

AVERAGE TIME

2
HOURS

CHALLENGE LEVEL



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

GINGERBREAD COTTAGE



MATERIALS

DB43282 Light Up Cottage
Medium Brush
Large Brush
Writer Bottle

COLORS

CMM 13 - Cinnamon Stick
CMM 61 - Chocolate
CMM 67 - Snowflake

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Start out by painting 3 coats of Chocolate to the roof, the awning above the door, and the base.
2. Water down some Snowflake paint with 50% water to 50% paint. Dip your medium brush into the watered down paint and rub your finger over the bristles to spray the paint onto the roof and base to look like snow.
3. Paint the remainder of the cottage with 3 coats of Cinnamon Stick.
4. Get a writer bottle of Snowflake, it's best if it's only about 1/2 full. Get the bottle working on a paper towel to test it before you go to your piece.
5. Lay the cottage down on it's side and working one side at a time put on your lines and flourishes. When one side has lost it's shine, then you can rotate to the next side.
6. Once all the sides are done and dry you can put the lines on the roof. We simply did a row of U-shapes across the top and then kept making rows as we went down.

TIPS

- 3 coats of paint will give you nice solid colors.
- The harder your squeeze on the bottle the heavier the paint will flow out. Use a steady light pressure for even lines.
- You can squeeze the bottle onto a paper towel at any time to move any air out and prevent sputtering.

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