

PRECIOUS POSSESSIONS

Craft Instructions Yisra'el's Camp-Part 2 Numbers 4

Materials:

- Craft from previous week's parsha (If you did NOT complete that craft, then do both this week as this week's adds to last week's)
- Card stock - white
- Coloring pencils, crayons or markers
- Small scrap of blue felt
- Toothpicks (2)
- Small scrap of leather, vinyl or pleather
- Hot glue
- Tacky glue
- A drinking straw
- Optional: craft knife and mat
- Craft Template A

Note:

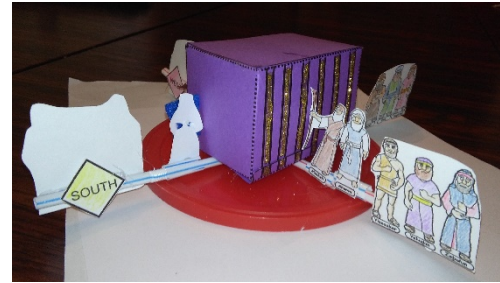
The items being held by the Lewites are much smaller in scale than they would have been. One Lewite could NOT have carried the items as we show on this craft. The items are simply being used as reference to show what each Lewite group would have carried.

Parent/Teacher preparation:

Print Craft Template A on the white card stock.

Instructions for the craft:

- Color all the men on the template. The lampstand outline will be used as template for tracing so no need to color it.
- Cut out all pieces, including the lampstand outline, and set them aside.
- Trace the lampstand template on the piece of blue felt.
- Cut it out and set it aside.
- Optional: using a craft knife, cut around the hands of Qehath without cutting the hands off.
- Pull the hands away and place the felt lampstand cut out on Qehath.
- Put a dab of glue on his hands and bring them over the felt lampstand (it should look like he is holding it).
- Set him aside.



Note: There will be no video for this week's craft.



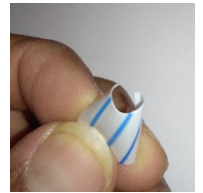
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Instructions for the craft cont'd:

- If NOT doing the option above, glue the lampstand felt piece on the Qehath character.
- Cut a piece of leather (or material being used to represent fine leather), about 1" ($2\frac{1}{2}$ cm) to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ($3\frac{1}{2}$ cm) long and very thin.
- Optional: repeat steps above for hands on Gershon.
- Pull them away and glue the piece of leather in place, then put a dab of glue and glue the hands over the leather. Set it aside.
- If NOT doing the option above, glue the leather piece to Gershon over the drawn pieces.
- Take a toothpick and cut the sharp ends so that you end up with a 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ($3\frac{1}{2}$ cm) piece.
- Repeat for the second toothpick.
- Glue 1 stick to each pole section on the Merari character. Set him aside.
- Cut 5 pieces from the straw $\frac{3}{4}$ " (2 cm) long.
- Cut along one side of each straw piece in order to open the pieces of straw.
- Take the Mosheh figure and hot glue the back bottom, just behind the name plate, to about the center of one piece of straw. The open section should be away from the figure.
- Repeat for all the rest of the characters.
- The open section of the straw will allow you to add the Lewites to the straws from your craft.
- Open up the straw piece and put it over the straw on your craft from last week and let it close around it.
- Do this for each character, using the coloring page to figure out where each character should be.

This is a visual of all the tribes and the Lewites and their placement around the Dwelling Place. They also have a representation of some of the items the Lewites were responsible for carrying.



Craft Template A

