

CUT-OUT MODEL OF THE HOLY CITY

Materials:

- Crayons, water colors, or colored pencils
- Cotton balls
- Optional: Use green or blue fabric (or paper) as a backdrop for the holy city
- Gold foil paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Optional: A clear drinking glass or glass bowl

Coloring Directions:

Paint or color foundation and step at gate. Outline the gate and the keystone in same color.

1. Gad - jacinth – violet color
2. Simeon - topaz – golden yellow
3. Reuben - sardius - ruby red
4. Judah - emerald - bright green
5. Issachar - amethyst - deep purple
6. Zebulon - beryl - greenish yellow
7. Naphtali - chrysophrasus – blue-green stone
8. Asher - chalcedony - turquoise blue or light purple
9. Dan - sapphire - dark blue
10. Benjamin - jasper – gleaming white
11. Manasseh - chrysolite - yellow
12. Ephraim - sardonyx - red orange (or show with bands of red and white)

If you wish, you could color the windows light blue and the turrets yellow or gold.

Cutting Directions:

Read all directions on sheet before cutting.

1. With sharp pointed scissors cut the T- sections apart.
2. Cut the outline.
3. Cut out the gates. “And the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day....”
4. Paste sections together and fold.
5. Fluff out cotton to make pretty clouds. Fold out paper clouds and set over cotton.
6. Cut out a square of gold paper, then set the Holy City model on top of it.
7. Place the green or blue cloth (or paper) on a flat surface to serve as the backdrop.
8. Place your clear drinking glass (or glass bowl) upside down toward the rear of your backdrop (green or blue cloth or paper), in the middle.
9. Put the “Holy Jerusalem” on top of the glass tumbler or bowl.

Color John as you like - a white inner garment. Cut out and stand him up looking at the Holy City from below as if he is watching it coming down from heaven.

Color and cut out the Throne of God.

1. Throne — gold or yellow
2. Lamb — leave white
3. The Word — leave white with a red edge
4. Alpha and Omega (above the Lamb) — red
5. Steps — gold or yellow
6. Fold and insert in the middle of gold square

