



HALLOWEEN BIRDCAGE LUMINARY



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Stampin' Up! Supplies Used:

Die Cutting: Birdhouse Dies (158846), Scary Silhouettes Dies (159851), Aspen Tree Dies (159798)

Cardstocks: Basic Black (121045), Vellum (101856)

Embellishments: Matte Black dots (154284)

Adhesives: Adhesive Sheets (152334), Black Stampin' Dimensionals Combo Pack (150893), Mini Glue Dots (103683), Tear & Tape (138995)

Other supplies used: LED tea light

Cut a piece of Black cardstock to measure 10 1/4" x 5"



Put into your paper scoring tool with a long side along the top edge and score at 2 1/2", 5", 7 1/2" and 10"



Take the large birdcage die from Birdhouse Dies and place on the first panel – center it within the panel and run it through your die cutting machine



Move to the second panel and repeat



Repeat for the other two panels and this is what you will have



Fold along all score lines and use a bone folder to get those lines crisp



Cut four pieces of Vellum cardstock to measure 4 1/2" x 2 1/4" – these will cover the birdcage cut outs on the inside of your luminary



Apply Mini Glue Dots to the top and bottom of the cut out shape on the inside



Add the first Vellum panel and push down to adhere in place



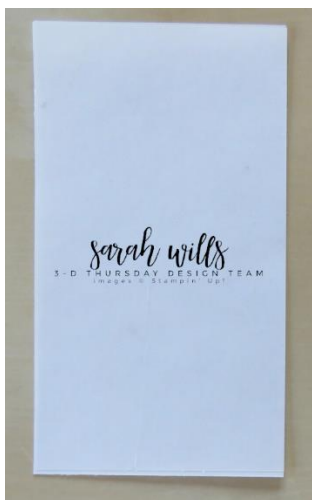
Repeat for the other three panels



Cut four more pieces of Vellum to measure 4 1/2" x 2 1/4" and cut four pieces out of an Adhesive Sheet to measure the same



Take the backing paper off and adhere a piece of Vellum to an Adhesive Sheet – repeat for the other three



Use that same birdcage die to die cut each of these sheets



And you should end up with four of these shapes



Take one and peel off the backing sheet of the adhesive – carefully line up with the first birdcage and adhere in place on the front of your luminary



Repeat for the other three panels



Apply a strip of Tear & Tape adhesive to the small end tab on the outside edge



Fold your luminary around and position your tab so that it will adhere to the inside of the luminary and push down firmly to secure in place – and now your luminary is ready for decorating!



This is how I decorated – all items that I used are listed in the supply list at the top of this Project Sheet:



Please note – for safety reasons ONLY use an LED tea light inside your luminary

I created the branch that the birds are sitting on from an offcut from the Aspen Tree Dies – that strip is between the trees and is a by-product of the die cut!



If you have any questions at all about this tutorial please email me at sarah@sarahsinkspot.com and I will be very happy to answer them for you.

