

New York Scrapbook Page

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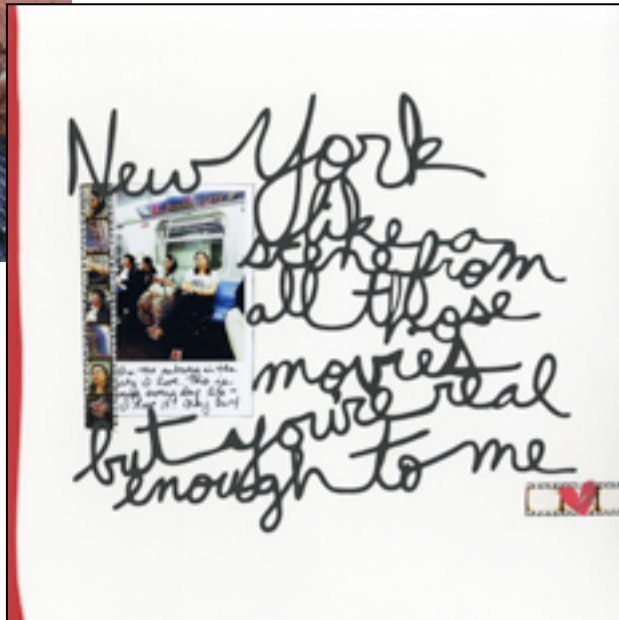


SUPPLIES

- * Therm-o-web iCraft Adhesive
- * Brother ScanNCut
- * Black Cardstock 12x12
- * white cardstock 12x12
- * Ruler or Bone Folder
- * film strip ribbon
- * scissors
- * 2 copies of the same photograph -- one 3x4 and one sized slightly smaller with a white border
- * paper trimmer
- * Red & Black Permapaques stapler
- * Sakura Pigma Micron .08
- * white copy paper
- * ballpoint pen
- * permanent black ink pad
- * red cardstock
- * Optional: pencil

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Choose a song lyric that goes with your photo and use your handwriting to write it out, making sure to connect the words. You should leave a gap for the photo on the left. If it makes you more comfortable, feel free to sketch in pencil first.
2. Scan the lyrics into the Brother ScanNCut and convert them to a cut file. Adjust the size as you wish to fit on your layout.
3. Apply Therm-o-web iCraft Adhesive to the back of your black cardstock. Don't throw away the back-



- ing sheets!!!!
4. Apply the black cardstock to your ScanNCut mat UPSIDE DOWN (cardstock facing the mat and adhesive up).
5. Using the ScanNCut touch screen, mirror flip the image so that it is reversed.
6. Using the ScanNCut, cut out the song lyrics. I recommend raising the pressure to 3 and using a longer depth blade, such as 7. But do a test cut with your machine to see what works for you.
7. Remove your cut from the mat and peel the paper backing to reveal the adhesive.
8. Place the sticky cut onto the backing sheets you didn't discard in step #3. Set the lyrics aside for later.
9. Cut a skinny strip of red cardstock and adhere it to the left side of your white cardstock.
10. Take the smaller photo and trim it down, leaving a white border on the sides

- and top and a large white border (like a Polaroid) at the bottom.
11. Add your journaling to the large white border at the bottom of the photo.
12. Ink the edges of the photo by running it along a permanent black ink pad.
13. Take the film strip ribbon and hold it up to the back of the larger photo. Hold them both up to a window or a light source. This will allow you to see through the photo to the front. Use a ballpoint pen and outline the 7 images you want to feature in the filmstrip.
14. Use scissors to cut out the images.
15. Apply a strip of Therm-o-web iCraft Adhesive to the back of the filmstrip and then remove the paper backing and adhere your small photos.
16. Using a scrap of the photo, color it red with a Permapaque marker.
17. Cut a heart out of the colored scrap.
18. Staple the colored scrap to the center cell of a strip of film strip ribbon.
19. To assemble the layout: Arrange the photo and the lyrics as you wish on the white cardstock. Adhere the photo. Adhere the photo film strip to the left of the photo. Once the film strip is adhered, carefully adhere the lyrics, in parts, removing the backing sheets as you go. Adhere the film strip with the heart and you're done!