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Welcome to my world

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Good Morning All,

There will be a sigh of relief going around various parts of the world at the moment, as the kids return to school after their long summer break – in these parts that will be on Tuesday. But I think that the heat wave will have made it a memorable summer for most, both here & across Europe.

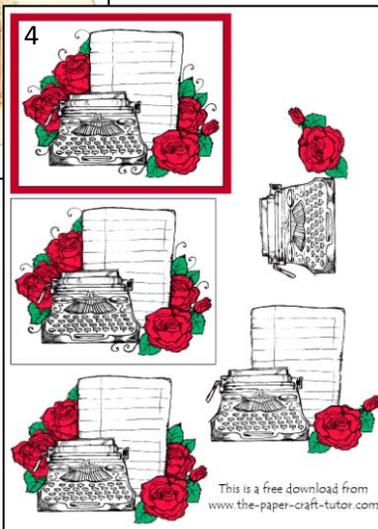
The kids returning to school is a signal for me to begin ramping up the rate of Christmas designs I upload each week, so I have spent a lot of time, particularly the two hour computer sessions I do first thing every morning, devoted to working on new seasonal designs for you.

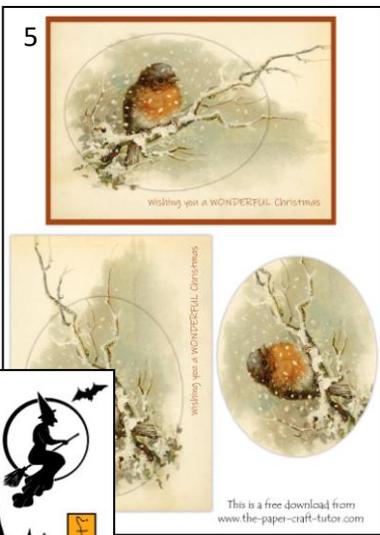
Image 1: Okay, having now uploaded two very basic paper collections in a row it is time for something different, so this is a pretty floral affair with a variegated colour background.

Image 2: The final sheet to complete this little quartet of intricate decoupaged toppers coming up for you in the coming week, & again you will probably need your craft knife to hand for the final layer.

Image 3: I have also spent a lot of my time working up new designs in this decoupage oval or circle format that you appear to like. The initial images were designed with the circular outline but now I am creating a false background for images, in order to create that effect.

But I have built up a good stock of them for





you now, so that will keep you going until you get bored with them!

Image 4: Here I have another sheet from the Vintage Office file for you, but one where I coloured in the floral arrangements around the machine. I particularly like how this one came out so created a full decoupage sheet from it.

Image 5: The first of the Christmas sheets for the coming week is this charming robin; I took the extended background idea from the circular decoupages & applied it here too, creating this really beautiful large decoupage card front. The bonus being it is also a real easy one for you to cut out!



Image 6: I designed a few Halloween sheets a few weeks ago & thought it was time to get them online.

I am severely limited with my resource images for the occasion I am afraid, as we don't really make or send Halloween cards here in the UK so I have never found the need to buy any more.

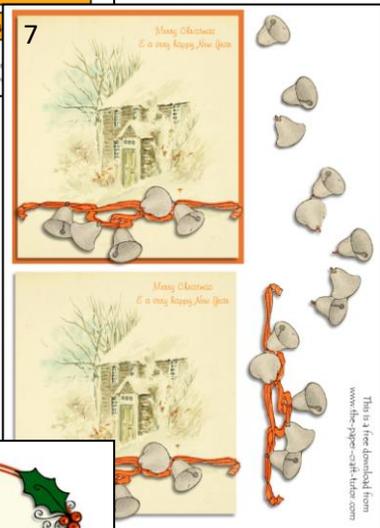


Image 7: The second Christmas sheet for the coming week is this pretty scenic one where like the robin design I have already added a greeting to the image for you.



Image 8: I was messing around with the various filters in the design package & came up with a way to make the poinsettia, having carefully coloured it first, look shiny & this is exactly the look I had in mind!

So I created these three large card toppers using the poinsettia & ivy leaves.....



Image 9:& as they came out so well I decided to reduce them in size so you could also use them as greetings on your projects too, or the larger of the two sizes would make great tags! I will upload Image 8 in the week for you, but Image 9 is the bonus sheet for this morning.

Rita x