Directions:

Step 1: Cover & Spine

• Locate one sheet of Twelve Days of Christmas. On the “B” side, cut 2½” x 12” strips from both the left and right hand sides. Set these pieces aside for use in step 2. Now cut the remaining panel to 7” x 8½”. Adhere to the front cover so that there is a 1⁄8” border on the bottom, right and top.

• Now locate Swans a Swimming and cut a 6½” x 8½” panel to cover the spine and wrap evenly.

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Graphic 45® Supplies:

1 pack Twelve Days of Christmas DCE (4601741)
1 each Mixed Media Album—Red (4601790)

Additional Supplies:

1 piece 8½” x 11” Cardstock—cream or ivory
36” May Arts 1½” Silky crush ribbon—champagne
2 yards Seam binding ribbon—ivory
12” Metallic string—gold

Tools, Adhesives & Ink:

Paper trimmer, ruler, detail scissors, scoring tool, bone folder, wet & dry adhesive, foam adhesive, sanding block

*Optional: G45 Decades Ink Pad—Photogenic (or your favorite black ink) & blending tool, Crop-a-Dile® Corner Chomper Stub/Deco (for shaped corners)

Notes:

• All measurements are width x height unless specified.
• Optional: Ink paper and chipboard edges with ink and blending tool as you go.
• Before beginning, remove 4 vellum pages, 2 kraft pages, and 2 ivory pages from the album. We will use these to create tags and interactive elements within the album.
• Arrange the album so that each of the four sections begins with a vellum sheet, a kraft or ivory sheet and then the pocket/tab page.
• Create the album before creating the gift tags, or you will not have enough paper for both projects.
• Save the scraps (cut pieces) from this album to make the ATC Policy Envelope Gift Tags.
• Always work with cut pieces when possible to ensure that you will have all the papers you need to cover the album.
• Waste chipboard or cardboard packaging makes a good substitute for foam adhesives.
around the front and back covers. Center and adhere.

- Next, locate Joyeux Noel. Cut an 8¼” x 1¼” border strip with the holly leaves and “Seasons Greetings” sentiment. Center and adhere this strip over the Swans a Swimming border on the front cover.

Step 2: Front Cover Fussy Cuts Part 1
- Locate the off cuts from Twelve Days of Christmas (step 1). Use detail scissors to cut out several floral clusters. Save the off cuts for later use.

Step 3: Front Cover: Fussy Cuts Part 2
- Locate one sheet of Five Golden Rings. Trim off all the borders. Cut a 3” x 10” strip from the left side and a 2¼” x 10” strip from the right. Fussy cut floral clusters from these two strips. From the last piece, fussy cut the word “Peace.”
- Next, cut a 4½” X 6½”” panel from the “B” side and back with foam adhesive.

Step 4: Front Cover
- Locate the large Twelve Days of Christmas Frame and Insert on the chipboard sheet. Back this with 3 layers of foam adhesive.
- Now, using the empty space on the chipboard sheet as template, trace 2 shapes onto the “B” side of Swans a Swimming. Cut out and set one shape aside for later use in Step 18. Cut the other shape in half from left to right and set aside for use in Step 5.

Step 5: Front Cover Embellishment Assembly
- Locate the following: All the fussy cut images from steps 2 & 3, the shape you traced in step 4, the 4¼” x 6½” panel from Five Golden Rings, and the “Twelve Days of Christmas” image from Holly and Ivy. Place a layer of foam adhesive in the center/back side of this image. (Leave room around the edges to add fussy cut flowers).
- Center and adhere one half of the traced shape behind the top and bottom edge of “Twelve Days of Christmas” image.
- Center and adhere the fussy cut word “PEACE” on the bottom traced shape and a holly sprig on the top traced shape.
- Adhere the prepared chipboard Frame and insert on “The Twelve Days of Christmas: image.
- Center and adhere “The Twelve Days of Christmas” image to the 4¼” x 6½” panel of Five Golden Rings.
- Center and adhere this entire assembly to the front of the album cover.

