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18 PROJECTS AND IDEAS

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In this free eBook, we've included all types of Christian crafts for your home, your kids, and your loved ones. From Christian home décor to printable coloring pages, you're sure to find a project that you'll want to try! If you'd like to crochet a prayer shawl for a friend in need, stitch your prayers into one of our crochet patterns. If you need a fun project for your students at Sunday school, we have plenty of kid-friendly Christian crafts. Allow God's light and love to seep into your hands as you craft one of these projects in our eBook *Faithfully Homemade: 18 Projects and Ideas*.

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The Editors of FaveCrafts

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Christian Home Decor

Fearfully & Wonderfully Made DIY Scripture Pillow

By: Cat W. from marymarthamama.com

Did you know you are fearfully and wonderfully made? If you adore Psalm 139 you'll love this pillow project. Learn how to make a pillow with basic embroidered letters and a stunning floral border. This project comes with a free printable for the letters to help you make the project easily. Choose your favorite floral fabric to create the beautiful border! Let your decor inspire you when you make this project. To sit on the couch with a cup of tea and good book is made all the lovelier when you can gaze at your scripture throw pillow for inspiration. This Bible verse is such a great reminder that you are precious in the eyes of God.



Materials

- 16-inch square pillow form
- ½ yard of white cotton fabric
- 5 other fabric colors (for the words)
- Floral printed fabric
- Fusible webbing
- Embroidery floss (must match the 5 fabric colors)
- [“Fearfully & Wonderfully Made” printable](#)

Instructions

1. Print out the “Fearfully & Wonderfully Made” PDF.



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2. Put a piece of fusible web on top of the printable with the web side facing up and the paper backing down. Trace the outline of all the letters onto the fusible web.



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3. Cut out each word in a long strip. Peel the webbing off of the paper backing and finger press the webbing onto the back of your fabric. Finger press each word onto a different color fabric.



4. Cut out each letter.



5. Cut flowers out of the floral print fabric. If your print has leaves, then cut those out as well. If not, cut some simple leaf shapes out of one of your coordinating fabric colors.

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6. Peel the paper backing off of some fusible web and apply to the back of the flowers and leaves.



7. Place the words in the middle of your ½ yard of white fabric. Arrange the words and flowers. Use a ruler to help center your design.
8. Use the iron to press the letters, flowers, and leaves onto the fabric according to the instructions for your fusible web.



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9. Use the embroidery floss to embroider some stitches into the letters, flowers, and leaves. You can use any type of stitch that you'd like. Embroidering stitches into everything you applied will help it all stay on when your item is washed.



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10. Lay your white fabric down with the design facing up. Fold one side of your white fabric over but be sure to keep your design in the middle.



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11. Fold the other side over to the middle as well. Again, make sure to keep your design in the middle. The design should measure about 17 in. across once you've finished folding it.



12. Pin and sew along the two open edges, sewing $\frac{1}{2}$ in. from the edge. Use a zigzag stitch to help cut down on fraying.



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Instructions (cont.)

13. Cut along the sewn edges with pinking shears and notch the corners.



14. Turn the pillow cover right side out and insert the pillow form.



Let Your Light Shine (Matthew 5:16) DIY Wall Art

By: [Cat W. from marymarthamama.com](http://marymarthamama.com)

DIY scripture wall art is a wonderful way to stay centered on your faith as you move through your home doing your day-to-day activities. By choosing a beautiful Bible passage and a vivid image to display, you can be inspired and comforted every time you behold your DIY project. Let your light shine with this DIY Christian wall art project. This bright and sunny image is sure to brighten any room and any mood! You'll learn how to decoupage using photo transfer medium, making this an easy project to hone a new craft skill. This is a wonderfully encouraging project that would make a great gift as well. Enjoy making this lovely project and don't forget to let your light shine!



Materials

- ["Let your light shine" printable PDF](#)
- Photo transfer medium
- White wooden wall plaque (If it's not white, the letters can be whatever color the surface of the plaque is)
- Sponge
- Foam craft brush

Instructions

1. Print out the “Let your light shine” PDF. Make sure to print it out on a laser printer, or this photo transfer method won’t work. Cut out the image.



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2. Paint the photo transfer medium onto the image.



3. Place the image face side down onto the surface that you want to transfer the image to. Smooth the image down as best as you can so that there's no air bubbles. Let dry for 24 hours.



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4. Use a sponge to wet the image.



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5. Once the water has soaked into the paper a little, use the sponge to start rubbing off the paper. Be careful not to rub too hard, or you could rub off the image. Use a paper towel to gently wipe off the paper bits.



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6. Let it dry for a half hour or so. You'll see areas where there may still be paper left. Wet once again. Repeat the rubbing and drying process until you've gotten off all the paper. Be gentle so as not to rub off the image.



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7. Let the wall art dry completely.



Saint Wine Charms

By: [Dana Byerwalter for FaveCrafts.com](http://Dana.ByerwalterforFaveCrafts.com)

Saint wine charms are an excellent gift to make for friends! If you're looking to make a unique wedding shower gift or Christmas present, this is the perfect option. With basic earring hoops, crystal beads, and charms for all your favorite saints, you can make the best wine charms ever. It is so delightful to go to a friend's party and decide which saint you want to identify your glass. Are you forgetful? Maybe you should opt for St. Anthony, the finder of lost things. Maybe you're a new father, so St. Joseph's your man. These DIY wine charms are sure to be the talking point at any party!



Materials

- A selection of saint medals – you can find these at your local Catholic book store or church gift shop
- Package of inexpensive wire earring hoops
- Crystal beads in colors and styles of your choice
- Jewelry pliers

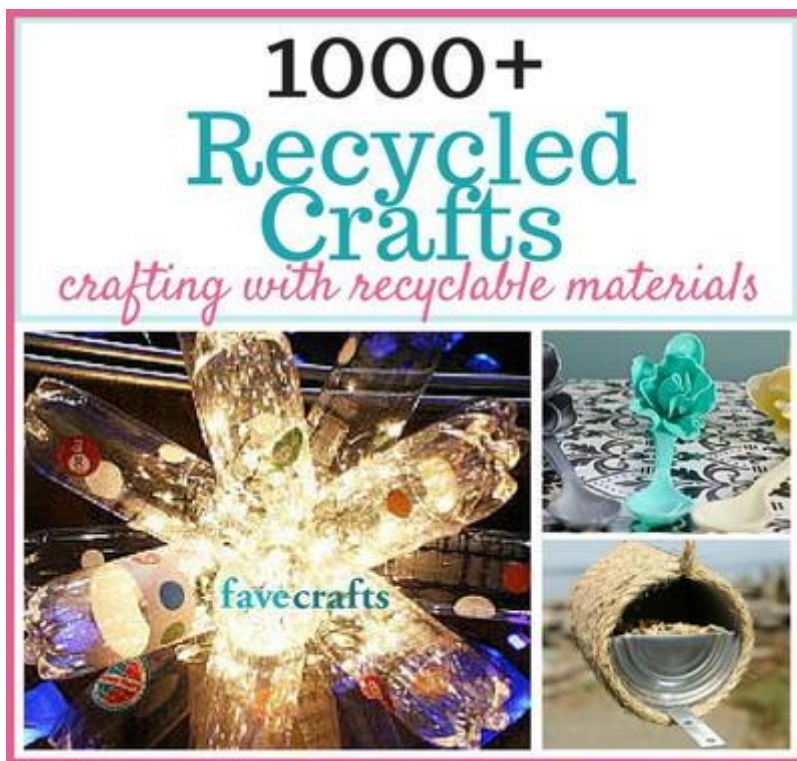
Instructions

1. Open your wire hoop and thread beads, then your wine charm, then more beads on. **Note:** you want to make sure the beads closest to your charm are large enough that the charm doesn't slide over them. Make sure the beads are symmetrical on both sides of the charm.

