



## Mayco Projects Library Essence of Christmas

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Miscellaneous Non-Mayco Supplies

Pencil

Paper Towel

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### *Project Description:*

Liven up the holidays with this fun serving plate created with Stroke & Coat and Liquid Mask.

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*Designer:* Mayco Colors

*Project Time Span:* 1 1/2 Hours

*Skill Level:* Basic

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*Instructions:* Project instructions below. Mayco encourages you to vary colors, patterns and techniques to create your own designs.

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1. Begin with properly fired shelf cone 04 [Bisque](#). Moisten a clean [Sponge](#) and wipe [Bisque](#) to remove any dust.
2. Using a CB-604 # 4 Soft Fan, apply 2 [Coats](#) of SC-6 Sunkissed to the front of plate and around edges. Allow to dry.
3. Using a CB-604 # 4 Soft Fan, apply 3 [Coats](#) of SC-73 Candy Apple Red to the back of plate. Allow to dry.
4. With a pencil and AC-230 Clay Carbon Paper, trace the tree pattern on the plate.

5. Condition a CB-110 # 10 Liner by wetting the brush in water and squeezing out any excess water. Load the brush with AC-525 Brush Cleaner then squeeze between a paper towel. Apply 2 [Coats](#) of AC-303 Liquid Mask to the tree and star on top of tree.
  6. Using a CB-604 # 4 Soft Fan, apply 1 coat of SC-73 Candy Apple Red to the front of plate and over edges.
  7. To create darker edges on top and bottom, use a CB-604 # 4 Soft Fan and apply 1 coat of SC-73 Candy Apple Red, blending in SC-74 Hot Tamale and a little SC-3 Wine About It, as you get out off center on the front of the plate.
  8. While the above coat is still very wet use the BT-901 Small Clean-Up Tool to lightly scrap red off to make smaller stars. Be careful to not scrape of yellow.
  9. While last coat of red is still damp, use the BT-901 Small Clean-Up Tool to peel up an edge of the AC-303 Liquid Mask and pull it off of the tree and star.
  10. Allow to dry.
  11. Stilt and fire to shelf cone O6
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## PROJECT PATTERN

