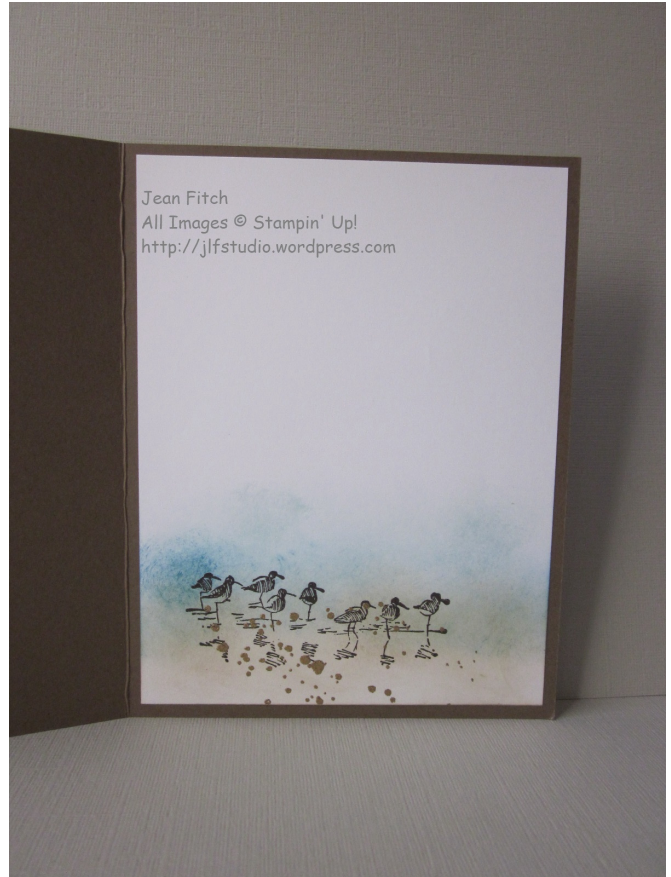
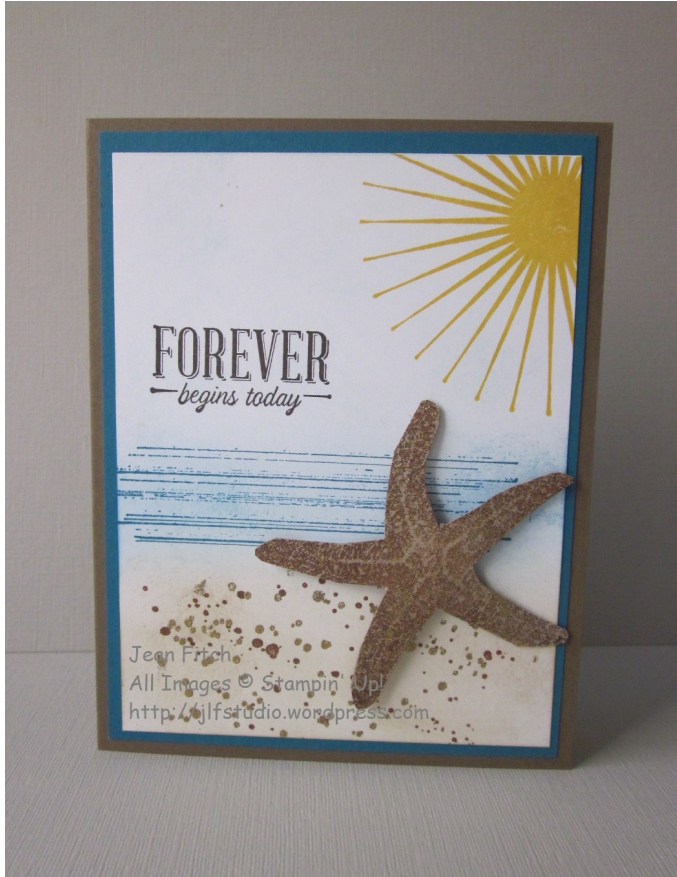


Picture Perfect Star Fish



CASE by Jean Fitch

Color Scheme: Island Indigo, Crumb Cake, Gold

Supplies:

Stamps: Picture Perfect, Gorgeous Grunge, Wetlands, Kinda Eclectic (sun)
Various sentiments can be used from Suite Sayings, Rose Wonder, Layering Love, etc.

Ink: Island Indigo, Soft Sky, Soft Suede, Crumb Cake, Early Espresso, Crushed Curry, VersaMark

Paper: Whisper White, Soft Suede, Island Indigo, Crumb Cake

Other: Paper Snips, Heat Tool, Paper Trimmer, Gold Embossing Powder, TomBow Liquid Glue, Foam Adhesive Strips, Sponges & Sponge Daubers.

Directions:

Did you know that starfish (or star fish) are also known as sea stars?

- 1) Score Cardbase at 4-1/4". Fold (away from the score ditch) and then crease with bone folder.
- 2) Stamp and sponge on the smallest white layer as indicated below for the sand, water and sky. Then stamp the partial sun image in Crushed Curry (turn the stamp on it's back to ink fully) and stamp your sentiment in Early Espresso.
- 3) Stamp and cut your starfish as indicated below. When the full card is complete adhere to the back ground with small strips of the new foam adhesive strips.
- 4) Inside layer: On the larger Whisper White piece. Sponge varied colors and stamp the sentiment and image from Wetlands.
- 5) Adhere the inside layer inside card base. Adhere the Island Indigo layer then the stamped focal layer to the front of card base. Attach starfish. Decorate envelope if desired.

Star Fish: To bring this star fish to life begin the process by stamping the first image in Crumb Cake ink the Crumb Cake piece. Stamp the second star fish image in Soft Suede on top of the first. Then stamp a third time with Crushed Curry. The set has two starfish images but today we have a third (Linda and my combined sets) so you can keep the colors separate. After the three stampings stamp the small speckled image from Gorgeous Grunge in Versa Mark ink across the center of the star fish and heat embossed the speckles with Gold Embossing powder. Use your snips to cut out the starfish.

Sand: Starting from the bottom and working towards the sky with Crumb Cake ink sponge in circular motions until the sand is a third of the way up on the card stock. To give some life to the sand stamp the speckled image from Gorgeous Grunge in Soft Suede and then again using the second clean stamp with Versa Mark and Gold embossing powder.

Water: To get the look of movement in the water stamp the lined image from Gorgeous Grunge in Island Indigo ink just above the sand line. Starting off the card stock begin sponging with the Island Indigo ink in a soft circular motion until the sponged ink is just above the lined image.

Sky: Sponge the Soft Sky ink in a circular motion from the water line to the top of the card, so it looks like soft rolling clouds on the horizon.

This design is a CASE from my friend Penny Hunuszak with a few additions of my own. Penny's version can be seen here. <http://pennytokensstampspot.blogspot.ca/2016/06/wwc73-gails-clean-and-simple-challenge.html>

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