Golden Box: Ark of the Old Covenant

The ark traveled to the house of Obed-edom in the hill country of Judea (2 Sam. 6:1-11).

Dressed as a priest, David danced and leapt in front of the ark (2 Sam. 6:14).

David asks, "How can the ark of the Lord come to me?" (2 Sam. 6:9).

David shouts in the presence of the ark (2 Sam. 6:15).

The ark remained in the house of Obed-edom for three months (2 Sam. 6:11).

The house of Obed-edom was blessed by the presence of the ark (2 Sam. 6:11).

The ark returns to its home and ends up in Jerusalem, where God's presence and glory is revealed in the temple (2 Sam. 6:12; 1 Kgs. 8:9-11).

Mary: Ark of the New Covenant

Mary traveled to the house of Elizabeth and Zechariah in the hill country of Judea (Luke 1:39).

John the Baptist — of priestly lineage — leapt in his mother's womb at the approach of Mary (Luke 1:41).

Elizabeth asks, "Why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?" (Luke 1:43).

Elizabeth "exclaimed with a loud cry" in the presence of the Mary (Luke 1:42).

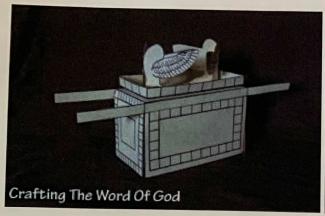
Mary remained in the house of Elizabeth for three months (Luke 1:56).

The word blessed is used three times; surely the house was blessed by God (Luke 1:39-45).

Mary returns home and eventually ends up in Jerusalem, where she presents God incarnate in the temple (Luke 1:56; 2:21-22).

THE 10 COMMANDMENTS

- 1. I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD: YOU SHALL NOT HAVE STRANGE GODS BEFORE ME.
- 2. YOU SHALL NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD YOUR GOD IN VAIN.
- 3. REMEMBER TO KEEP HOLY THE SABBATH DAY.
- 4. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER.
- 5. YOU SHALL NOT KILL.
- 6. YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY.
- 7. YOU SHALL NOT STEAL.
- 8. YOU SHALL NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST YOUR NEIGHBOR.
- 9. YOU SHALL NOT COVET YOUR NEIGHBOR'S WIFE.
- 10. YOU SHALL NOT COVET YOUR NEIGHBOR'S GOODS.