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Instructions (cont.)

2. Try a variety of bead colors and styles so that party guests can identify by the beads in addition to their saint if they choose.
3. Use your jewelry pliers to curve the end of the wire so the hoops lock into place.
4. Use them at your next party for a fun way to identify your wine glasses!



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Decoupage Cross

By: [Benetta Strydom for FaveCrafts.com](http://BenettaStrydomforFaveCrafts.com)

Perfect for Easter, a baptism, or a christening, this Decoupage Cross is beautiful to hang on the wall or give as a gift. Made using simple decoupage techniques, this religious craft is easy to personalize with a heartfelt message of love and good faith. Use floral papers to give your cross a classic spring look that's perfect for Easter.



Materials

- Wooden cross, cut from 1/8" plywood
- Suitable decoupage paper
- Regular mirror mosaic tiles
- Crystal ice mirror mosaic tiles
- One white heart, made from Plaster of Paris
- Acrylic paint in the following two colors: flesh and antique bronze
- Mod Podge
- Water-based varnish
- 10/32" paint brush
- Thin paintbrush
- Fan-shaped paint brush
- Hairdryer
- Pair of standard scissors
- Double-wheel tile cutter
- Heart-shaped cookie cutter
- A few sheets of old newspapers to protect the working area
- Clear-drying craft glue
- One-hole wood frame hanger

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Instructions

1. Trace the outline of the cross onto the decoupage paper and cut it out.
2. Use the 10/32" paint brush to paint an even layer of Mod Podge over the front of the wooden cross. Keep the edges and the back of the cross clean.



3. Carefully place the cut-out of the decoupage paper onto the cross.
4. Working from the middle of the cross and the inside towards the outside, rub out all the air bubbles and excess Mod Podge from the back of the decoupage cut-out. Be careful not to stretch or tear the cut-out. Regularly dip your finger into the bottle of Mod Podge to keep it wet while rubbing, for it will prevent the cut-out from tearing.
5. Dry the cross thoroughly with the hairdryer, but do not use the highest heat setting on the hairdryer.
6. Cut off any small pieces of decoupage paper that may protrude beyond the edges of the cross.
7. Use the fan-shaped paint brush to give the edges and body of the cross a wash with the antique bronze acrylic paint. Do not use too much paint when using a fan-shaped brush as it will lose the fan-shaped effect. Remove excess paint by dabbing it onto a sheet of newspaper before starting to paint.

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8. Dry the cross with the hairdryer.
9. With the 10/32" brush, paint a thin layer of Mod Podge over the whole front and edges of the cross. The Mod Podge will protect the cut-out and give the product a smoother finish.
10. Dry the cross with the hairdryer.
11. Repeat steps 9-10. You need to apply at least 6 coats of Mod Podge, but remember that with every layer, the direction in which the Mod Podge is applied must be changed from horizontal to vertical to horizontal, etc. After every layer of Mod Podge, the cross must be dried thoroughly with the hairdryer.
12. With the 10/32" brush, add a layer of water-based varnish to the front and edges of the cross. Dry thoroughly with the hairdryer.
13. Use the tile cutter to cut the mosaic tiles into small triangular shapes.
14. Use the heart-shaped cookie cutter to lightly trace a heart onto the front of the cross.
15. Glue the cut tiles onto the cross. Do the outline of the heart, then fill in the rest of the heart.



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Instructions (cont.)

16. Let it dry thoroughly before continuing with the next step.



17. Use the thin paint brush and paint the Plaster of Paris heart with the flesh colored acrylic paint. Let it dry thoroughly.

18. Add some detail to the Plaster of Paris heart with the antique bronze paint and let it dry.

19. Add a thin layer of varnish to the heart and let it dry.

20. Glue the Plaster of Paris heart to the front of the cross.

21. Glue the wood frame hanger to the back of the cross.

Prayer Shawl Patterns

Marciana Lace Prayer Shawl

By: [Marie Segares for stitchandunwind.com](http://stitchandunwind.com)

When a loved one is hurting due to sickness, loss, or any other reasons, our first thought is to help them. Yet, it is not always possible to relieve their stress, but gifting them a prayer shawl does help at least a little. This printable crochet prayer shawl pattern makes a comforting gift for your friends and family members. Although you can't always do much, this prayer shawl will show your loved one that you care about them, and it will brighten up their darkest moments.



Materials

- 2 skeins of Red Heart with Love Yarn in 1538 Lilac (**CA**)
- 1 skein of Red Heart with Love Yarn in 1801 Navy (**CB**)
- 1 skein of Red Heart with Love Yarn in 1001 White (**CC**)
- US size I-9 (5.5 mm) crochet hook
- Yarn needle

Abbreviations

- **CA** = Color A
- **CB** = Color B
- **CC** = Color C
- **ch(s)** = chain(s)
- **dc** = double crochet
- **rep** = repeat
- **sc** = single crochet
- **sk** = skip
- **sp(s)** = space(s)
- **st(s)** = stitch(es)
- **t-ch** = turning chain
- ***** = Rep after asterisks as indicate

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Instructions

With CA, ch 233 (or any multiple of 11 sts, + 2 sts).

Row 1: Turn, sk 1 ch, sc in next st, *ch 2, sk 2, dc in next 2 chs, ch 2, sk 2, sc in next 5 sts; rep from * across.

Row 2: Turn, ch 5 (counts as dc + ch-2 sp, here and throughout), dc in same st, ch 1, (sk next st, dc in next st, ch 1) twice, dc in ch-2 sp, *5 dc in ch-2 sp, ch 2, dc in next st, ch 1, (sk next st, dc in next st, ch 1) twice, dc in next ch-2 sp; rep from * across to last ch-2 sp, 4 dc in last ch-2 sp, dc in last st.

Row 3: Turn, ch 5, dc in frst st, ch 1, (sk next st, dc in next st, ch 1) twice, dc in next ch-1 sp, *sk next 2 ch-1 sps, 5 dc in next ch-2 sp, ch 2, dc in next st, ch 1, (sk next st, dc in next st, ch 1) twice, dc in next ch-1 sp; rep from * across to last 2 ch-2 sps, sk 2 ch-2 sps, 4 dc in last ch-2 sp, dc in third ch of t-ch.

Rows 4-7: Rep Row 3.

Row 8: Rep Row 3, changing to CB in last yo of final dc.

Row 9: Rep Row 3.

Row 10: Rep Row 3, changing to CC in last yo of final dc.

Row 11: Rep Row 3.

Row 12: Rep Row 3, changing to CA in last yo of final dc.

Row 13: Rep Row 3.

Row 14: Rep Row 3, changing to CC in last yo of final dc.

Row 15: Rep Row 3.

Row 16: Rep Row 3, changing to CB in last yo of final dc.

Rows 17-24: Rep Rows 9-16 once.

Rows 25-26: Rep Rows 11-12.

Rows 27-34: Rep Row 3, 8 times. Fasten off.

Crochet Angel Shawl

By: [Kristin Omdahl for FaveCrafts.com](http://KristinOmdahlforFaveCrafts.com)

If you're looking for a simple prayer shawl crochet pattern, try this crochet angel shawl by Kristin Omdahl! It's light and simple, a wonderful crochet prayer shawl.



