

# Series 100

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Christina Mauch frames a vintage shabby chic page to create a beautiful piece of art.



# **Framed Page**

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Frame your beautiful scrapbook pages and display them for everyone to see! This is the perfect way to showcase your works of "heart", especially the ones with embellishments.



#### For this project you will need:

Elmer's® Craftbond™ Glue Spots – Medium

Elmer's® Craftbond™ Extra Strength Glue Stick

Elmer's® Craftbond™ Clear Glue Pen

Elmer's® Craftbond™ Tape Runner - Permanent

Elmer's® Self Stick Foam Board

Elmer's® Painter - Silver

X-ACTO® Craft Knife

X-ACTO® Metal Ruler

X-ACTO® Self Heal Craft Mat

X-ACTO® 12" Rotary Trimmer

X-ACTO® Precision Scissors

12" x 12" Patterned Paper

12" x 12" Cardstock - Burgundy (or other complimentary color)

8 ½" x 11" Silver Mirri Card (a shiny silver cardstock)

2 Blumenthal Lansing "Favorite Findings" White & Pink Clear glitter buttons

15" of 2 1/2" Wide Silver Ribbon

White Tulle

8" Ecru lace

**Chipboard Letter** 

2 Silver Chenille Stems

5" x 7" Photograph

Silk Flowers

**Optional**: Square Frame

1. Trim the background paper to 10" x 10" (or size of frame) using the rotary trimmer.

- 2. Use the craft knife and metal ruler to cut a 5" x 7" and a 10" x 10" piece of self stick foam board. Remove the backing paper to expose the adhesive then adhere the paper and the photograph to each of the foam board pieces.
- 3. Cut a 2 ¾" x 10" strip from the cardstock. Cut the silver mirri card ½" wider and longer than the photograph.
- 4. Paint the chipboard letter silver with the Painter including the edges.
- 5. **Tip**: You can use individual, or packaged flowers, but I used the flowers from a silk flower bush purchased in the floral dept of the craft store. Remove the stem and the center piece then re-assemble the petals. Fold a 1" piece of chenille into a "U" shape then poke the ends through the holes in a button then thru the center of the circles of petals. Bend the ends back. **Tip**: For extra texture, pinch a piece of tulle at the center then place this on top of the button. Trim ends as needed. You will need two flowers, one a little smaller than the other.
- 6. Bend the chenille stem in half then curl each end around the pen.

#### To assemble, glue:

- 1. The strip of burgundy cardstock across the foam board page about 1 ¼" from the bottom using the tape runner.
- 2. The silver ribbon across the center of the cardstock strip. Secure the ends to the back of the foam board with glue spots.
- 3. The photograph to the center of the silver mirri card with the glue stick then adhere to the page with the glue pen as shown.
- 4. The lace across the mirri card at the base of the photo with the glue pen. Use the small end to apply a thin line.
- 5. The chipboard letter and the flowers in place as shown then glue the end of the chenille stem between the ribbon and the cardstock behind the flower.
- 6. 10" 10" square of cardstock to the back of the foam board to finish. Display on a decorative easel, or place in a frame.

### **Happy Crafting!**

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