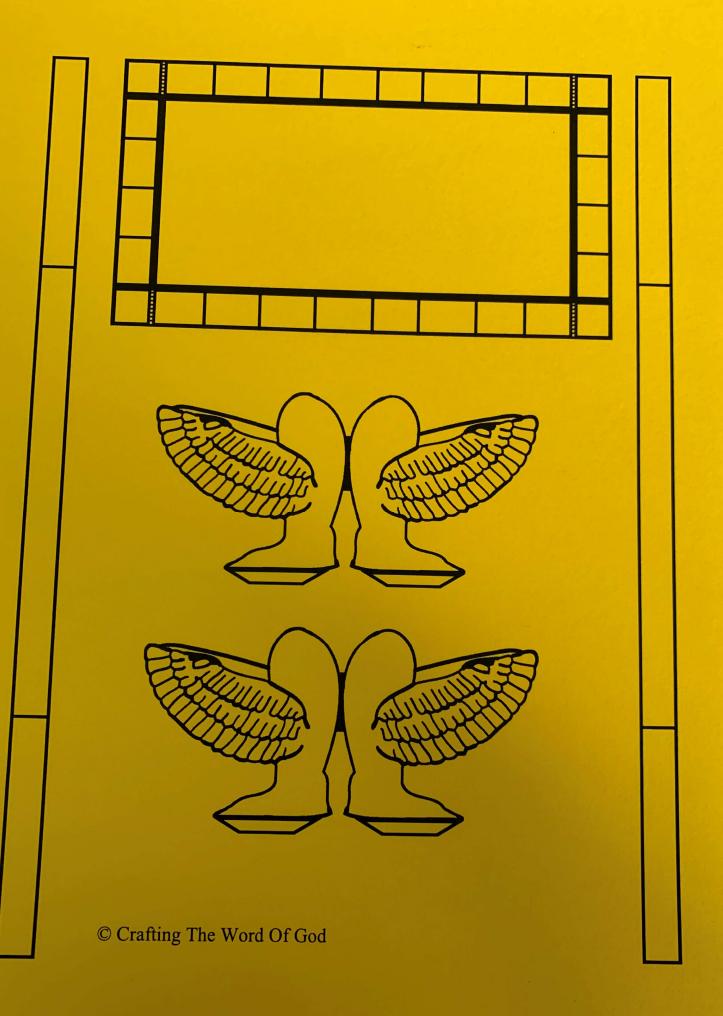


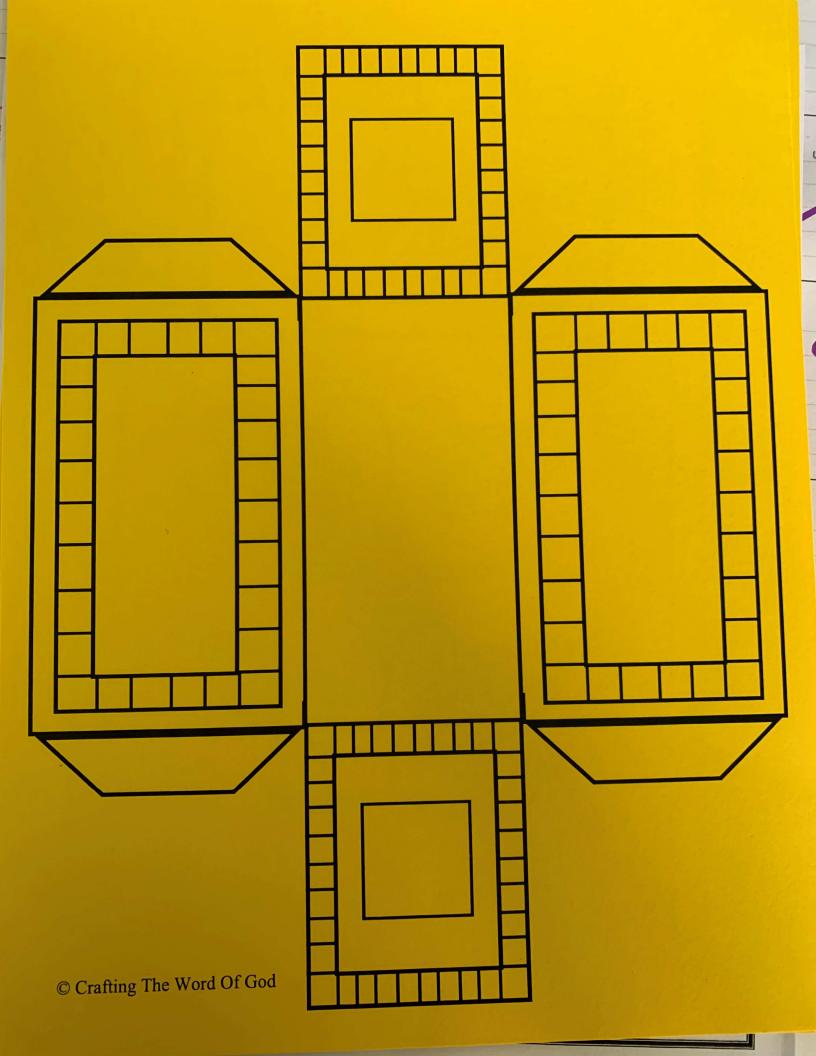


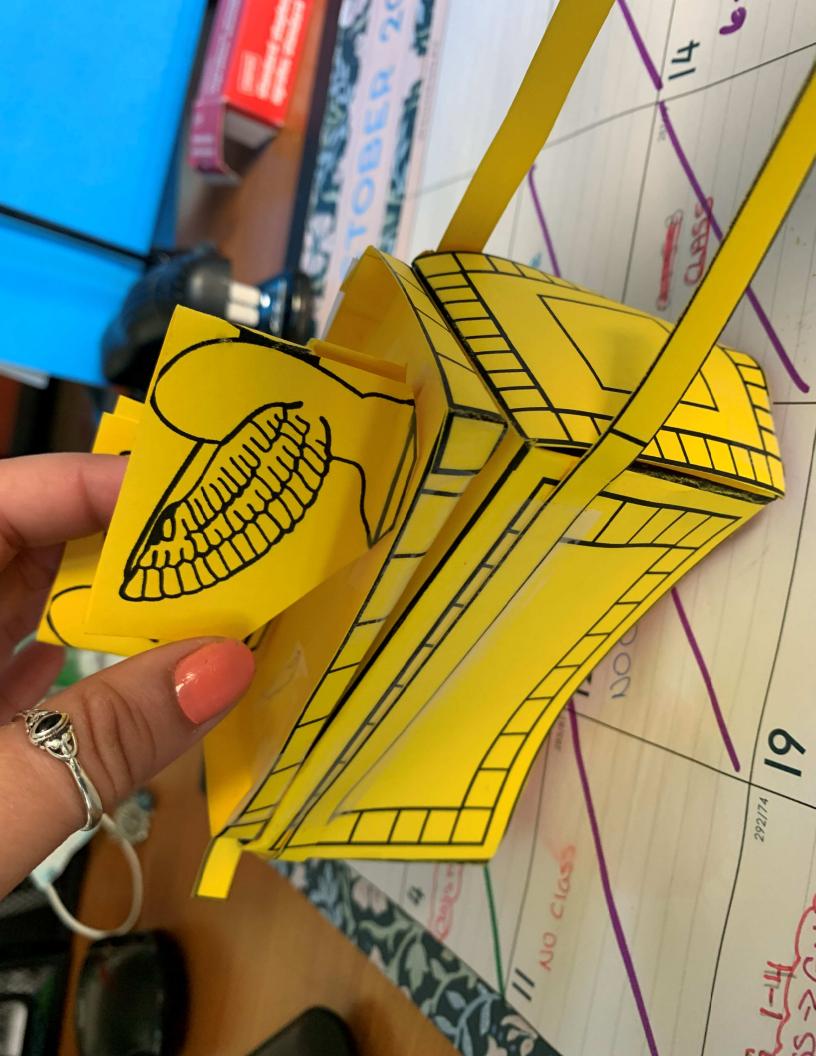
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