

## **Instructions for Old Town Albuquerque Pop-up Card**

Print the card on regular printer paper. Fold the card down the center vertical fold line, then open the card out flat. Using a bone folder (or the blunt rounded edge of a table knife), score all the vertical lines between the photos and on the outer edges of the photos. Turn the paper 90 degrees.

With a sharp X-acto knife, cut all the bold horizontal lines across the tops of the photo boxes; then cut the bold horizontal line across the bottom under the photos (not quite all the way to the side of the frame).

Make "mountain folds" (pointing up or toward the front) on the solid vertical lines between photos; make "valley folds" (pointing back or toward the back) on the dotted lines at the edges of photos. (If you're uncertain at any point, refer to the photo of the finished card.)

Carefully fold the card in half so all the folds point to the open edges. Press down and crease the folds as flat as possible.

Take a piece of heavy card stock and fold it in half to make a stiff backing 8 ½" by 5 ½". Tuck the folded photo card inside the folded card stock so the middle folds meet. Use rubber cement on the back of the photo card to glue it to the card stock. Hint: do one side at a time; make sure the folds in the center are exactly together, and smooth the paper out from the center to the edge; fold the card closed to check alignment. Glue the other side the same way.