

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING A DIORAMA OF JOHN SEEING THE HOLY CITY

Materials: 1 shoebox, 1 piece of blue paper, 1 sheet green paper (with one side cut to suggest hills), colored cloth, 1 triangle-shaped white cloth, 2 strands of wool, cotton, 4 pipe cleaners, and 1 picture of the Golden City.

1. Take 2 pipe cleaners and, holding them together, bend them in two places as shown.



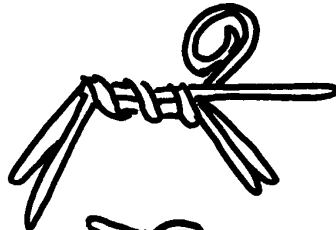
2. Lay a third pipe cleaner along the top or center part of the first two.



3. Holding the three together with one hand, wrap the fourth pipe-cleaner around the middle section three times to hold them firmly together.



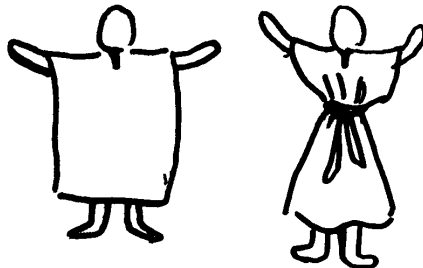
4. Wrap the rest of the fourth pipe cleaner around your finger as many times as it will go, to make the beginning of the head. Then wrap the long piece still sticking out around that to make the head bigger.



5. Straighten the head up, the arms out and the legs down. Bend the tips of the legs for feet, and there is your man!



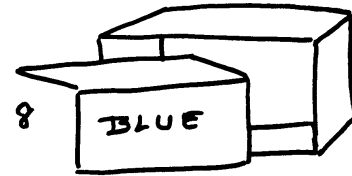
6. Take the piece of colored cloth and put the head of the man through the slit in the middle. Gather cloth in at the waist and tie with one of the pieces of yarn.



7. Place the triangle of white cloth over the head with the long side in front. Wrap the other piece of yarn around the head twice and tie. Bend the figure at knees, spreading the feet a little to make it kneel.



8. Take the blue sheet of paper and fold to fit the back and top of the inside of the box. Glue it in place.



9. Fold the green paper on the crease, and paste to the inside bottom of the box, with the curved edge folded up to make hills.

10. Glue the picture of the Golden City high up on the right side of the blue sky.

Pull the cotton apart so it is light and fluffy, and glue pieces of it around to City to make clouds in the sky. You could also glue a little piece of cotton on the chin of the man for a beard, if you like.

Place the kneeling figure of John on the green floor of the box, on the left side, turned inward toward the City.