Materials

- 650 yards of light worsted weight yarn, sample shown in Henry's Attic Prime Alpaca
- 120 yards of assorted ribbons or yarn for fringe
- Crochet hook K (6.5mm)
- Tapestry needle

Special Stitch Glossary

- **Sc-tbl:** sc into back loop only
- **Dtr (double treble):** Wrap the yarn over the hook 3 times and insert the hook into the work (or sixth chain from hook). *Wrap the yarn over the hook and draw it through 2 loops* Repeat from * to * 3 times to complete the triple treble. *RV=5

Instructions

Note: All stitches are worked through back loop only.

Row 1: Ch 11 sts, turn, sc into second ch from hook and each ch across, turn. (10 sc)

Row 2: ch1, 2sc in each sc across, turn. (20 sc)

Row 3: ch1, sc in each sc across, turn. (20 sc)

Row 4: ch5 (counts as first dtr, skip first st, dtr in each st across, turn. (20 dtr)

Row 5: ch1, sc in each st across, turn. (20 sc)

Row 6: ch1, 2 sc in each sc across, turn. (40 sc)

Row 7: repeat row 4, turn. (40 dtr)

****Row 8 - 10:** repeat rows 3, 3, 4 (40 sts)

Row 11 - 13: repeat 2 - 4 (80 sts)

Row 14 - 16: repeat rows 3, 3, 4 (80 sts)

Row 17 - 19: repeat rows 3, 3, 4 (80 sts)

Row 20 - 22: repeat rows 3, 3, 4

Row 23 - 25: repeat rows 2 - 4 (160 sts)

Row 26 - 40: repeat rows 20 - 22 (five times)

Row 41: repeat row 2 (320 sts)

Row 42: ch1, sc, *ch9, skip 3 sts, sc*, repeat from * to * to end.

Fasten off. Weave in loose ends.

Wash the shawl by hand in baby shampoo. Blot dry and block to desired finished size.

Using the 120 yards of ribbon, cut into 12" lengths. Use 5 or 6 pieces for each ch9 space and attach fringe using a slip knot.

Sensational Free Crochet Shawl Pattern

By: [Rebecca Velasquez for redheart.com](https://www.redheart.com)

Crochet shawls are in every season, so you must try this Sensational Free Crochet Shawl Pattern! This crochet pattern is perfect for people who are looking for a crochet challenge. Although it is not super complicated, you will definitely have to take your time. With a wide color scheme, this shawl pattern will look lovely with all of your outfits, and it will make them really pop. Throw it on as you walk out the door if you're looking for an extra layer or if you just want to look fashionable!



Materials

- 1 ball Red Heart Fashion Soft in Grey Heather (A)
- 1 ball Red Heart Fashion Soft in Camel (B)
- 1 ball Red Heart Fashion Heart Soft in Cream (C)
- 3.75 mm (US F-5) crochet hook
- Split lock stitch markers
- Yarn needle

Abbreviations

- **A, B, C** = Color A, Color B, and Color C
- **Ch** = chain
- **Dc** = double crochet
- **Sc** = single crochet
- **st(s)** = *stitch(es)*
- **tr** = treble (triple) crochet
- **[]** = work directions in brackets the number of times specified
- **or **** = repeat whatever follows the * or ** as indicated

Instructions

SHAWL:

Using **A**, ch 4.

Row 1 (right side): Tr in 4th ch from hook and mark this ch, turn.

Row 2: Stacked dc in tr, 9 dc in ch-4 space, dc in unused loops of marked ch, remove marker, turn – 11 dc. Mark center dc, and move marker up to new center st as each row is completed.

Row 3: Stacked dc in first dc, 2 dc in same dc, dc in each dc to last dc before marked st, 2 dc in next dc, 3 dc in marked st, 2 dc in next dc, dc in each dc to last dc, 3 dc in last dc, turn – 19 dc.

Row 4: Stacked dc in first dc, dc in same dc, ch 1, dc in next dc, [ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc] 3 times, ch 1, dc in next dc, ch 1, fan in next dc, [ch 1, dc in next dc] twice, [ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc] 3 times, ch 1, 2 dc in last dc, turn – 17 dc and 14 ch-1 spaces.

Row 5: Stacked dc in first dc, 2 dc in same dc, * dc in next dc, dc in next ch-1 space; repeat from * to center marker, 3 dc in marked st, dc in next ch-1 space, repeat from * to * to last 2 dc, dc in next dc, 3 dc in last dc, turn – 37 dc, 18 dc on either side of center marker.

Row 6: Repeat Row 3 – 45 dc, 22 dc on either side of center marker.

Row 7: Stacked dc in first dc, dc in same dc, ch 1, * dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc; repeat from * to last dc before marked dc, dc in next dc, ch 1, fan in marked dc, ch 1, repeat from * to * to last 2 dc, dc in next dc, ch 1, 2 dc in last dc, turn – 29 dc, 14 dc on either side of center marker.

Row 8: Repeat Row 5 – 61 dc, 30 dc on either side of center marker.

Row 9: Stacked dc in first dc, dc in same dc, dc in each dc to last dc before marked st, 2 dc in next dc, 3 dc in marked st, 2 dc in next dc, dc in each dc to last dc, 2 dc in last dc, turn – 67 dc, 33 on either side of center marker.

Rows 10-27: Repeat Rows 7-9 six more times – 199 dc, 99 dc on either side of center marker.

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Change to **B**.

Row 28: Stacked dc in first dc, V-st in same dc * V-st in next dc, skip next dc; repeat from * to last dc before marker, V-st in next dc, (V-st, ch 1, V-st) in marked dc, V-st in next dc, repeat from * to last dc, (V-st, dc) in last dc, turn – 52 V-sts on either side of center marker.

Row 29: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, sc in space between first dc and first V-st, * ch 3, sc in space between V-sts, repeat from * to last dc, ch 3, sc in space between last V-st and last dc, ch 3, dc in last dc, turn – 53 ch-3 sps on either side of center marker.

Row 30: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 1, sc in first ch-3 space, ch 1, * V-st in next ch-3 space, ch 1, sc in next ch-3 space, ch 1; repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 1, dc) in marked sc, ch 1, sc in next ch-3 space, ch 1, repeat from * to * to end, dc in last dc, turn – 26 V-sts on either side of center marker.

Row 31: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 2, * dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, dc in next ch-1 space, ch 2; repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 1, dc) in marked ch-1 space, ch 2; repeat from * to * to end, dc in last dc, turn – 28 ch-2 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 32: Stacked dc in first dc, fan in each ch-2 space to marker, fan in marked space, fan in each ch-2 space to end, dc in last dc, turn – 28 fans on either side of center marker.

Row 33: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 1, * dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, dc in next ch-1 space, ch 2, repeat from * to last ch-1 space before marker, dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, skip marked dc, dc in next ch-1 space, ch 2, repeat from * to * to last 2 ch-1 spaces (last fan), (dc, ch 1) in each of last 2 ch-1 spaces, dc in last dc, turn – 28 ch-2 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 34: Stacked dc in first dc, dc in first ch-1 space, ch 1, * sc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, V-st in ch-2 space, ch 1; repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 1, dc) in marked ch-1 space, ch 1, V-st in next ch-2 space, ch 1, repeat from * to * to last 2 ch-1 spaces, sc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, dc in last ch-1 space, dc in last dc, turn – 28 V-sts on either side of center marker.

