



Jumbo Leaves Metal Embossed Gift Pillow Box

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Supplies List:

- **Stamps:** Jumbo Leaves (Stampendous), Leaf Background (Stampendous), Thankful Innies Clear Stamp Set (Sweet n' Sassy Stamps)
- **Paper:** Very Vanilla Card Stock (Stampin' Up!)
- **Ink:** Versa Mark Ink (Tsukineko), Early Espresso Classic Ink (Stampin' Up!), Gold Pigment Ink
- **Accessories:** Big Shot and Multipurpose Platform (Sizzix), Leaf Die Cut Set (Stampendous), Gold Embossing Powder, Clear Embossing Powder, Heat Tool, Anti-Static Bag, Hot Glue Gun, Foam Adhesive Tape
- **Add a Little Dazzle:** Scarlet Red Craft Metal Sheets, Dark Rich Chocolate Craft Metal Sheet, Outrageously Orange Craft Metal Sheet, Large Gift Size Pillow Box

Dimensions:

- **Very Vanilla Card Stock:** 1" x 3" (1 piece)
- **Scarlet Red Craft Metal Sheet:** 4" square (1 piece)
- **Dark Rich Chocolate Craft Metal Sheet:** 5" square (1 piece)
- **Outrageously Orange Craft Metal Sheet:** 3" x 4 ½" (1 piece)

Instructions for Jumbo Leaves Metal Embossed Gift Pillow Box:

Step 1 Ink the Leaf Background Stamp with Versa Mark Ink and stamp on the pillow box. Continue stamping until you have completely stamped the pillow box. Pour Clear Embossing Powder over image, remove excess, and set with the Heat Tool. Flip the pillow box over and follow the same steps for the other side.

Step 2 Assemble the pillow box making sure that the tab is on the inside of the pillow box and not showing on the outside. **Note: Sometimes a corner seam of the pillow box may come loose and you will need to secure it with a little bit of Hot Glue or other strong adhesive.**

Step 3 Take each piece of Craft Metal Sheet and go over it with the Anti-Static Bag. This will ensure that none of the Embossing Powder will stick to the metal sheet.

Step 4 Ink each stamp with Gold Pigment Ink and stamp it on the corresponding Craft Metal Sheet color. Pour Gold Embossing Powder over the image, remove excess, and set with the Heat Tool.

Tip: Make sure to hold the end of the Craft Metal Sheet with a clothes pin to avoid burning yourself with the Craft Metal Sheet. Once it is set, let it cool down for a few seconds.

Step 5 Place the corresponding Leaf Die Cut over each metal leaf and run it through the Big Shot.

Tip: Make sure your Multipurpose Platform is completely closed and that you sandwich your assembled pieces in between two cutting plates.

Step 6 Ink the sentiment with Early Espresso Classic Ink and stamp it on the Very Vanilla Card Stock. Distress the edges and place Foam Adhesive Tape along the back.

Step 7 Attach the Craft Metal Sheet leaves to the pillow box with Hot Glue. Then, attach the sentiment in the center of the pillow box.

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