

# Wintery Joy Tag

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Kit Includes Instructions, Stencils, Chipboard tag, Banner and Chip Board Heart







You will Need:

Southern Ridge Trading  
www.chipboard.ca  
Tag and Lacey Heart

DecoArt Media Fluid Acrylics  
Cobalt Teal Hue, Cobalt Blue Hue, Media Gesso Or Heavy Gel Medium.

DecoArt Americana Acrylics  
Light Buttermilk, Warm White, 24KT Gold, Asphaltum

Stampendous Stamps  
Vintage Note CRP249

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M2 Stencils, Snowflakes, Postage, 1/8 Polka dot,  
or Tag and Heart KIT

Misc:

Stazon Stamp Pad, Dynasty Stencil Brush, Palette Knife, DecoArt Glamour Dust. Small Sea Sponge, 2 small wooden buttons or spacers. Gold Paint Pen

### To Begin:

Base coat the tag with Light Buttermilk. Let it dry well then Using the Stamp and the Stamp pad, press the image of the Script over the back ground , repeat to fill the surface, or in just a few places the choice is yours. Let it dry well.

Apply washes of the following colours in patches keeping the darkest value to the outside edges. Let the colours overlap slightly.. Let it dry. Cobalt Teal Hue and Cobalt Blue Hue.

Use the 1/8 polka dot stencil, and the stencil brush to apply Warm White Polka dots to the Surface. They should be fairly irregular and imperfect. Repeat with the Snowflake stencil and apply a few Brighter Snowflake to the surface.

Stencil the Postage seal on using the 24 Kt Gold. Let it dry. Brush out a thin layer of the gold on your palette and press the vintage note stamp into it. Stamp onto the tag in a few small areas. Let it dry.

Age the edge of the ornaments with a float of thinned Asphaltum. Add a distressed look to the edge by rubbing the edges and a bit on the from of the tag with the stamp Pad. Let it dry.

### The Heart:

Use a tooth pick to poke out any remaining bits that need to be weeded out of the Heart.

Using the Small sponge apply a coat of the 24 Kt Gold to the heart Let it dry, With the dirty sponge apply Bahama Blue to a few selected areas on the heart and blend it into the gold, leaving small areas of “patina” in a few places. Shade the edges of the Heart with a float of Asphaltum.

### The Banner:

Cut a 6 inch Strip 1” Wide and cut a notch in both ends . Shade along both edges with a nice wide float of Asphaltum. Stamp the Word JOY or whatever word you choose to the centre of the Banner. Lightly mist it with water or brush over the banner with water. And while wet wrap the ends of the banner around the brush handle to create a curve in the ends. Let it dry. Run the Gold Paint Pen along the edges of the banner. Let it dry.

To assemble: Glue the ends of the Banner to the heart allowing it to BOW in the centre. Let the glue dry. Glue the small buttons to the back of the heart in the area that the banner is glued ( hides the buttons) Let it dry. Then glue the buttons to the tag. String Gold and White Ribbon through the hole in the tag and hang.