Row 35: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 2, dc in first ch-1 space, ch 1, * dc in next ch-1 space, ch 2, dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1, repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 2, dc) in marked space, ch 1, repeat from * to * to last ch 1 space, dc in last ch-1 space, ch 2, dc in last dc, turn – 29 ch-2 spaces on either side of center marker.

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Rows 36-47: Repeat Rows 32-35 3 more times – 32 ch-2 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 48: Repeat Row 32 – 32 fans on either side of center marker.

Change to **C**.

Row 49: Stacked dc in first dc, * [dc in next dc, dc in next ch-1 space] twice, dc in next dc, ch 1, skip (dc, ch 1), sc in next dc, ch 1, skip (ch 1, dc), repeat from * to last fan, [dc in next dc, dc in next ch-1 space] twice, dc in each of last 2 dc, turn – 83 dc on either side of marker.

Row 50: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 1, dc in same dc, * skip next dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, skip next dc, sc in next dc, fan in next sc, repeat from * to last 6 dc, skip next dc, sc in next dc, ch 3, skip next dc, sc in next dc, (dc, ch 1, dc) in last dc, turn – 16 fans on either side of center marker.

Row 51: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space, * ch 3, sc in next ch space; repeat from * to last ch-1 space, skip last ch-1 space, ch 3, dc in last dc, turn – 49 ch-3 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 52: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3; repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 1, dc) in marked sc, ch 3, repeat from * to * to end, dc in last dc, turn – 50 ch-3 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 53: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch space, ch 3, sc in next ch space, fan in next ch space; repeat from * to last 2 spaces, [sc in next ch space, ch 3] twice, dc in last dc, turn – 16 fans on either side of center marker.

Rows 54 and 55: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch space, ch 3; repeat from * to end, dc in last dc, turn – 53 ch-3 spaces on either side of center marker at end of Row 55.

Row 56: Repeat Row 52 – 54 ch-3 spaces on either side of center marker.

Row 57: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space, fan in next ch-3 space; repeat from * to marker, fan in marked st, fan in next ch-3 space, ch 3, repeat from * to * to last 2 ch-3 spaces, [sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3], twice, dc in last dc, turn – 18 fans on either side of center marker.

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Instructions (cont.)

Row 58-61: Repeat Row 54 4 times – 58 ch-3 spaces on either side of center marker at end of Row 61.

Row 62: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space, fan in next ch-3 space; repeat from * to last ch-3 space before marker, sc in next ch-3 space, marker, fan in marked st, ch 3, sc in next ch-3 space, fan in next ch-3 space, repeat from * to * to last 2 ch-3 spaces, [sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3], twice, dc in last dc, turn – 18 fans on either side of center marker – 19 fans on either side of marker.

Row 63 and 64: Repeat Row 54 and 55 – 61 ch-3 spaces on either side of marker at end of Row 64.

Row 65: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 3, * sc in next ch-3 space, ch 3; repeat from * to marker, (dc, ch 1, dc) in marked sc, ch 3, repeat from * to * to end, dc in last dc, turn – 62 ch-3 spaces on either side of marker.

Rows 66 and 67: Repeat Rows 54 and 55 – 63 ch-3 spaces on either side of marker at end of Row 67.

Row 68: Stacked dc in first dc, ch 1, * sc in next ch-3 space, fan in next ch-3 space, repeat from * to last ch-3 space, sc in last ch-3 space, ch 1, dc in last dc, turn – 31 fans on either side of marker.

EDGING:

Round 1: Ch 1, sc in each st and ch-1 space around, join with slip st in first sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING:

Weave in all loose ends. Lightly wet block or steam block to measurements.

Wrapture Free Crochet Shawl Pattern

By: [Edie Eckman for redheart.com](https://www.redheart.com)

If you're looking for free crochet shawl patterns Red Heart designs, definitely check this one out. You'll be completely in "wrapture!" This crochet shawl is a seriously snuggly pattern you'll love to cuddle in. Not only is it totally cozy for wrapping around your shoulders while you read a good book or sip a cup of tea, but it's so pretty, too! Use a bulky variegated yarn to complete this crochet wrap project. It will keep you comfy all winter long, and you'll look lovely wearing it.



Materials

- RED HEART® Evermore™: 7 balls 9935 Mulberry
- Susan Bates® Crochet Hook: 9mm [US M-13]
- Stitch marker

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Instructions

SHAWL:

Ch 5.

Row 1 (Wrong Side): (Dc, ch 1) 4 times in 5th ch from hook (skipped 4 ch count as first dc and ch-1 space), dc in same ch – 6 dc and 5 ch-1 spaces. Place marker in center ch-1 space and move it up to next center space as you work each row.

Row 2: Ch 4 (counts as dc, ch 1 here and throughout), turn, [dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1] to marked center space, (dc, ch 2, dc) in center space, ch 1, [dc in next space, ch 1] to last st, dc in 3rd ch of beginning ch-4 – 6 ch-1 spaces and 1 ch-2 corner space.

Rows 3 and 5: Ch 4, turn, [dc in next space, ch 1] to center space, ([dc, ch 1] 3 times, dc) in center space, ch 1, [dc in next space, ch 1] to last st, dc in 3rd ch of beginning ch-4.

Row 4: Ch 4, turn, [dc in next ch-1 space, ch 1] to center space, (dc, ch 2, dc) in center space, ch 1, [dc in next space, ch 1] to last st, dc in 3rd ch of beginning ch-4.

Row 6: Ch 3 (counts as dc here and throughout), turn, 2 dc in each ch-1 space to center space, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in center space, 2 dc in each ch-1 space to last st, dc in 3rd ch of beginning ch-4.

Rows 7-10: Ch 3, turn, dc in same st, dc in each dc to center space, (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in center space, dc in each st to last st, 2 dc in top of beginning ch-3 – 62 dc and 1 center ch-1 space at end of Row 10.

Row 11: Ch 4, turn, dc in same st, ch 1, [dc in next dc, ch 1, skip next dc] to center space, (dc, ch 2, dc) in center space, [ch 1, skip next dc, dc in next dc] to last st, ch 1, (dc, ch 1, dc) in top of beginning ch-3.

Rows 12-20: Repeat Rows 2-10

Row 21: Repeat Row 11.

Rows 22-28: Repeat Rows 2-8.

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Instructions (cont.)

EDGING (Right Side):

Ch 1, do not turn, 2 sc in same st, working long edge, sc evenly spaced along long edge to opposite corner, 2 sc in corner st, turn to work along side edge, sc evenly to center ch-space, 3 sc in center space, working along opposite side edge, sc evenly to first st, slip st in first st to join. Fasten off.

FINISHING:

Weave in ends.



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Simple Popsicle Stick Crosses

By: [Stephenie Hamen for FaveCrafts.com](http://StephenieHamenforFaveCrafts.com)

If you're teaching vacation bible school or just want to find Sunday school crafts for kids to enjoy, look no further than these Easy Popsicle Stick Cross. They take just minutes to complete but look great nonetheless. These yarn-wrapped cross only require a few materials and cost next to nothing to make, but there is so much meaning behind the project. Simple crafts for kids are a great way to teach kids about religion and faith without boring them. Even the smallest learners can work on this easy craft project.



Materials

- Yarn
- Scissors
- Popsicle sticks

Instructions

1. Take two popsicle sticks and create a cross.
2. Wrap yarn around and criss-cross it, until the sticks are in place. Tie off in the back and trim the string off with scissors.