Step 6: Front Cover
- Arrange the fussy cut flower images around the central image. Use foam adhesive to add dimension.
Step 7: Front Inside Cover
• Locate one sheet of Christmas Rose, the “Glad Tidings” image from Holly and Ivy, the “Joyeux Noel” journaling sticker, and one of the ivory pages removed from the album.
• Trim the hole punches from the ivory sheet so that it measures 6” x 8¼”. Score in half on the long side and fold to create a folio insert. Adhere “Glad Tidings” to the front.
• Cut Christmas Rose to measure 7¾” x 11”. Score on the long side at 2¾”. Place adhesive on the sides only of the 2¾” flap. Fold to form a pocket. Center and adhere to the inside album cover. Insert the folio in the pocket. Adhere the “Joyeux Noel” sticker on the pocket flap.
• From the sticker sheet, take the pear border. Cut into (2) 6” strips and adhere one at the top and bottom of the vellum sheet.
• Now locate “The Twelve Days of Christmas” sticker and frame. Center and adhere on the 6” x 1¼” panel in the center of the vellum sheet.
• Turn the vellum page over and place adhesive only on the areas that are covered by images or stickers. This way, the adhesive will not show through the vellum sheet. We will use this technique on each vellum overlay page.
• Center the vellum sheet over the ivory page and press to adhere.

Step 8: Back Inside Cover
• Cut an 8¾” x 8¼” panel of Christmas Rose. Score on the long side at 6¾”. Fold and adhere the top and bottom edges to form a side pocket. Center and adhere inside cover as shown.
• Now, on the “B” side cut (2) 3” x 6” panels from the right side of Ladies Dancing. Set the rest of this piece aside for Step 29.
• Locate the cream cardstock and cut (2) 3½” x 6¼” mats. Adhere the patterned paper to the cardstock and insert in the side pocket.

Step 9: Page 1: Vellum Overlay on an Ivory Page
• Cut a 6” x 8” panel from the “B” side of Twelve Days of Christmas. Center and adhere to the first ivory page in the album. Cut a second panel to 6” x 1¾”. Then adhere the panel to the center of the vellum overlay sheet as shown in the next image.
• From the sticker sheet, take the pear border. Cut into (2) 6” strips and adhere one at the top and bottom of the vellum sheet.
• Now locate “The Twelve Days of Christmas” sticker and frame. Center and adhere on the 6” x 1¼” panel in the center of the vellum sheet.
• Turn the vellum page over and place adhesive only on the areas that are covered by images or stickers. This way, the adhesive will not show through the vellum sheet. We will use this technique on each vellum overlay page.
• Center the vellum sheet over the ivory page and press to adhere.

Step 10: Pages 2 & 3
• Cut a 3½” x 7” panel from the “B” side of Swans a Swimming. Adhere 3 sides to Page 2, forming a pocket.
• Now mat the “Partridge in a Pear Tree” sticker on cream cardstock and adhere only the shaped edge to the bottom of the pocket.
• Locate the pink “Merry” chipboard. Tie ribbon through the hole and adhere at the top of the page.
• Gather the following: 1 sheet of Turtle Doves, “First Day of Christmas” image from Holly and Ivy, Pear Chipboard Charm, green plaid chipboard button, and 1 reserved ivory page.
• Cut *Turtle Doves* in this order: First cut the left border and trim between the words “my” and “true”. Then cut the bottom border and the top. Measuring from the left, cut a 6” x 10” panel. Then cut (2) 6” x 2¾” panels from the top. Set the Partridge image and the pear image aside for use in Step 11. Adhere the “B” side to the pocket flap, but do not cover the hole. Adhere one border strip at the top of the page and the other on the pocket. Run ribbon through the Pear Charm and adhere to the pocket.

• Trim the hole punched edge from the ivory page and fold in half. Adhere the image from *Holly and Ivy* to the front of the folio and insert in pocket. Run ribbon through the chipboard button and adhere to the tab.

Step 11: Pages 4 & 5

• Page 4: Gather the following: 6” x 2¾” Partridge panel and the pear image cut in Step 10. Trim the pear image to 4¼” x 4”. 6” border strip from *Turtle Doves*, cream cardstock.

• Adhere the 6” x 2¾” panel to the pocket flap. Adhere the border strip along the top edge.

