Watercolor technique using dye inks

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Stamp your image onto watercolor paper using permanent ink.

Squeeze your closed ink pad so that the inside of the cover or lid makes contact with the ink pad. This will print some ink onto the inside of the lid creating a paint pallette.

OR - squeeze one or two drops of ink from a reinker onto a small plastic plate.



Using a wide soft brush, brush a small amount of clean water onto the watercolor paper covering the stamped image and surrounding area. Do not use too much, you basically just want it damp.

Using a small round soft brush, dip it into clean water and then pick up ink from your "paint pallette" and paint your stamped image as desired. Do not touch the brush onto the actual ink pad as this will be adding water to the pad.

Clean brush between colors. Layer and finish card as desired.