

Press 'n Seal Floating Frame-Geared Up Garage



Card # 1

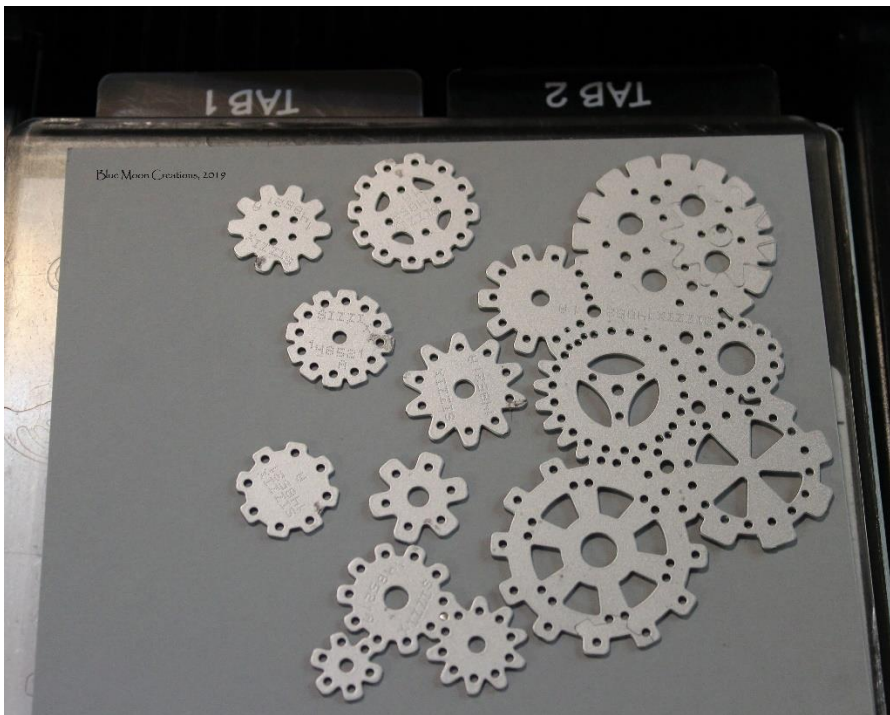
Supplies Used:

Stamp Set: Geared Up Garage

Ink: Memento Black

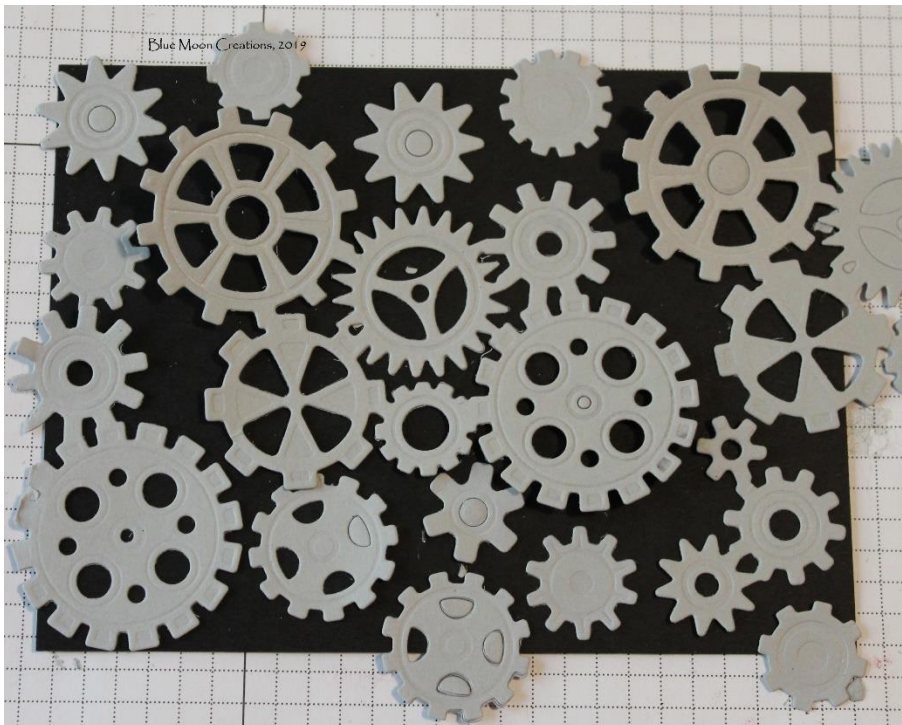
Paper: Basic Black, Smoky Slate

Accessories: Big Shot, Garage Gears Thinlits, Stitched Rectangle Framelits, press 'n seal (**can be found in most grocery stores with the waxed paper and aluminum foil**), Mini Dimensionals, Tombow Multi-purpose Glue, Stamparatus