• Now cut cream cardstock to measure 8¼” x 4¼”. Score in half on the long side (4¼”) and fold to create a top fold flap element. Adhere the 4” x 4” panel of *Turtle Doves* on the front, then center and adhere the folio to the top half of the pocket page.

• Gather the following: Pear Tree, “Joy/My True Love” sentiment sticker, Poinsettia ticket chipboard.

• Page 5: Cut a 4¼” x 8¼” panel of from Pear Tree and adhere to page 5, leaving the left hand edge open to form a pocket. Adhere the “Joy” sticker along the bottom edge and the chipboard charm in the upper right hand corner.

Step 12: Pages 6 & 7

• Cut a 12” x 2½” border strip from *Joyeux Noel*. Cut into two 6” panels. Place adhesive on sides and bottom then adhere to each page to form tuck spots.

• Locate the Holly Garland Border Sticker. Trim into (2) 6” pieces. Adhere at the top of each page.

Step 13: Pages 8 & 9

• Cut the “3 French Hens” border strip from *Joyeux Noel*. Trim into (2) 6” border strips. Adhere one strip at the bottom of page 8; adhere the other at the top of page 9.

• Locate Pear Tree. Cut (2) 4¼” x 6” panels and adhere one on each page.

• Locate the Green Plaid Pear Tags from the Sticker sheet. Adhere one on each photo mount as seen in photo.
Step 14: Pages 10 & 11: Pocket Page & Vellum Overlay

- Page 10: Remove the borders from a sheet of Calling Birds. From the left cut a 5” x 10” panel. Score on the long side at 8”. Place adhesive on the sides of the scored flap and fold to form a pocket. Adhere to center of page.
- Trim a border strip to measure 5” x 1”. Adhere to the pocket flap.
- Run ribbon through the Calling Birds Chipboard Charm. Adhere to pocket.

- Page 11: Cut a 6” x 8½” panel from the “B” side of Calling Birds. Center and adhere to the kraft page. Locate the “Deck the Halls” 4” x 6” image from Holly and Ivy. Center and adhere to the front of the vellum overlay page.
- Locate the “Joy” Chipboard charm. Run ribbon through the top and adhere to the vellum page.
- Adhere the back side of the vellum page to the ivory page as we did in step 9.

Step 15: Pages 12 & 13

- Gather the following: Pear Tree, “Be Merry” pink chipboard charm.
- Page 12: Cut a 3⅜” x 7⅞” panel from Pear Tree. Run ribbon through the chipboard charm and adhere to the top of the page.
- Page 13: Cut a 12” x 2⅝” border strip from Joyeux Noel, and adhere to the pocket flap, wrapping it around the page to the cover the pocket flap on page 14. Repeat this process with the “Joyeux Noel” blue border sticker, adding it at the top of the page.
- Trim the hole punched edge away from the kraft page. Score on the long side at 4⅛” and fold to form a 4⅜” x 6” side fold folio. Cut a 3” x 6” panel from the “B” side of Twelve Days and a border strip from Five Golden Rings. Line the interior of the folio with these. Then find the “Happy Holidays” image from Holly and Ivy. Trim to 3⅜” x 5⅞” and adhere to front of folio. Tuck in the pocket. Adhere the “Dec. 25th” chipboard on page tab.

Step 16: Pages 14 & 15

- Page 14: Cut a reserved vellum page to measure 4⅜” x 8⅞”. Score on the long side at 4” and fold to create a 4⅛” x 4” top fold flap element.
- Cut (2) 4⅛” x 3⅝” panels from the “B” side of Calling Birds. Adhere to the front of the flap and on the top half of the flap interior. Cut a 4⅛” border strip, center and adhere to the flap front.
- Cut a 4⅛” x 4” panel of Calling Birds, and adhere to the bottom half of the flap interior. Center and adhere the flap above the pocket.
- Page 15: Now adhere 3 sides of a 3” x 8¼” panel of Calling Birds to form a pocket. Locate the “Making a List” image from Holly and Ivy. Insert in pocket.
- Locate the Blue Border/Red Bird chipboard charm and adhere at the bottom of the pocket.
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Step 17: Pages 16 & 17
- Cut the rose border from *Joyeux Noel* into (2) 6” strips. Adhere 3 sides to the bottom of each page to form tuck spots.
- Tuck the “5 Golden Rings” image from *Holly and Ivy* into page 17.
- Locate the “5 Golden Rings” and “6 Geese Laying” chipboard charms. Adhere to the pages as seen in the photo.