Angel Ornament Toilet Paper Roll Craft

By: [Stephenie Hamen for FaveCrafts.com](http://StephenieHamenforFaveCrafts.com)

Learn how to make toilet paper roll ornaments for Christmas with this beautiful angel. Angel crafts are perfect for Christmas, and they don't just have to adorn the top of the tree! Make the Angel Ornament Toilet Paper Roll Craft. Reduce, reuse, and recycle those toilet paper rolls to make beautiful crafts. This helpful video tutorial will teach you how to turn a plain brown tube into a darling Christmas angel. This is a great project to do with the kids to teach them all about green crafting.



Materials

- Toilet paper roll
- White paint
- Foam brush
- Hot glue
- Button
- Paper doily
- Cocktail toothpick
- Wooden heart stickers
- Scissors

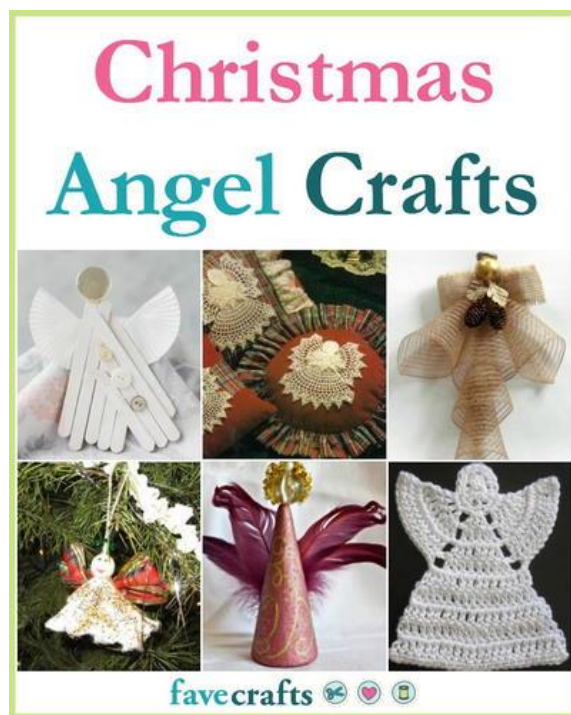
Instructions

1. Cut your roll to about 1/3 x 2/3 in length. Cut up one side of 1/3 piece to create a flat square.
2. Cut it into a triangular shape with a flat top instead of a point.
3. Take and cut remaining tube in half and cut one of those open flat.
4. Fold this in half and hand cut out wings.

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Instructions (cont.)

5. Paint pieces white and both side and let it dry.
6. Use hot glue and adhere the cocktail toothpick to the back center of the triangular piece with just the top sticking out.
7. Glue the wings on.
8. Hot glue button on as head.
9. Cut part of the doily and add to the angel's skirt to decorate it.
10. Add on heart sticker.
11. Add hanger of some sort onto the back so that it can hang on the tree.



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Shimmery Salt Dough Ornaments

By: [Stephenie Hamen for FaveCrafts.com](http://StephenieHamenforFaveCrafts.com)

If you're looking for salt dough ornament ideas, this is a wonderful tutorial to make them look glamorous. Make the Shimmery Salt Dough Ornaments. This Christmas ornament craft is so much fun for kids and adults alike! Mix the ingredients needed to make the dough, and once it has baked, decorate them with shimmer and shine. Paper crafters can practice blending techniques with the color, and kids will have a ball just playing with the pretty powders. This is a great DIY ornament for the whole family.



Materials

- ½ c salt
- ½ c water
- 1 c flour
- Embossing folders
- Cookie cutters
- Nuvo embossing mousse
- Nuvo brush
- Applicators
- Microwave or oven
- Parchment paper
- Paper straw
- Scissors
- Baker's twine, string, or ribbon

Instructions

1. Make dough by mixing dry ingredients then slowly adding in the water.
2. Knead dough until smooth.

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Instructions (cont.)

3. Roll out small bits of dough and press between embossing folders – if they stick, add a bit more flour to dry it out a bit.
4. Cut embossed dough with cookie cutter.
5. Use the straw to create a small hole for hanging the ornament later.
6. Either dry in oven at 200° F for three hours or in microwave, cooking it 10 seconds at a time (you will get some bubbling in microwave if you cook it too fast).
7. Once dry, use the embossing mousse to add shimmery color to your ornaments.
8. Add your twine, string, or ribbon to hang the ornament on the tree.



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Popsicle Stick Angel Ornament Craft

By: [Stephenie Hamen for FaveCrafts.com](http://StephenieHamenforFaveCrafts.com)

Make a darling new ornament for your tree with classic craft supplies. The Popsicle Stick Angel Ornament Craft is a beautiful project for making an angel for the tree. DIY angel ornaments are incredible because you can make them with so many unexpected materials! Recognize what those angel wings are made of? And look at how nicely the popsicle sticks line up to form the angel's body. This is a fun craft to do with friends, and it's easy enough for kids, too! Enjoy making popsicle stick crafts for Christmas this year.



Materials

- Popsicle Sticks
- Hot glue
- White paint
- White buttons
- Mini white cupcake liners
- Scissors

Instructions

1. Paint popsicle sticks white and let them dry.
2. Glue them together to create angel's base, cutting some pieces with the scissors as you go.
3. Glue button on for the head and folded cupcake liners on for wings.
4. Add a few additional buttons to the front of the skirt.
5. Add a hanger so that it will go on your tree.

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Christian Coloring Pages

Saint Dominica Coloring Page

By: [Dana Byerwalter for FaveCrafts.com](http://DanaByerwalterforFaveCrafts.com)

If you're looking for saints to color, print this PDF of the little-known Saint Dominica of Campania. Saint Dominica lived in the fourth century and was known for destroying Pagan statues. When the government tried to throw her to wild beasts in punishment, the beasts wouldn't harm her. Let her courage inspire you as you color this saints coloring page. This drawing was inspired by a small statue I found depicting Saint Dominica, and it was the only image of her I was able to even find! She was my confirmation saint when I was thirteen years old, and though so little is known about her, I think she is so inspiring.

Inspiration:



