



LESSON 9: GOD RESCUES THE ISRAELITES

CRAFT: MOSES'S WALKING STAFF

SUPPLIES

- Poster board
- Craft supplies such as colored tissue-paper squares, ribbon, stickers, foam shapes, crayons, felt scraps
- Washable school glue
- Glue dots
- Scissors
- Stapler
- Duct tape



TIP: *Empty gift wrap paper tubes also work great for this craft.*

When the Israelites were escaping from Egypt, they got to the edge of the huge Red Sea but couldn't go any farther. So God told Moses to raise his walking staff over the water. Moses did just what God told him to do, and God parted the water so that the Israelites could walk through the sea on dry ground to get to safety. Wow! Let's make walking staffs like Moses' for our craft today so we can remember our Bible story.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Roll your poster board into a tube and use staples or duct tape to keep it rolled.
2. Decorate with tissue paper, foam shapes, stickers and crayons.
3. Wrap your tube with ribbon(s).

Even though raising a walking staff over a huge sea of water to part it might seem silly, Moses trusted God and did what God told him to do. Moses believed that God wanted what was best for the Israelites and that God would save them. And we can know that God wants what's best for us, too!