Step 18: Pages 18 & 19
- Locate *My True Love* and *Drummers Drumming*. Cut (1) 5” x 7” panel from each pattern. Center and adhere on the pages.
- From the sticker sheet, locate the “Merry” tag and adhere in the upper corner of page 18. Then locate the “Imagine” tab and adhere to the center right of page 19.

Step 19: Pages 20 & 21
- Fold out page and vellum overlay page. (Shown in following photo.)
- Page 20: Trim all the borders from one sheet of *Five Golden Rings*. Cut a 10” x 8½” panel. Score on the long side at 4⅛”. Fold to form a flap. Center and adhere to page. Cut a 3¼” x 4⅛” panel of Pear Tree and adhere to the bottom of the flap.
- Page 21: Locate the Swans Swimming shape you traced in Step 5. Trim the right and bottom borders from a sheet of Swans Swimming, and cut a 5” x 7” panel. Find the “Nine Ladies Dancing” circular sticker.
- Adhere the Swans Swimming panel to the ivory page. Then center and adhere the traced shape to the vellum overlay page. Place the sticker in the center. Place adhesive on the back side of the vellum page and adhere to the ivory page.

Step 20: Pages 22 & 23
- Page 22: Adhere three sides of a 3” x 8” panel of *Calling Birds* to form a pocket. Locate the “Peace” sticker tag and adhere to the bottom of the pocket.
- Page 23: Cut a 12” x 3” border from *Joyeux Noel* into (2) 6” x 3” pieces. Save one piece for step 21. Adhere the other piece to the pocket flap. Locate the “Joyeux Noel” image from *Holly and Ivy*. Insert in pocket. Locate the Red Gingham Chipboard Button. Thread with ribbon and adhere to the page tab.
Step 21: Pages 24 & 25
• Page 24: Adhere the 6” x 3” border strip you cut from Joyeux Noel in Step 20 to the pocket flap.
• Take a Vellum page and cut into (2) 3” x 6¼” panels.
• Cut a 2¾” x 6” piece from Christmas Rose. Adhere to one of the vellum mats. Locate the “Believe” Tab Sticker. Mat on a scrap of paper and adhere the bottom edge at the top of the tag insert. Insert in pocket.
• Page 25: Locate a sheet of Ladies Dancing. Trim away the left hand and bottom border strips. Then cut a 6” x 8” panel and adhere to page 25. Adhere a 6” border strip near the bottom edge of the page.
• Use the off cut from the above piece to cut a 2¾” x 6” panel from the “B” side. Mat this on the other vellum tag insert. Locate the Christmas Rose circular sticker. Place half at the top of the vellum tag insert. Fold the other half over the top and around the back. Insert in the pocket on page 24.

Step 22: Pages 26 & 27
• Page 26: Cut a 4¼” x 5” panel from the “B” side of Swans a Swimming. Adhere to the page, referring to the photo for placement. Adhere the green Christmas Rose Ticket sticker to the left of the photo mat.
• Now cut a 6” x 1¾” panel from Golden Rings. (Image may vary.) Adhere 3 sides to form a tuck spot.
• Page 27: Adhere the bottom edge and left side of a 3” x 6” panel of Swans a Swimming in the lower right hand corner of the page. Adhere the other green Christmas Rose ticket stamp to the right of this photo mount.
• Cut a 4¾” x 6¼” panel from reserved vellum page. Adhere a 4” x 5½” panel from Turtle Dove and insert in tuck spot.

