White Craft Plastic Layered Shadowbox By Cat Kerr

I love heating up White Craft Plastic with a heat gun and then adding Marabu's Alcohol inks to really make it pop!!

Material list:

- White Craft Plastic by www.GrafixArts.com
- Scissors
- Hole punch assorted sizes
- heat gun
- cookie sheet
- tweezers
- safety glasses
- Marabu's Alcohol Inks www.joggles.com
- Marabu's Gold Art Spray <u>www.joggles.com</u>
- Alcohol spray
- Thread and needle
- Grafix Double-tac
- Shadowbox
- Brush and palette

Step by step:

- 1. Cut a 12 x 12 piece of White craft plastic into four equal pieces.
- 2. Cut holes in the pieces with a pair of scissors.
- 3. Use the hole punches to add additional holes.
- 4. Put on your safety glasses and place your piece over the cookie sheet. Hold it with the tweezers and heat up with the heat gun. Manipulate the Craft plastic by pushing it into the sides of the cookie sheet.
- 5. Once cooled add alcohol inks. You can add them directly onto the plastic or you can pour some into a palette and apply it with a brush. Or you can do both, this will give the color different values.
- 6. Spray with Alcohol to add texture to the ink and let dry.
- 7. Add splatters of black media fluid.
- 8. Finish with a layer of Gold Art Spray.
- 9. Add decorative stitch work by using a needle and thread.
- 10. Adhere your layers by using Double-tac sheet adhesive or by stitching the layers together.
- 11. Add it to a shadowbox or hang on its own.

Whenever your heating up a plastic and/or using Alcohol Inks make sure your wearing safety glasses and working in a well-ventilated area.