

Simply Lovely Foliage Expanding & Angled Fun Fold Birthday Card



[Link to the Original Project Blog Post:](https://wp.me/p5snyt-H5b)

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[Link to Video on How to Make this Card:](https://youtube.com/live/EBf7pimxVNY)

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Card Stock Cuts for this Project:

Petal Pink Cardstock: 5 1/2" x 6 1/4" (card base, scored at 1" and 2" on the 6 1/4" side); 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" (expanding angled front - scored at 4 1/4" and cut on the diagonal as shown); Center Triangle (one of the cut off pieces from the expanding angled front); 2 5/8" x 3 7/8" (mat for front art panel)

Secret Sea Cardstock: 2 1/2" x 3 3/4" (front art panel)

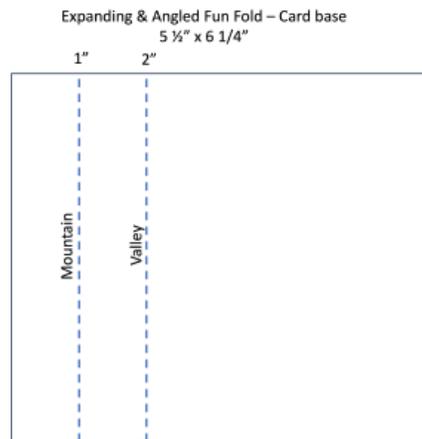
Basic White Cardstock: Friendly Foliage stamped and die cut piece on front; Second-From-Largest Stylish Shapes circle die (sentiment); 4" x 5 1/4" (cut into a triangle - inside sentiment panel)

Lovely Blossoms DSP: 7/8" x 5 3/8" (x2 - strips on card folds); 4" x 4 1/4" (cut into triangles - as needed to decorate); 4 1/8" x 5 3/8" (back panel); One of the cut off pieces from the expanding angled front (mat for back gift card holder triangle); 2 1/4" x 6" (envelope flap)

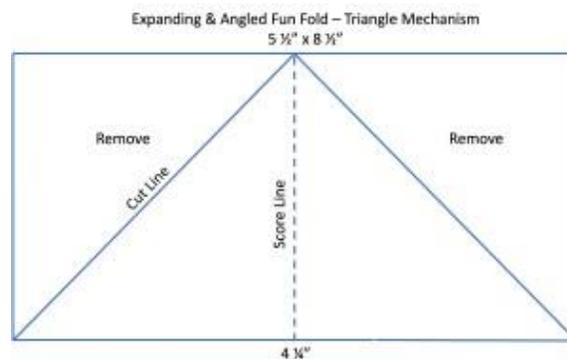


Instructions for this Project:

1. Score the $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6\frac{1}{4}''$ piece of Petal Pink cardstock at 1'' and 2'' on the long side and fold it as a "Z" - with the 1'' score a "mountain" and the 2'' line a "valley".



2. On the back panel, use Liquid Glue to adhere a $4\frac{1}{8}'' \times 5\frac{3}{8}''$ piece of Lovely Blossoms DSP
3. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the two $7/8'' \times 5\frac{3}{8}''$ pieces of **Lovely Blossoms DSP** to the two 1'' wide panels..
4. Use the Paper Trimmer to score the $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$ piece of Petal Pink cardstock at $4\frac{1}{4}''$.
5. Cut from the score line to each corner (on a diagonal). The large (scored) triangle is the "expanding" element. Save the triangles that were left over.



6. Use the Paper Trimmer to cut a piece of $4'' \times 5\frac{1}{4}''$ piece of **Lovely Blossoms DSP** into two triangles. Tip: when you cut each of the DSP triangles - be thinking about the orientation that you need for where you're adhering them!
7. Use Liquid Glue to adhere a DSP triangle to one of the leftover Petal Pink cardstock triangles.
8. Use Liquid Glue JUST on the vertical and horizontal edges and adhere it to the back panel of the card base. Note: don't put Liquid Glue on the diagonal cut or you won't be able to stick a gift card in there!

9. Use Liquid Glue to adhere DSP triangles to each panel of the large scored triangle - one on the front...



10. ...one on the back side of that triangle (the Secret Sea DSP).



11.and one on the BACK side of the second triangle (the floral DSP).



12. Cut a triangle from the 4" x 5 1/4" piece of Basic White cardstock.
13. Stamp a **Simply Said** sentiment on the triangle in Secret Sea ink.
14. At the bottom, stamp the **Friendly Foliage** leaf twice in Old Olive ink.
15. Use Liquid Glue to adhere it to the final triangle (the "inside").



16. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the folded triangle to the front 1" panel of the card base. Note: the best way to see how to do this is to watch the video!



17. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the 2 1/2" x 3 3/4" piece of Secret Sea cardstock on the 2 5/8" x 3 7/8" piece of Petal Pink cardstock.
18. On a piece of Basic White cardstock stamp the framed leaf image from **Friendly Foliage** in Old Olive ink.
19. Use both of the frame dies from the set to cut out the image.
20. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the die cut to the matted Secret Sea panel.
21. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the panel to the front triangle piece - again, watching the video is the best way to see how to do this!
22. On a piece of Basic White cardstock stamp a **Simply Said** sentiment in Secret Sea ink.

23. Use the second-from-largest **Stylish Shapes** circle die to cut out the sentiment.
24. Use Stampin' Seal to adhere a loop-d-loop of **Mossy Meadow & Gold 1/4" ribbon**.
25. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the sentiment to the front panel.
26. Add five Cloud Cover dots from the **Moody Palette Glossy Dots**.
27. Stamp the **Friendly Foliage** leaves in Old Olive on the front of the Basic White Medium Envelope.
28. Add a thin line of Liquid Glue around the edges of the envelope flap.
29. Lay the 2 1/4" x 6" piece of Crushed Curry **Lovely Blossoms DSP** to the flap and rub it lightly to ensure it's stuck down.
30. Use Paper Snips to trim off the excess paper.
31. DONE!

Please click on the links to the right to see and purchase the available item(s) in my Online Store:

Friendly Foliage Bundle (English) [167308] - Price: \$38.50 - <http://msb.im/2aDQ>
 Simply Said Mix & Match Photopolymer Stamp Set (English) [169057] - Price: \$17.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDR>
 Lovely Blossoms 12" X 12" (30.5 X 30.5 Cm) Designer Series Paper [167168] - Price: \$12.50 - <http://msb.im/2aDS>
 Stylish Shapes Dies [159183] - Price: \$30.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDT>
 Petal Pink 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [146985] - Price: \$14.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDU>
 Secret Sea 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [165624] - Price: \$14.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDV>
 Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [166780] - Price: \$14.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDW>
 Secret Sea Classic Stampin' Pad [165285] - Price: \$9.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDX>
 Old Olive Classic Stampin' Pad [147090] - Price: \$9.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDY>
 Moody Palette Glossy Dots [167180] - Price: \$8.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDZ>
 Mossy Meadow & Gold 1/4" (6.4 Mm) [166158] - Price: \$9.50 - <http://msb.im/2aDa>
 Basic White Medium Envelopes [159236] - Price: \$11.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDb>
 Multipurpose Liquid Glue [110755] - Price: \$6.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDc>
 Stampin' Dimensionals [104430] - Price: \$4.25 - <http://msb.im/2aDd>
 Stampin' Seal [152813] - Price: \$8.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDe>
 Paper Trimmer [152392] - Price: \$28.00 - <http://msb.im/2aDf>