1. Cut gears out of Smoky Slate card stock using the Big Shot and Garage Gears Thinlits Dies.

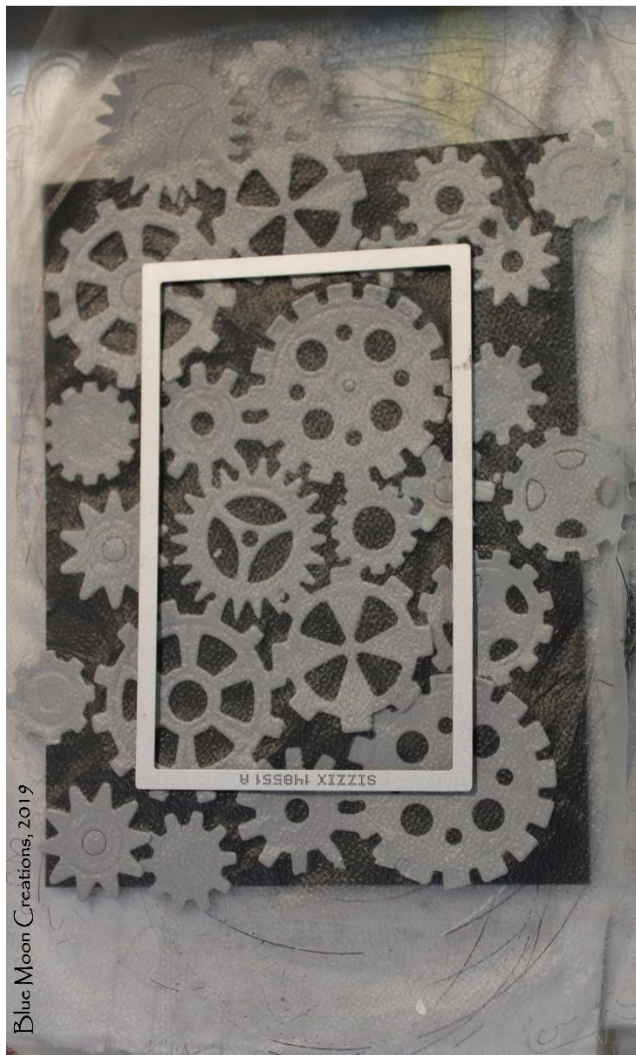
Tip: You want to have a lot of gear pieces to fill up the space on your card front. Cut more than you think you might use. You will probably use all of the pieces.



2. Position all the cut gears on Basic Black card front measuring 5 1/4" x 4". Place some of the gears, so they extend beyond the edges.



3. Carefully, place a piece of press 'n seal over the card front. Smooth out the press 'n seal with your fingers, making sure the sticky back is secured to the card front.