Step 23: Pages 28 & 29: Pocket Page & Vellum Overlay Page
• Page 28: Cut a 6” x 12” panel from My True Love. Score on the long side at 3¾” . Place adhesive on the sides of the 3¾” flap and fold to form a pocket.
• Locate a 6” x 1” border strip from Swans a Swimming and adhere near the bottom edge of the pocket. Then locate the “Joy” Sticker Tag and adhere on the right hand side of the pocket.
• Page 29: Cut a 5” x 6¾” panel from the “B” side of Swans a Swimming and adhere to the ivory page.
• Locate the “12 Drummers Drumming” journal card from Holly and Ivy. Center and adhere to the vellum page. Locate the “11 Pipers Piping” sticker ticket. Adhere to the left of the image. Place adhesive on the back side of the vellum sheet as before and adhere to the ivory page.
Step 24: Pages 30 & 31
• Page 30: Cut a 6” x 8¼” panel from Twelve Days of Christmas. Adhere to the page. Locate the “12 Drummers” ticket sticker and adhere along the right hand edge.
• Page 31: Adhere a 6” x 3” panel from the “B” side of Twelve Days of Christmas to the pocket flap. Locate the “Be Merry” image from Holly and Ivy. Insert in the pocket. Locate the Red Plaid Chipboard Button. Thread with ribbon and adhere to the tab.

Step 25: Pages 32 & 33
• Page 32: Cut a 6” x 1” border strip from Drummers Drumming. Cut a 6” x 3” panel from the “B” side of My True Love. Adhere both to the pocket flap.
• Locate a reserved kraft page. Trim to measure 5” x 8¼”. Score in half on the long side and fold to create a 5” x 4 ½” top fold flap.
• From the “B” side of Drummers Drumming, cut a 4 ⅛” x 3 ⅛” panel and a 4 ⅛” x 4” panel. Adhere the smaller panel to the flap front and the larger one inside the flap. Center and adhere the flap above the pocket. Locate the Pear/Stripe chipboard and adhere to front of the flap.
• Page 33: Cut a 6” x 8¼” panel of My True Love. Adhere to page.

Step 26: Pages 34 & 35
• Page 34: Adhere a 6” x 7¾” panel from the “B” side of Drummers Drumming.
• Page 35: Cut an 8¼” x 8¼” panel of Pear Tree. Score vertically at 6”. Place adhesive on the top and bottom edge of the scored flap. Fold to form a side pocket. Insert the “Seasons Greetings/Maids Milking” image from Holly and Ivy into the pocket. Locate the green photo corner stickers and add to the pocket corners.

Step 27: Pages 36 & 37
• Page 36: Cut a 3¾” x 8¼” panel from Christmas Rose. Adhere 3 sides to form a pocket. Locate the “Turtle Doves” chipboard tag. Add ribbon and adhere at the bottom of the pocket.
• Page 37: Cut a 4¼” x 6¼” panel from the “B” side of Christmas Rose. Center and adhere. Locate the red photo corner stickers and add to the page corners.
Step 28: Pages 38 & 39
• Cut (2) 6” x 6½” panels from the “B” side of *Joyeux Noel*. Center and adhere one panel on each page. Then cut (2) 6” x 1” strips from *My True Love* off cuts. Place one on each photo mount, about ½” from the bottom.

Step 29: Page 40
• Cut a 9” x 8” panel from *Ladies Dancing*. Score on the long side at 3”. Fold to form a flap. Adhere to the page. Then locate “Making a List” from *Holly and Ivy*. Place adhesive only on the left hand side and adhere to the flap.

Step 30: Spine
• Locate the May Arts champagne ribbon, the square holly chipboard and 12” of gold metallic string. Loop the string through the top of the chipboard and tie the ends in a knot. Then wrap the champagne ribbon around the spine so that the loose ends are at the top. Tie a simple knot. Slip the chipboard charm over one loose ribbon end, then tie a bow.

This completes the Mixed Media Album.
Twelve Days of Christmas: Holiday Gift Tag Envelopes

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Graphic 45® Supplies:
1 pack Twelve Days of Christmas DCE (4501741)
1 pack ATC Policy Envelopes Red (4501261)

Additional Supplies:
2 yards Seam binding ribbon—ivory

Tools, Adhesives & Ink:
Paper trimmer, ruler, detail scissors, ½” circle punch, wet & dry adhesive, foam adhesive, sanding block

*Optional: G45 Decades Ink Pad—Photogenic or your favorite black ink & blending tool, Crop-a-Dile® Corner Chomper Stub/Deco (for shaped corners)

Notes:
- All measurements are width x height unless specified
- *Optional—Ink paper & chipboard embellishments with ink and blending tool

Note: Refer to images on the following page for the remaining steps:

Step 1: Gather the following materials: (3) 1¾” x 3¼” pieces of My True Love (B Side), (3) 1¾” x 3” pieces of My True Love (A Side). From the sticker sheet: “1st, 2nd, 3rd Day of Christmas” Tickets; “1 Pear Tree”, “2 Turtle Doves”, “3 French Hens” tiles. Chipboard: 1 red flower, 1 blue snowflake, square holly.