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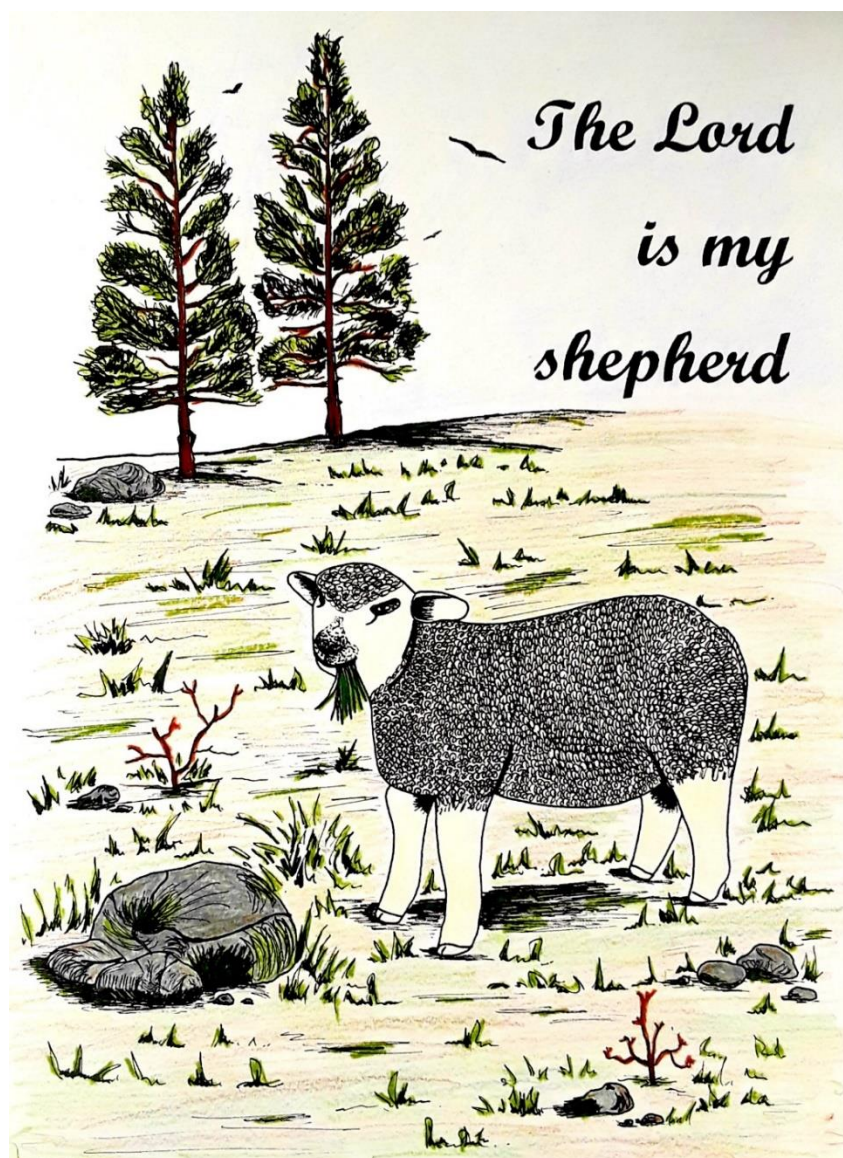
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The Lord is My Shepherd Adult Coloring Page

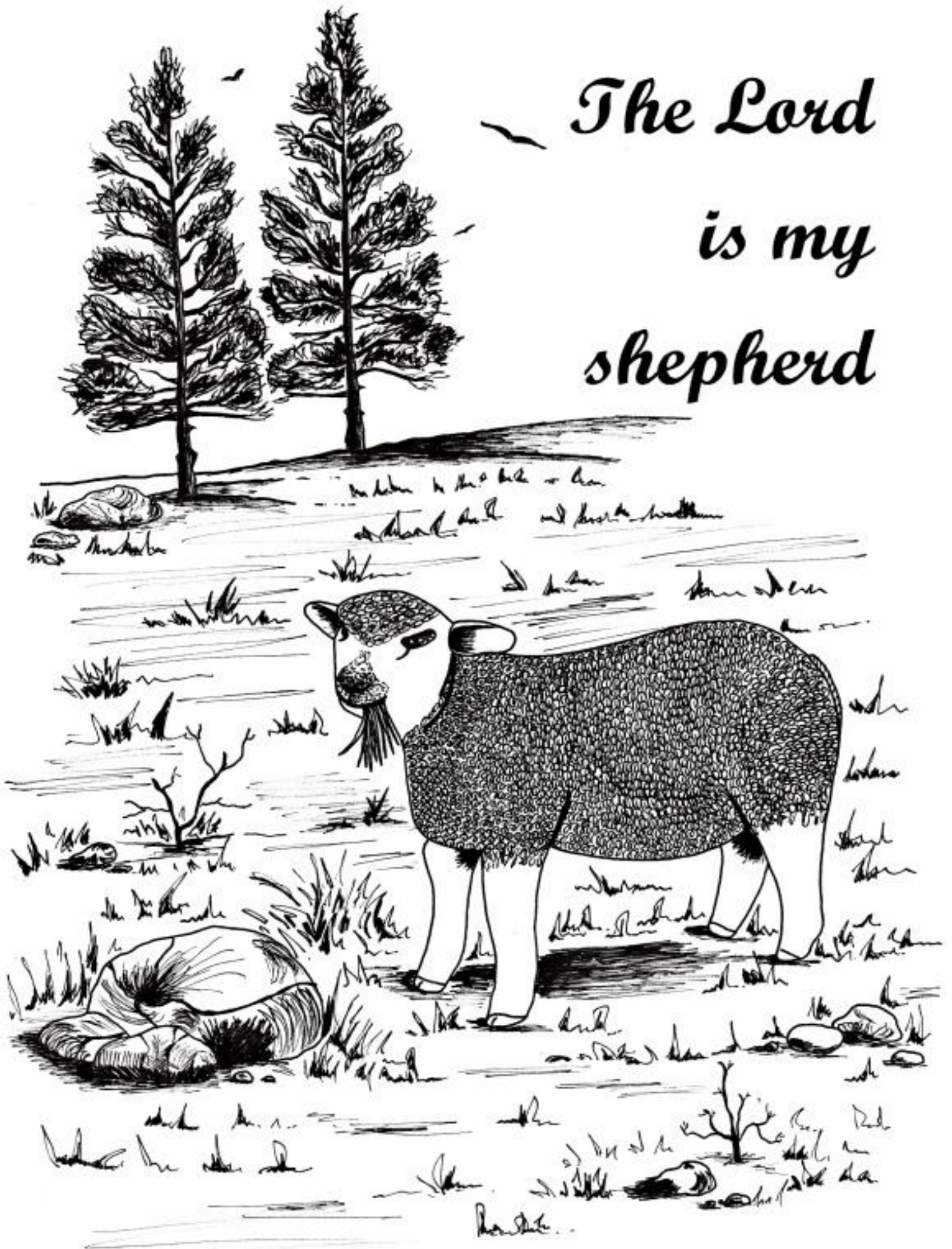
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From the Designer: "In Psalm 23, David likens God to a shepherd that cares for his flock. In the Psalm he describes how God makes us lie down in green pastures, which means that He looks after us, protects us and cares for all our needs. This coloring page offers the ideal reflection during Bible Study when this Psalm is the topic under discussion."

Inspiration:



*The Lord
is my
shepherd*



Everything in its Time Adult Coloring Page

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From the Designer: "Ecclesiastes 3:11 reminds us that He has made everything beautiful in its time. Nature and its different seasons serve as a great example of this verse. Color this page to remind yourself about the seasons in your own life, just as there is a time for flowers to bloom, for butterflies to appear and for bird eggs to hatch."

Inspiration:





