



multi-photo masterpieces

Holidays tend to bring out the shutterbug in almost everyone. With so many photos, we can often get overwhelmed creating a design to showcase our photographs. In this issue our creative team shares layouts with multiple photos, and we think you will be inspired to knock out your holiday scrapbooking with these masterful ideas. BY SUSAN R. OPEL

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the challenge: Create beautiful layouts with many photos!



gift exchange

Seeing Christmas through the eyes of a child is magical, but even when those children are older, a layout sharing your annual gift exchange is really fun! Not only will you snap photos of the family spending time together, but it will also be interesting to see how tastes, styles, and even technology change in the years to come.

merry christmas

BY WENDY SUE ANDERSON

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circle it up

Switch things up from photos with hard edges. Soften those edges into a fun circle! Nicole created this Christmas compilation layout with seven circular photos in a modified grid design. Her photos are grounded on patterned paper squares and their white scalloped frames lend a sense of unity to her overall layout.

DESIGN TIP: Tie your design together with poinsettias in a perfect triangle achieving the rule of thirds with panache.

sights of the season

BY NICOLE NOWOSAD

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DESIGN TIP: Layer each card on top of the next to create continuity across the page.

DESIGN TIP: Use banners to add a punch of colour and ground the title.

year in review

Reflect on a year with one photo for each month. A baby, a pandemic, and a move across several states made for an epic 2020 for the Andrew family! Take stock of 2021 and show off one picture per month with one defining sentence. Enjoy the process and add cute clips and stars to highlight the passage of another year.

hello 2020

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go with a grid

Take the guesswork out of designing and feature five photos on one page in a grid. The sixth section of the grid is set aside for your title and journaling. Easy peasy and fun at the same time!

DESIGN TIP: Nathalie's monochromatic use of blue is the perfect backdrop for her stunning snowy photos. Her layering of blue patterned papers in different saturations makes this layout a standout.

winter weather is better together

BY NATHALIE DESOUSA

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DESIGN TIP: As the years pass, consider gathering photos from annual events and create a comparison layout to see how things have changed since the tradition began.



double-page delight

Tell the story of treasured holiday traditions with a beautiful double-page layout. Victoria's family loves to dress up each December and attend the Nutcracker ballet. It's a gorgeous night on the town, so capture those memories with photos of the family all gussied up and dedicate a spread to this yearly celebration.

christmas

BY VICTORIA CALVIN

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quilt squares

Create a cozy quilt of photos. The holidays often evoke a warm and cozy feeling, so share nine photos on one layout that resembles a popular quilt pattern. We love how Erica took this concept, and then turned it 45 degrees to the left for a jaunty and unexpected angle.

DESIGN TIP: Tie your quilt design together with white margins on all the photos and patterned paper squares. Even the word *noel* is outlined in white for a truly cohesive feel.

noel

BY ERICA THOMPSON

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