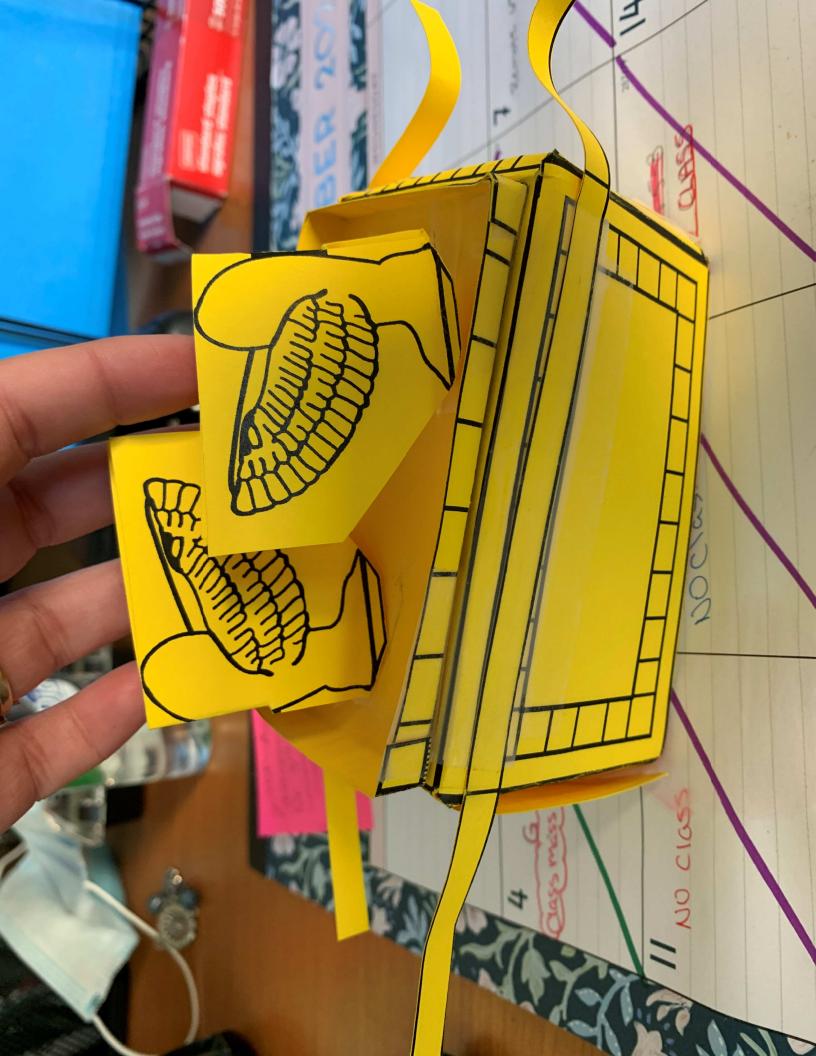
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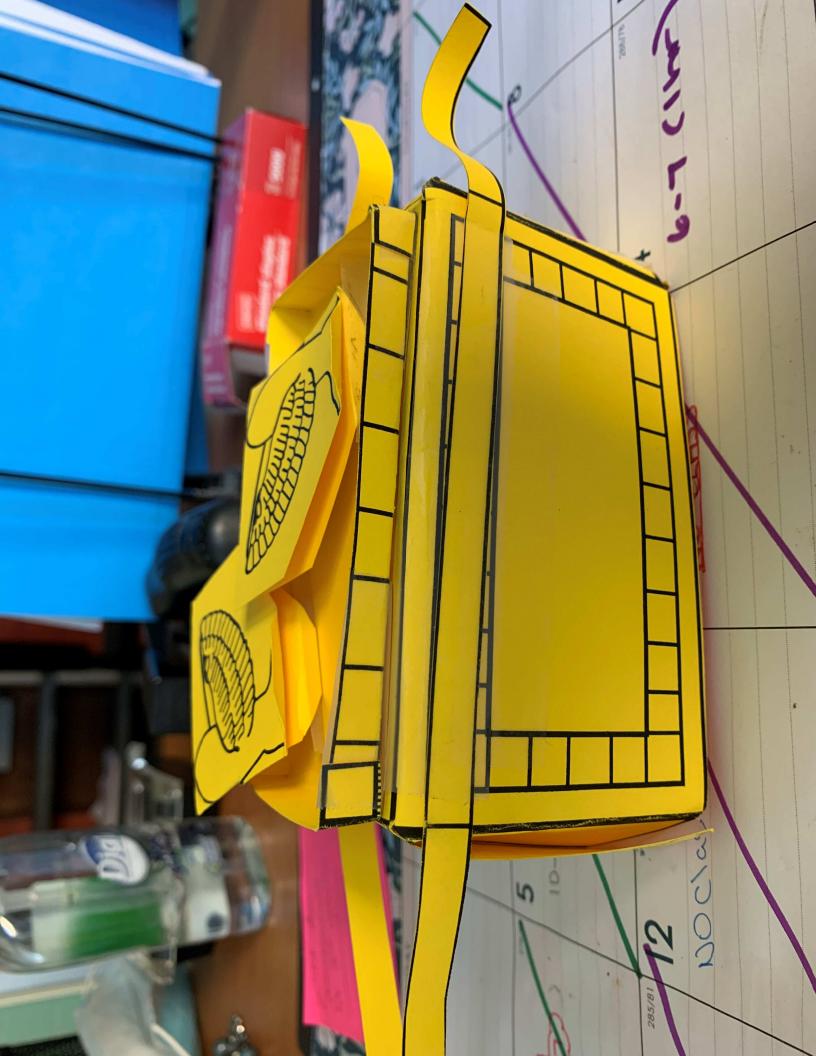
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- 6. Glue on the rectangular piece to the top of the large box.
- 7. Finally glue on both angels.

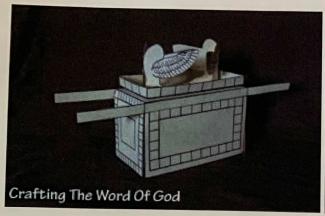














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