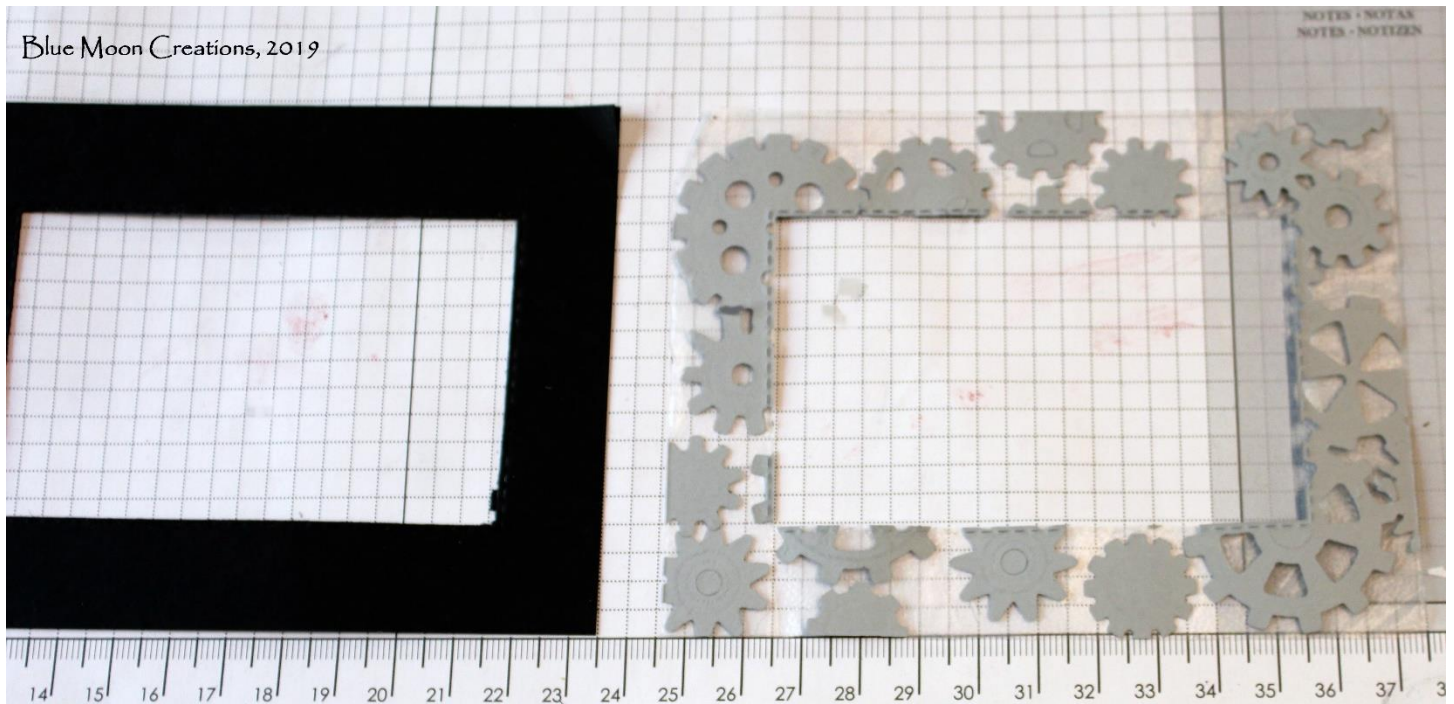


4. Cut out the center of the card front using the Big Shot and Stitched Rectangle Framelits Die.



You will now have pieces to make 2 cards.

If the press 'n seal extends beyond the card front, trim the edges with a pair of scissors or a paper cutter.



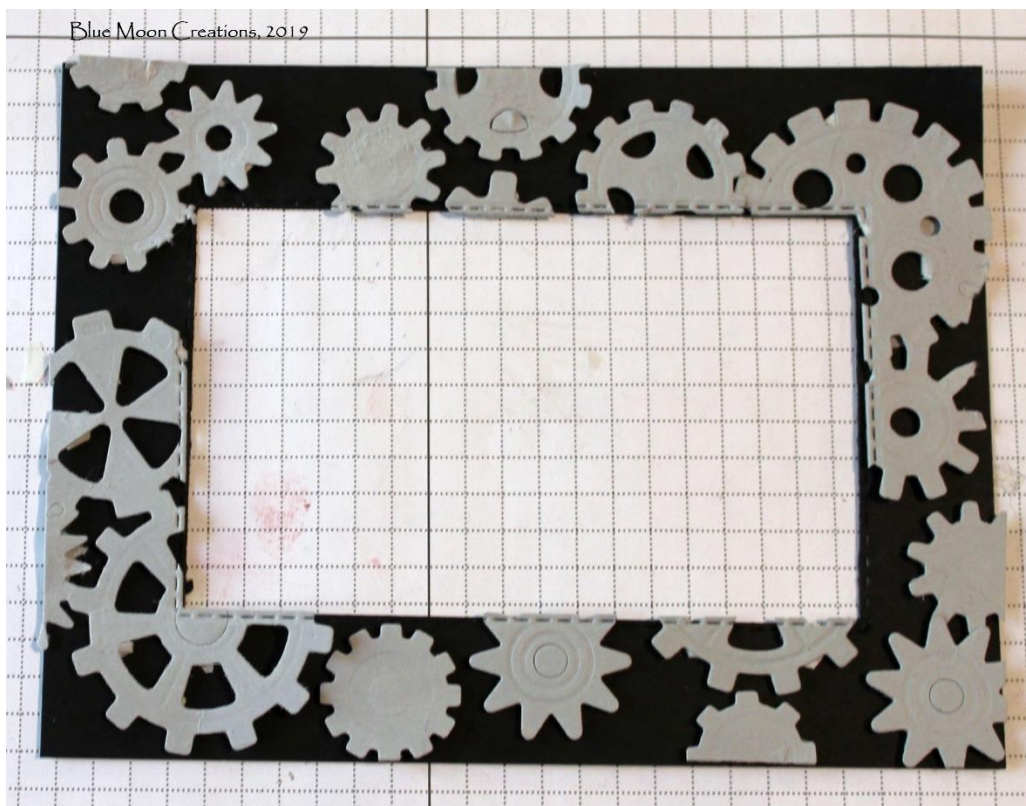
5. Carefully remove the press 'n seal from the card front, making sure you pick up all the gear pieces.



