

16. Martin McGuirk's Vermont Bridge



The scenic highlight of the Central Vermont's Richford Branch was the crossing of the Missisquoi River at Sheldon Junction, Vt. The photo shows my HO rendition of this scene. The bridges are slightly modified Central Valley through truss bridges. The scenery was made using a foamboard base covered with sifted dirt and tile grout with static grass. The trees are mostly Super trees with a variety of fall color flocking applied. The water is an MDF base that was sponge painted with a variety of browns and green acrylic paints. The water ripple "textures" were created using several coats of artists gel medium applied with a sea sponge. The clouds and sky were added in photoshop. *Marty McGuirk*