 1/4" piece of Basic White cardstock use a Blending Brush to add Parakeet Party ink in the corner.
19. Stamp a couple of trees from the ***Mountain Air*** set in Shaded Spruce over the top.

20. Liquid Glue to adhere the panel to the second 4 1/8" x 5 3/8" piece of Starry Sky cardstock.
21. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the matted panel to the inside of the Gray Granite card base.
22. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the card front to the front of the card base.
23. Use a Blending Brush to add Parakeet Party ink to the front of a Basic White Medium Envelope and stamp the ***Mountain Air*** tree in Shaded Spruce over the top.
24. Add more blended Parakeet Party and stamped trees in Shaded Spruce on the envelope flap.

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26. DONE! ☺

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Mountain Air Photopolymer Stamp Set (En) [151610] - Price: $20.00 - http://msb.im/1aI4
Very Best Occasions Cling Stamp Set (English) [159871] - Price: $25.00 - http://msb.im/1aI5
Aspen Tree Dies [159798] - Price: $36.00 - http://msb.im/1aI6
Rectangle Stitched Dies [151820] - Price: $35.00 - http://msb.im/1aI7
Gray Granite 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [146983] - Price: $9.25 - http://msb.im/1aI8
Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [159276] - Price: $10.25 - http://msb.im/1aI9
Starry Sky 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [159263] - Price: $9.25 - http://msb.im/1aIA
Shaded Spruce Classic Stampin' Pad [147088] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aIB
Parakeet Party Classic Stampin' Pad [159208] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aIC
Gray Granite Classic Stampin' Pad [147118] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aID
Daffodil Delight Classic Stampin' Pad [147094] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aIE
Gray Granite Stampin' Blends Combo Pack [154886] - Price: $9.00 - http://msb.im/1aIF
Early Espresso 1/4" (6.4 Mm) Faux Suede Trim [152472] - Price: $6.50 - http://msb.im/1aIG
Old Olive & Sahara Sand Twill Ribbon Combo Pack [158955] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aIH
Linen Thread [104199] - Price: $5.00 - http://msb.im/1aII
Rustic Metallic Adhesive-Backed Dots [159082] - Price: $8.00 - http://msb.im/1aIJ
Basic White Medium Envelopes [159236] - Price: $7.50 - http://msb.im/1aIK
Multipurpose Liquid Glue [110755] - Price: $4.00 - http://msb.im/1aIL
Stampin' Dimensionals [104430] - Price: $4.25 - http://msb.im/1aIM
Stampin' Seal+ [149699] - Price: $12.00 - http://msb.im/1aIN
Mini Glue Dots [103683] - Price: $5.25 - http://msb.im/1aIO
Blender Pens [102845] - Price: $12.00 - http://msb.im/1aIP