6. Place Mini Dimensionals on the backs of the gear pieces. Cut the Dimensionals into pieces for the smaller parts of the gears.

TIP: You want all of the gears to have at least one Dimensional on the back. If a piece doesn't have a Dimensional, that piece will not release from the press 'n seal or pop up in the frame.

If you miss a piece, you can always add it, filling in the spaces later.



7. Remove the backing on the Mini Dimensionals. Place the gears on the card front, lining up the edges.

8. Carefully remove the press 'n seal making sure you don't pick up any of the gears with it.

Fill in any missing spaces by placing a Mini Dimensional on the back of the piece if needed.

Sometimes, a Mini Dimensional will show through from the back. Use the tip of scissors or a paper piercing tool to push the Dimensional in so it can't be seen from the front.



9. To finish off frame, cut a border out of Basic Black card stock using the Big Shot and two Stitched Rectangle Framelits, one nested inside the other.

10. Stamp car and greeting from All Geared Up using Memento Black ink onto a piece of Smoky Slate card stock measuring 5 ¼" x 4".

To help with the placement of the images, place the frame over the Smoky Slate card stock, and lightly trace around the frame with a pencil. This area will be where you stamp the images. I used my Stamparatus to get good stamped images.

11. Attach the frame to the Smoky Slate insert using Dimensionals to pop it up.

12. Attach to Basic Black card base measuring 5 ½" x 4 ¼".

13. Attach Basic Black frame around the cut-out using Tombow Multi-purpose Glue to complete.



Card #2

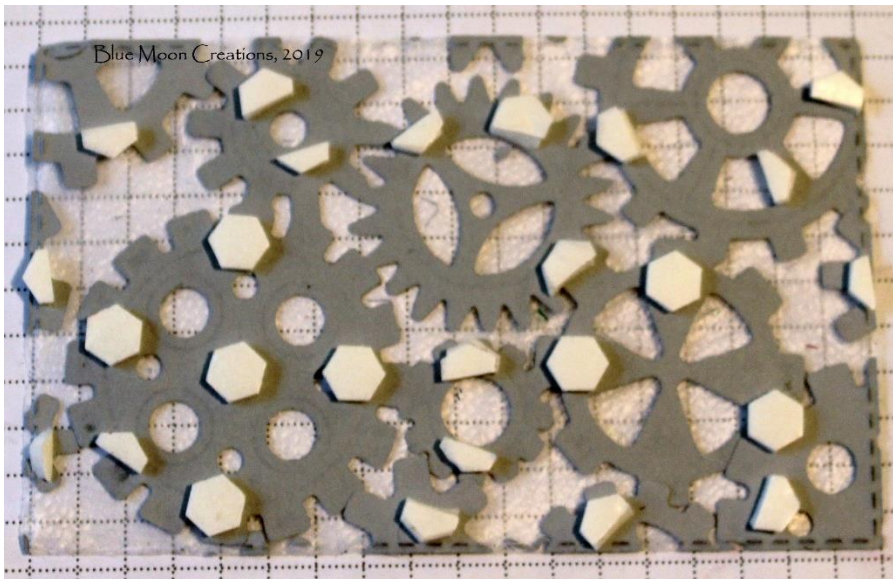
Supplies Used:

Stamp Set: Detailed with Love

Ink: Memento Black

Paper: Basic Black, Smoky Slate, Whisper White

Accessories: Big Shot, Garage Gears Thinlits, Stitched Rectangle Framelits, press 'n seal, Mini Dimensionals, Tombow Multi-purpose Glue, Stamparatus, enamel dots



1. Turn cut-out piece to the back. Place Mini Dimensionals on the gear pieces. You may have to cut the Dimensionals into smaller pieces to fit on the smaller gears.



2. Now for the greeting. Turn the piece to the front and place onto Whisper White card base measuring 4 3/4" x 3 3/4".

To determine where the greeting should go, make light pencil marks at the four corners. You'll stamp your greeting below the bottom pencil marks.

TIP: Be sure to leave space for the frame which will be added later.

Stamp greeting from Detailed with Love using Memento Black ink.

I used the Stamparatus to get a good stamped image.

3. Peel off the backing on the Dimensionals, and place the piece onto Whisper White card front, above the greeting.
4. Carefully remove the press 'n seal making sure you don't pick up any of the gears with it.
5. To finish off frame, cut a border out of Basic Black card stock using the Big Shot and two Stitched Rectangle Framelits, one nested inside the other.
6. Attach card front to Basic Black card base measuring 5 1/4" x 4 1/4".
- 7.. Attach Basic Black frame using Tombow Multi-purpose Glue.
- 8.. Attach enamel dots to the center of the gears to complete.