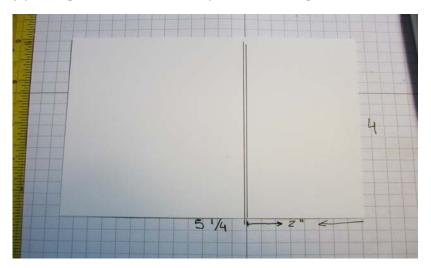
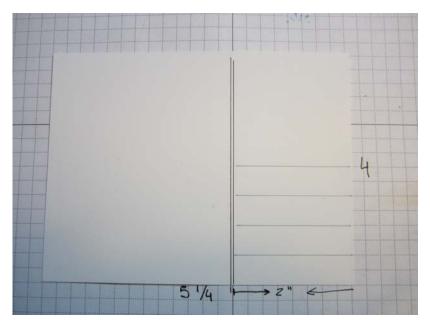
How to transform a card into a postcard tutorial

1- Begin with a piece of Whisper White cardstock measuring 5 - 1/4" by 4". On the 5 - 1/4" side, measure 2" from the right of the cardstock and draw two vertical lines (1/16" apart from each other) in black using multiliner 0.35".



2- Use a 0.30" gray multiliner to draw 4 horizontal lines on the right side of the two vertical lines. Space the lines 0.5" apart. This resembles the address portion of the postcard. Your postcard is now outlined so the decoration can take place.

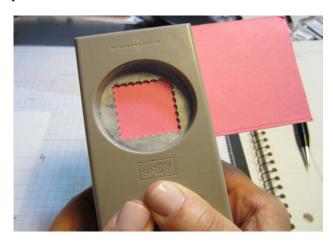


3- Stamp Postcard, from Winter Post (111780) in Regal Rose ink (105211) using the Stamp-a-ma-jig (101049) along the two vertical lines.





4- For the stamp, punch out a piece of Regal Rose cardstock with Postage Punch (122344). Since the punch is too big for my taste (if you like it that size, you can leave it like that), I placed the square back in the punch (using tweezers) and punched out one side to make it smaller.





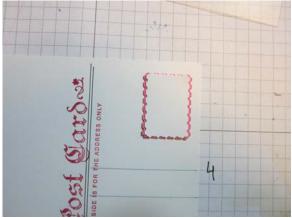




I did the same with the Whisper White cardstock, but smaller than the Regal Rose.







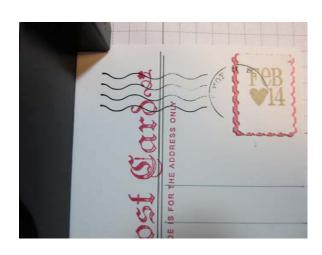
Stamp Feb 14 from Filled with Love (121154), which is discontinued (sorry!) with Crumb Cake ink (121030).



5- To create the post office post, (I used the masking technique), punch out 3/4" Circle on a post-it using the Stamp-a-ma-jig. I stamped the post office post stamp upside down as shown in the picture. Place the Stamp-a-ma-jig on the postcard, and see where the circle will be stamped. Align the post-it circle on top of the stamp and place the post-it underneath the Stamp-a-ma-jig, so what is inside of the circle won't come up on the postage. Now you can go ahead and stamp the post with Basic Black, and then remove the post-it, and you have the outline of the circle. I used the hearts from the Filled with Love stamp set to stamp with Real Red ink (103133) or Cherry Cobbler (119669) inside the circle.









6- Stamp "for you" from the Clearly for You stamp set (121976) with Crumb Cake ink randomly on the other side of the postcard.

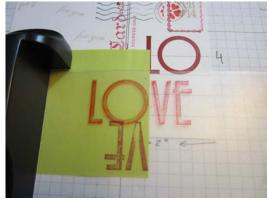


7- As shown in the pictures, use a masking technique to stamp LOVE.











8-Stamp the big heart from the Filled with Love stamp set in Regal Rose on a piece of Whisper White cardstock. Punch it out with Full Heart punch (119883). Using dimensionals, glue it to the postcard and outline the heart with dots using Real Red marker. With the Heart to Heart punch (119881), punch out three small hearts in Regal Rose cardstock and one in Real Red.









9-Once the three hearts are glued on the postcard, glue three button hearts from Bitty Buttons (118761) using glue dots. Add a knot with Cherry Cobbler Baker's Twine (123125) on top of the buttons. The buttons are positioned a little bit offcenter underneath the hearts.



10- Last, add the "Be my Valentine" sentiment from the Filled with Love stamp set. Your postacard is ready. Mount it on the base of the card (Crumb Cake 5-1/2" by 4-1/4", and a piece of Basic Black cardstock 5-3/8" by 4-1/8" on top of the Crumb Cake).