*He has
made
everything
beautiful in
its time.*

Ecclesiastes 3:11

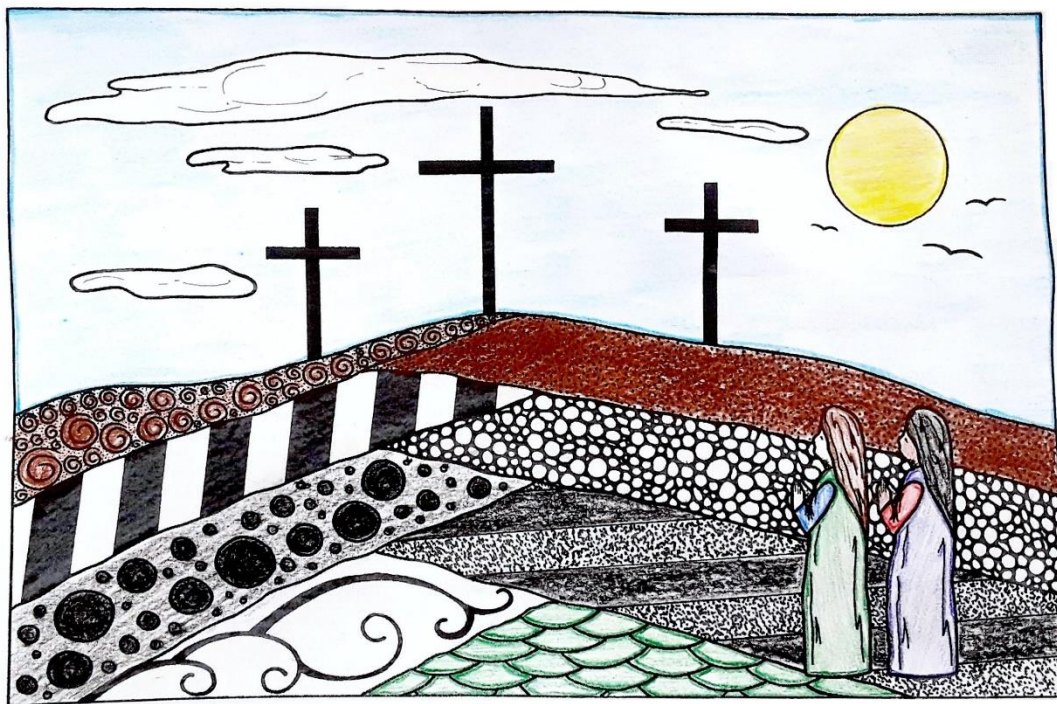
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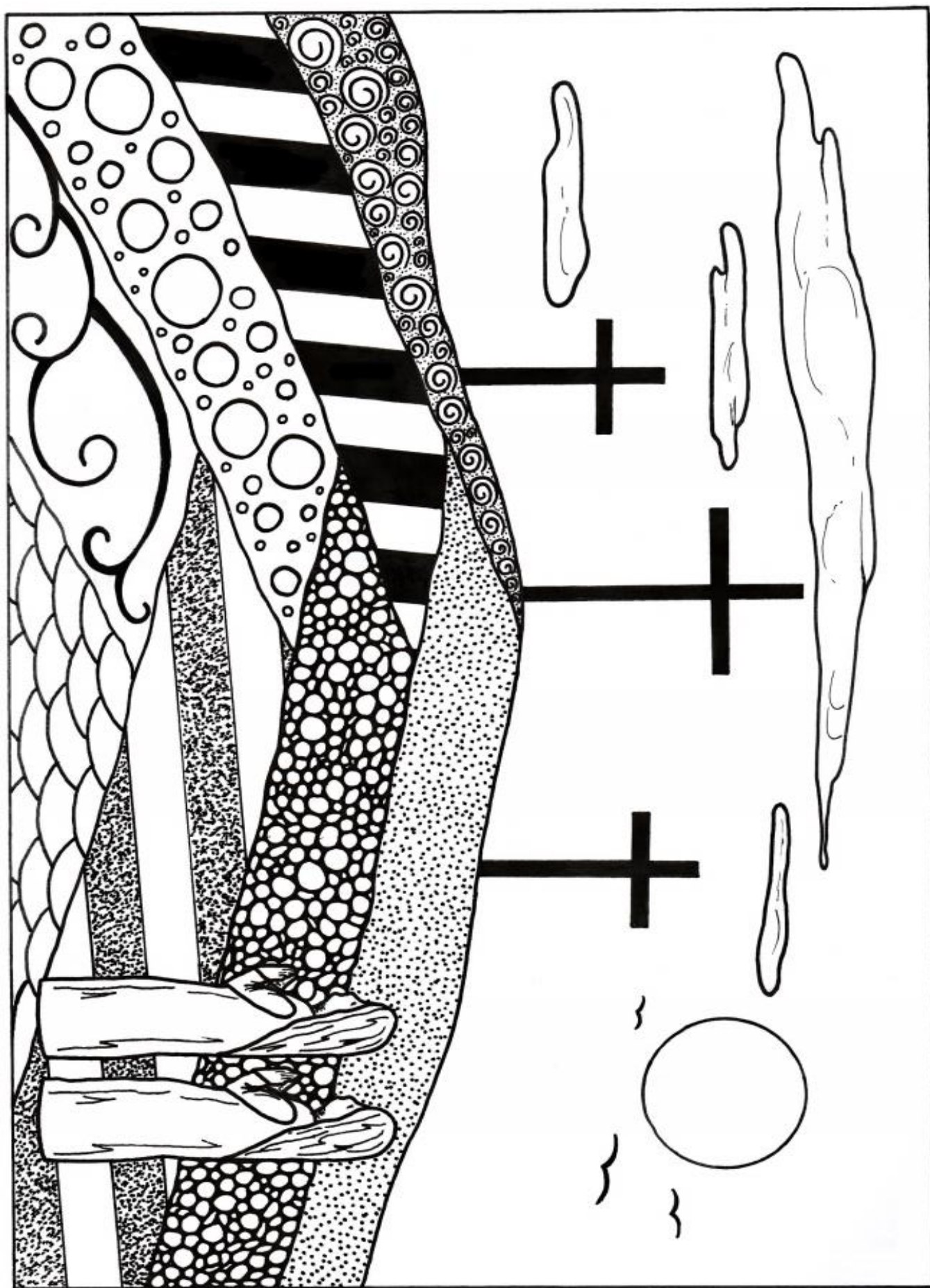
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Christian coloring pages are a meaningful way to reflect on topics in the faith. On Good Friday or any day of the year, color in this meaningful page. This would be a good activity to do at a Bible study, with the family over Easter weekend, or simply as a way to reflect on any Sunday of the year.

From the Designer: "Even though Easter has gone, we should never forget the sacrifice that Jesus made when He died on the cross for our sins. This coloring page is a great reminder of the reason for our faith."

Inspiration:





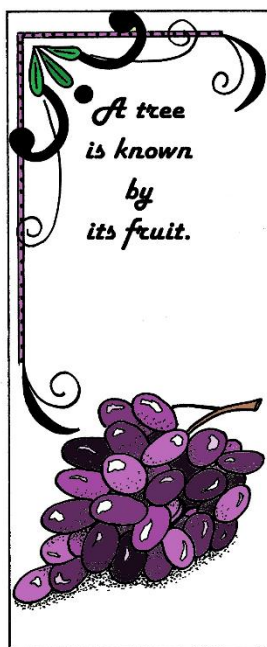
Religiously Inspired Bookmark Coloring Templates

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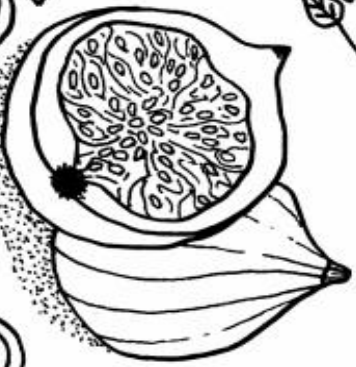
Coloring bookmarks for Easter or any occasion is a lovely activity. These bookmark coloring templates will be put to use beyond the simple pleasure of coloring. If you love to read or are looking for an easy small gift idea, color these bookmarks for your loved ones for Easter or another occasion.

From the Designer: "With Easter around the corner, these Biblically inspired bookmarks will be ideal for coloring enthusiasts. Once colored, the bookmarks will also make unique gifts to pop into an Easter basket for that special family member or friend."

