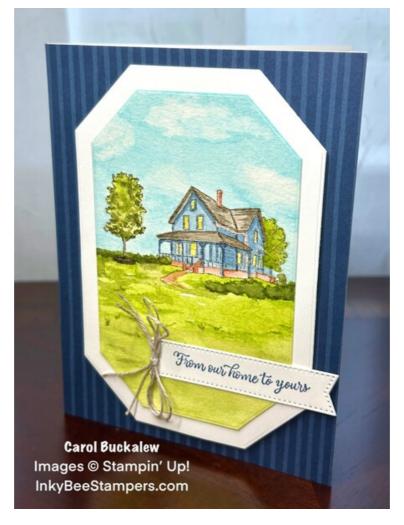
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Thank your host or hostess with this card created using the *From Our Home Stamp Set* paired with the beautiful *Countryside Inn 12" x 12" Designer Series Paper*. This watercolor card is easier to create than you think! Just stamp the image and fill in with watercolor inks of your choice using a Water Painter or watercolor brush!

#### Supplies:

- From Our Home Stamp Set
- Countryside Inn 12" x 12" Designer Series Paper
- Countryside Corners Dies
- Stylish Shapes Dies
- Fluid 100 Watercolor Paper
- Water Painter
- Linen Thread
- · Cardstock: Basic White, Thick Basic White
- Inks: Pebbled Path, Balmy Blue, Boho Blue, Misty Moonlight, Daffodil Delight, Copper Clay, Granny Apple Green, Mossy Meadow

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#### 1. Card Cuts:

Card Base - Cut 1 Thick Basic White cardstock to 8-1/2" x 5-1/2" and score at 4-1/4"
 DSP Panel - Cut 1 striped print from the Countryside Inn Designer Series Paper to 5-1/2" x 4-1/4"

Outside Octagon Mat - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to approximately 5-1/2"  $\times$  3-3/4". Use the largest die from the Countryside Corners Dies to cut out.

Watercolor Panel - Cut 1 from Fluid 100 Watercolor Paper to approximately 4-3/4" x 3-1/8". Use the second from the largest Countryside Corners Dies to cut out.

Sentiment Label - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to approximately 3" x 3/4" Inside DSP Mat - Cut 1 striped print from the Countryside Inn Designer Series Paper to 5-3/8" x 4-1/8

Inside Octagon Panel - Cut 1 Basic White cardstock to approximately 5-1/2" x 3-3/4". Use the largest die from the Countryside Corners Dies to cut out.

Envelope Flap - Cut 1 coordinating piece of designer series paper to 6" x 2-1/4"

- 2. Adhere the DSP Panel measuring 5-1/2" x 4-1/4" to the front of the Thick Basic White card base using liquid glue.
- 3. Stamp the sentiment "From our home to yours" in Misty Moonlight ink onto a scrap piece of white cardstock. Die cut the sentiment label using the slender banner die from the Stylish Shapes Dies set. Set aside for now.
- 4. On the watercolor panel measuring 4-3/4" x 3-1/8", stamp the house and tree images using Pebbled Path ink. Stamp the images approximately one third down from the top of the panel. The house was stamped on the right and the tree to the left of the house.
- 5. Prepare the stamped image for water coloring:
  - I blotted my ink pads on acrylic stamping blocks and applied a little water to the inks using a watercolor brush. But you can also use re-inkers and just drop a drop or two of each ink color onto a palette. A little ink goes a long way.
  - If using a Water Painter, use the smallest brush. There are very tiny details on this stamped image. Take your time and have fun!
  - You will need a small container of clean water to clean your brush between ink colors.
    You will also need a dry paper towel to test color strength and to remove excess water from your brush.
  - It is a good idea to protect your work surface! I painted this image on top of my Glass Mat, which can be wiped clean when I'm done painting.
- 6. Painting the stamped image:
  - Windows Daffodil Delight
  - Roof Pebbled Path
  - House Siding Boho Blue
  - Window Frames, Porch Rails and Trim on House Misty Moonlight
  - Foundation of House, Stairs and Chimney Copper Clay
  - Trees Paint first in Granny Apple Green and while still wet, paint in some Mossy

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Meadow to add shadow areas

- Base of Tree and Tree Trunk Pebbled Path
- Sky Balmy Blue. While sky is still wet use a bunched-up paper towel to lift small areas in the sky for clouds if desired. If the paint won't lift, try adding clean water in a cloud shape, then blotting with a paper towel.
- Yard Combination of Granny Apple Green and Mossy Meadow for grass and shrubbery. Copper Clay for the pathway. I added some additional shrubbery around the house and behind the tree on the left. I also added a pathway from the base of the steps and turning to the right, but this is optional. I also mixed Granny Apple Green and Mossy Meadow together and painted in darker areas here and there for some added interest.



- 7. Use the second from largest die from the Countryside Corners Dies to cut out the watercolor image after it has dried completely. Adhere the watercolor panel to the white octagon mat previously cut, then adhere this unit to the card front using Stampin' Dimensionals.
- 8. Adhere the sentiment label to the lower right of the card front using a combination of liquid glue and half of a Stampin' Dimensionals (on the right). The right edge of the label will hang

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- off of the matted watercolor panel.
- 9. Tie a double bow from Linen Thread and adhere the bow to the left side of the sentiment label using a Mini Glue Dot.
- 10. Use the largest die from the Countryside Corners Dies to cut out the inside panel from white cardstock. Stamp the "Thank You for your hospitality" sentiment in Misty Moonlight ink. Then partially stamp the image of the row homes onto the lower left in Misty Moonlight ink. Adhere the inside designer series paper panel to the inside of the card, then adhere the inside panel to the inside of the card.



- 11. Partially stamp the row home image in Misty Moonlight ink onto the front of the envelope.
- 12. Adhere the coordinating piece of designer series paper to the envelope flap and use a small pair of scissors or paper snips to trim the excess paper away from the flap.

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This completes the card! Make these pretty little home images your own by changing up the colors on the house or by adding extra details!

Products used to create this card are included on the next page.

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From Our Home Cling Stamp Set (English) - 163680

Price: \$20.00

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Countryside Inn 12" X 12" (30.5 X 30.5 Cm) Designer Series Paper -161467

Price: \$12.50

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Countryside Corners Dies -161471

Price: \$28.00

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Stylish Shapes Dies - 159183

Price: \$30.00

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Fluid 100 Watercolor Paper -149612

Price: \$9.00

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Water Painters - 151298

Price: \$13.00

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Linen Thread - 104199

Price: \$5.00

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Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock -159276

Price: \$13.00

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Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Thick

Cardstock - 159229

Price: \$11.25

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Pebbled Path Classic Stampin' Pad - 161648

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Balmy Blue Classic Stampin' Pad -147105

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Boho Blue Classic Stampin' Pad -161650

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Misty Moonlight Classic Stampin' Pad - 153118

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Daffodil Delight Classic Stampin' Pad - 147094

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Copper Clay Classic Stampin' Pad - 161647

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Granny Apple Green Classic Stampin' Pad -147095

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Mossy Meadow Classic Stampin' Pad - 147111

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