1. Open Woodland Embossing Folder. Stamp the leaves image from Shelter Tree stamp set using your first leaf color (Rich Razzleberry) on the inside of the embossing folder that has the word “Sizzix” on the front.

Stamp Sets: Sheltering Tree, Wish Big

Ink: Mossy Meadow, Rich Razzleberry, Cajun Craze, Hello Honey, Early Espresso marker

Paper: Blackberry Bliss, Whisper White

Accessories: Big Shot, Woodland Embossing Folder, Regals Button, Crushed Curry Baker’s Twine, Mini Glue Dots

Tips: Stamp on the inside of the folder that has the word “Sizzix” on the front.

Clean the stamp in between colors so you don’t mix the colors on the ink pads.

Clean the inside of the embossing folder after each use so you don’t get muddy colors. Check the end of this tutorial for a great idea for embossing when the inside of the folder is wet.
2. Clean your stamp. Ink it up with your second color (Cajun Craze) and stamp around your first color on the inside of the embossing folder.

3. Clean your stamp. Ink it up with your third color (Hello Honey) and stamp around and over your first two colors on the inside of the folder.

4. With a marker (Early Espresso), color over the raised bark lines on the inside of the embossing folder.
5. Insert a piece of card stock into the embossing folder, close the folder and run it through the Big Shot using the following sandwich:

Cutting Platform set on Tab 2, lower cutting plate, embossing folder with card stock inside, upper cutting plate.

5. Remove card stock from the embossing folder. You will now have the leaf images behind the embossed trees, giving you a 3D effect!
The colors used in this sample were Mossy Meadow, Rich Razzleberry, Tangelo Twist and Hello Honey.

The possibilities are endless!

Options

This is really cool!

Spritz Stampin’ Mist or water on the inside of the embossing folder as if you were going to clean it.
Insert card stock into the embossing folder and run through the Big Shot.

When the paper is removed, you’ll have a cool watercolor background behind the trees.

Use regular card stock or watercolor paper.

This sample was embossed on Very Vanilla card stock.

This sample was embossed on water color paper.
This sample was embossed on Whisper White card stock. After it was removed from the embossing folder, the small leaf stamp from Sheltering Tree was stamped in Cajun Craze, Blackberry Bliss and Hello Honey inks.