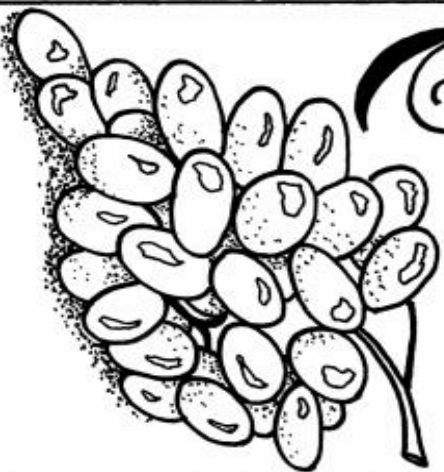
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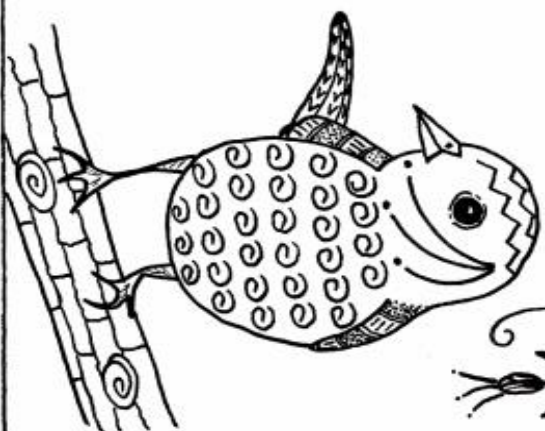
*Though the
fig tree
should not
blossom,
I will rejoice.*



*Of tree
is known
by
its fruit.*



*You are
worth more
than many
sparrows.*

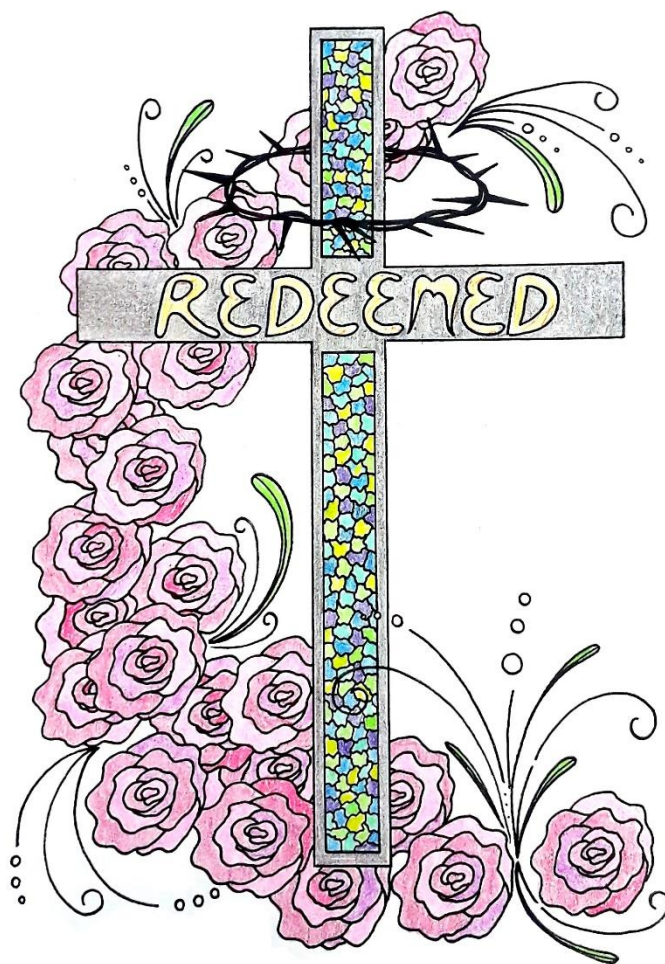


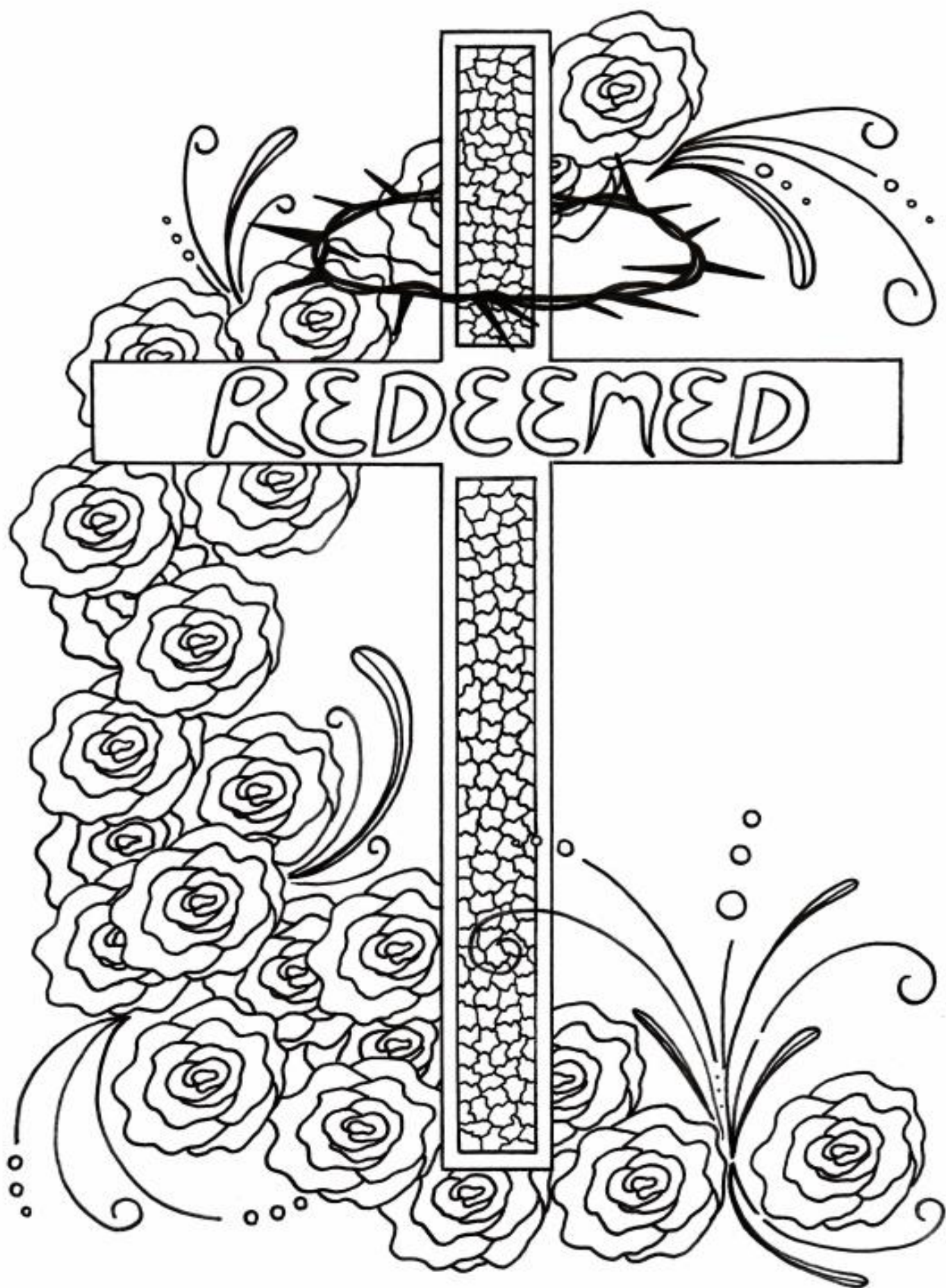
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From the Designer: "This Easter, color a page that celebrates the real reason behind the season. The focus point of this page reminds us that our sins were redeemed by His death on the cross, and the roses bring a message of hope and a new beginning."

Inspiration:







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