

## MAKING A MODEL OF THE ARK OF THE COVENANT

### *Materials (for one model)*

small empty matchbox  
8 x 1.5 inch heavy paper (*gold if possible*)  
rectangle of paper (*cut to fit*) to cover top of matchbox  
2 small 6 inch dowels  
cherubim figures (*see pattern included*)  
clear-drying glue (*Tacky glue works well*)  
gold metallic marker and/or spray paint

### *Procedure*

- 1) Wrap the paper strip around the matchbox, so that the top edge of the paper is flush with the top of the matchbox. Overlap the side edges of the paper at one corner of the matchbox. Crease the paper at the corners, and glue paper in place.
- 2) If the paper is gold, glue the rectangle of paper in place on the top of the matchbox. If the paper is white, spray paint the paper and the top of the matchbox with gold spray paint.
- 3) Paint the dowels gold and color the cherubim.
- 4) Center the gold dowels, and glue to the long sides of the matchbox.
- 5) Cut out the cherubim (see 2 copies of template below) and fold in half. Fold the tabs out, and glue to the top of the matchbox.



