

When Creativity Knocks

All-Star Designers Summer Series



TROPICAL PARTY DECOR

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Mark Montano shares three different quick and clever ways to take some basic materials and create coordinating tropical party decor!

Materials:

- Sizzix®
 - Big Shot® (www.sizzix.com)
 - Bigz Die - Daisy Blast
- Etchall®
 - Etching Cream (www.etchall.com)
 - Etchmask
- Beacon™ 3 in 1 Adhesive (www.beaconadhesives.com)
- Glass bottle
- Chinese paper lantern
- Krylon® spray paints
 - 3 or more coordinating colors (www.krylon.com)
- Scissors
- 1" hole punch

Instructions:

To make etched glass water bottle -

1. Die cut etchmask with Sizzix Daisy Blast die and Big Shot®.
2. Use “negative space” from die cut flower as a template.
3. For center of flower, punch circle from etchmask.
4. Following manufacturer instructions, etch flower with etchall cream.

For glass plates -

1. Die cut flowers from etchmask.
2. Apply 3 flowers to the back of each glass plate.
3. In a well ventilated location, place onto newspaper and gently/lightly spray with assorted colors spray paints allowing the colors to overlap slightly for an ombre effect.

For flower ball paper lantern -

1. Die cut multiple flowers from white card stock. (Approximately 60-80 for this lantern.)
2. Mount flowers, overlapping, with Beacon 3-in-1 Adhesive in center of flowers only.