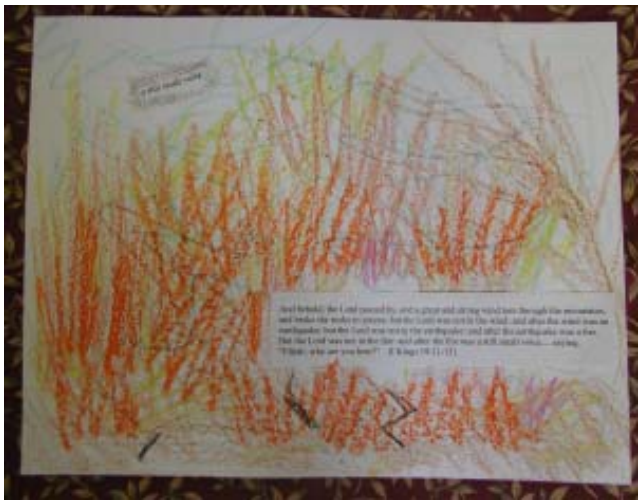
# Make: What Elijah Saw and Heard

## *I Kings 19:1-18: Out of the Cave*

Make a picture to show what Elijah saw on the mountain. The children will layer colors on top of each other to represent the wind, the earthquake and the fire. This may look very messy! The idea is to create a dramatic effect. And then Elijah heard a still small voice. Decorate the text slip "a still small voice" with glitter to make it special, just as the Lord's voice is special. Glue the text slip over the wind, earthquake and fire. To finish the project, add a story text slip so that parents can review the events with their children as they look at the picture.



***Supplies Needed for Each Student***

- large piece of paper
- crayons in various colors
- glitter
- "Still small voice" text slip (cut apart ahead of time—see attached sheet)
- full quotation text slip (cut apart ahead of time—see attached sheet)
- glue
- glitter tray (baking sheet, large shallow pan)

***Project Directions***

1. Give each child a large piece of paper and invite them to draw the wind that Elijah saw on Mount Horeb. What color is the wind? What can we see when it is windy? This was a big wind—be sure to fill the whole page!

2. What did Elijah see next? Let's draw the earthquake! What does an earthquake look like? The ground shakes and sometimes things fall. What color should we use?

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3. Now invite them to draw the fire. Let's draw the flames shooting up into the sky. How big was the fire? Do you think it was big enough to fill this whole page? How hot was it?

4. And after all of these things, Elijah heard a still small voice. Whose voice was it? (the Lord's) Give each child a text slip with "a still small voice" written on it. Let's decorate the still small voice to show that it was the Lord speaking to Elijah. Have each child spread glue around the edges of the slip, and then sprinkle glitter on the glue over a glitter tray. (For easy clean-up, shake the glitter to the corner of the tray and put it back into the container for next time.)

5. Glue "a still small voice" on to the picture to show that the Lord's voice was more powerful than all of the other things Elijah saw because He was in it.

6. Glue the text slip that tells the story on to the page. Tell them to ask their parents to read it to them again later.

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