

Napkin Collage

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Materials

- [European Napkin Collection](#) – (Pretty Napkins)
- [Art Canvas™](#)
- [½" Paint Brush](#)
- [Crystal Copperstone – Effectz™](#) from USArtQuest
- [Perfect Paper Adhesive™](#) - Matte or Gloss (PPA)
- [MicaColor Watercolor Palettes](#) – Any
- [#4 Detail Paint Brush](#)
- Water
- [Great Tape™](#)
- [Styl'ines™](#) – Cardmaking Words, or Rub-ons from Deja Vu

Directions

1. Often a background color improves the overall composition. Keep to the lighter colors and wash onto the [Art Canvas™](#), a bit of [MicaColor™](#). Don't forget to wash some over the edges of the [Art Canvas™](#), which finishes them very nicely.
2. Cut or tear the napkin to the desired design or motif. If you prefer a more ragged edge, which virtually disappears, tear it.
Tip: Wet a [#4 Detail Paint Brush](#), and run it around the outside of the design. The excess paper will tear away easily.
3. Remove the two back layers of paper, leaving only the thin design top layer.
Tip: To remove the layers, look for a white edge. However, two tiny pieces of linty masking tape work so fast. Just put one piece on one side, and the other on the back. Pull gently and remove first one layer, then the other. (Blue/purple painter's tape works very nicely, too.)
4. Apply a light coat of [PPA](#) to the [Art Canvas™](#).

5. Use the *½" Snap Brush* to gently smooth the napkin, wrapping and adhering excess edges to the back of the *Art Canvas™*.
6. While the card is still wet with *PPA*, splash a flash of *Crystal Effectz™*.

Use a favorite greeting and frame it with coordinating papers, mounting the card using *Great Tape™*.

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