

BLACK ICE TECHNIQUE



Materials:

StazOn Black ink

Versamark ink

Clear Embossing Powder

Heat tool

Stamp of your choice – Penny Black Snowy Cottage used in our tutorial

Mat or Mirror Silver Cardstock

Card Layer measurements:

Base = 4 ¼" x 5 ½"

Bottom Mat = 4 1/8" x 5 3/8"

Middle mat = 3 ¾" x 5"

Top Layer = 3 ½" x 4 ¾"

Tip: To avoid fingerprints on your piece, attach it with removable tape to a larger piece of scrap paper like copy paper. That way you can move it around without touching the metallic paper.

Tip: Use the short edge of the ink pads as the "drag" edge, not the longer width.

Step 1. Gently glide the StazOn ink from one edge to the other on your silver cardstock . Notice it should just leave little streaks. Add a little extra ink on the ends. Refer to photo.



Step 2. Stamp your image with StazOn right over the top of those streaks.



Step 3. Dry the panel with the heat tool. It will smear if you skip this step.

Step 4. Using Versamark, gently glide over the image panel in the same way you did the StazOn in step 1, leaving streaks of the Versamark ink.

Step 5. Sprinkle clear embossing powder over the Versamark, shake off the excess, and melt with heat tool.

Step 6. Layer the panel with mat pieces and attach to card base.

