

Stamped, Wired and Embossed Christmas Card

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Materials Check List

Artistic Wire™

24 gauge

Silver, Christmas Green,
Tangerine, Orchid, Peach, Peacock Blue, Red

Artistic Wire™ -Tools

Wire Cutters

Round Nose Pliers

Basic Supplies/Tools

Blank Greeting Card *White*

White cardstock 8¹/₂x 11

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Swirly Stamp # 9968

Stamp # 2 Merry Christmas

JewelCraft

10 ea. Machine Cut Crystal Rhinestones # MC20SS, Ruby

12 ea. Mirror Nailheads # 63620

Radiant Pearls Paint

LS-110 Peacock

LS-124 Emerald Forest

LS-141 WildOrchid

LS-129 Twilight Time

LS-155 Ruby Slippers

RM-231 Marigold

LS-125Miners Nugget

Loew Cornell Brushes Set # 2064

Color Box™ Black Pigment Inkpad

Clear Embossing Powder

Heat-it™ Craft Tool.

GEM-TAC™ Permanent Adhesive

Glue-Dots™ Craft size

Push Pin

Craft Stick

Mouse Pad

Tack or straight pin

Instructions

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Step 1: Stamp Merry Christmas on the bottom center of the greeting card with the black ink. Stamp the swirly design on the white cardstock with the black ink. Set aside.

Step 2: Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Christmas Green wire, 24" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Christmas Green wire, 6" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Tangerine wire, 4" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Orchid wire, 5" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Peach wire, 8" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Peacock Blue wire, 6" long.
Measure and cut 1 piece of the 24 gauge Red wire, 4" long. Set aside.

Step 3: Bend the 24" long piece of Christmas Green wire from step #2, in the center and free form the shape of a Christmas tree that will fit on the front of the blank greeting card. *See Photo.* Attach the tree form to the card with the nailheads. Place the mouse pad under the top side of card. Place the wire form on top of the card. Place a nailhead over the wire and push down with even pressure through the card, turn card over and push the nailhead leads flat with the craft stick. See the

photo for nailhead locations and continue attaching the remaining nailheads.

- Step 4: Paint the Swirly design on the white cardstock from step #1, working with one color at a time. Sprinkle the embossing powder over the wet paint and set with the heating tool. Repeat the process with the remaining paint colors. Set aside.
- Step 5: Starting with the 6" long piece of Christmas Green wire from step #2, form a bow on one end leaving a 1/2" long tail in the center. Repeat with the remaining pieces of wire in step #2
- Step 6: Measure and cut the swirly design from the white cardstock, 3 x 4³/₈". Place the designed piece on the mouse pad and make a hole in the center of the painted bow with a pushpin, and another at the end of the bow design. Attach the wire bows to the matching painted bows on the design. Push the wire leads flat to the back of the cardstock. Use the Glue Dots to adhere the cardstock design to the front of the greeting card. Journal as desired.