Step 2: Locate the 3 “Create” ATC policy envelopes. Punch (3) ½” circles from the “B” side of Pear Tree and adhere to the string tab grommet. Center and adhere the 1¾” x 3¼” pieces of My True Love to the front of each envelope.

Step 3: Locate the 1¾” x 3” pieces of My True Love and add foam adhesive to the back of each piece. Adhere just to the right of the first layer.

Step 4: Locate the Ticket Stickers “1st, 2nd, 3rd Day of Christmas.” Place foam adhesive on the left hand side of each ticket then adhere along the left hand side of each envelope. Refer to photo for placement.

Step 5: Locate the 1 Pear Tree, 2 Turtle Doves and 3 French Hens Number Tile Stickers. Back with foam adhesive and adhere on the right hand side of each envelope.

Step 6: Locate the blue snowflake, square holly and red flower chips from the chipboard sheet. Adhere each chip at the top of each tag. Adhere a bow in the lower right hand corner of the envelope.

Step 7: Punch (3) ½” circles from Twelve Days of Christmas. Now gather the following elements: (3) 1¾” x 3¾” pieces from the “B” side of Twelve Days of Christmas, (3) 1¾” x 3” pieces from Pear Tree. From the sticker sheet remove the green button, “8 Maids a Milking” image, “8 Maids” number tile, “10 Lords Leaping” image, Christmas sentiment, “Dec. 25th” journal tag and frame. From the chipboard sheet: red flower and 2 blue snowflakes.

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Step 8: Adhere the papers to the envelope fronts just as you did in steps 2 & 3. Adhere the ⅛” circles to the string tie grommets.

Step 9: Add foam adhesive to the backs of the “Maids Milking”, “Lords Leaping” and “Dec. 25th” stickers. Adhere the images using the photo as a guide. Cut the green button sticker in half. Adhere one half beside the “Dec. 25th” sticker and the other half beside the Lords a Leaping sticker. Place foam adhesive on the “8 Maids Milking” number tile sticker and adhere to the left hand side of Maids Milking Image. Adhere chipboard snowflakes and red flower chips. Adhere the bow in the lower right hand corner.

Step 10: Gather the following: 3 Unique ATC Policy Envelopes, (3) 1⅜” x 3⅛” pieces from the “B” side of Drummers Drumming, (3) 1⅜” x 3⅛” pieces from the “B” side of Pear Tree. From the chipboard sheet: red flower, square holly chips. From the sticker sheet: “5 Golden Rings” postage stamp and number tile, Red Button, “Merry and Bright” sentiment, “7 Swans Swimming” stamp and number tile, “December 25th” sentiment, “6 Geese Laying” postage stamp and number tile, “Cheer” tag.

Step 11: Assemble the gift tag envelopes as before. Envelope 1: foam adhesive to the back of the “5 Golden Rings” postage stamp sticker and adhere along the left edge of the Pear Tree panel. Cut the red button sticker in half. Place half on each side of the postage stamp. Place the “Merry and Bright” sticker along the bottom edge of the Pear Tree panel. Place foam adhesive on the back of the “7 Swans” number tile and adhere at the top of the panel. Envelope 2: Place foam adhesive on the back of the “6 Geese” stamp and adhere over the “Cheers” tag. Adhere this on the right hand edge of the Pear Tree Panel. Place foam adhesive on the back of the “6 Geese” number tile and adhere at the lower left corner of the postage stamp. Envelope 3: Place foam adhesive on the back of the “7 Swans Swimming” postage stamp. Adhere in the center of the Pear Tree panel. Place foam adhesive on the back of the “7 Swans” number tile and adhere at the top of the panel. Adhere the chipboard and bows on each envelope.

This completes the ATC Policy Envelope Gift Tags!