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## SEEKING WISDOM

### FOCUS

1 KINGS 4:29, 10:1, 2 CHRONICLES 9:1-4, 8, 10 & 12  
& JAMES 1:5

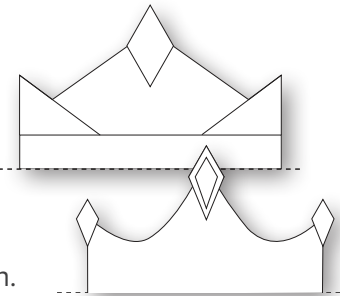
The queen of Sheba brought gifts to king Solomon and asked him hard questions! Not only did the king answer her, but he gave her everything she asked for!

### ACTIVITIES

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

**TALK:** A long time ago there was a queen who reigned over a country called Sheba. She had heard that Solomon, the king of Israel, was very wise and wanted to talk to him.

**ACTIVITY:** Have your Tiny Arrow color and assemble a crown for the queen of Sheba and for king Solomon. Let your Tiny Arrow wear the queen's crown, while you wear the king's crown.



#### 2. GOING TO SEE SOLOMON

**TALK:** The queen of Sheba brought gifts with her to give to Solomon! She brought spices, gold and precious stones!

**ACTIVITY:** Color and assemble the camels and place the bags of spices, gold and precious stones on top of the camel puppets.



### MATERIALS

Queen of Sheba crown (1 per child)  
King Solomon crown (1 per child)  
Camel puppets (3 per child)  
Bag of spices, gold and precious stones (1 set per child)  
Solomon's palace coloring page (1 per child)  
Special Present (1 per child)  
Heart's Desire coloring page (1 per child)  
Crayons and glue

### CORRESPONDING VERSE

WHEN THE QUEEN OF SHEBA HEARD ABOUT THE FAME OF SOLOMON AND HIS RELATIONSHIP TO THE LORD, SHE CAME TO TEST SOLOMON WITH HARD QUESTIONS.

1 KINGS 10:1

ARRIVING WITH A VERY GREAT CARAVAN—WITH CAMELS CARRYING SPICES, LARGE QUANTITIES OF GOLD, AND PRECIOUS STONES.

2 CHRONICLES 9:1

## ACTIVITIES

### 3. SEEKING WISDOM

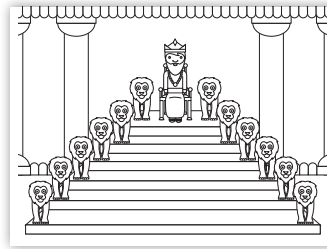
**TALK:** The queen stood before Solomon and asked him everything that she had on her mind. She saw that Solomon was very wise! Every question she asked, he answered!

**ACTIVITY:** Have your Tiny Arrow give you the presents, then ask you any question they have on their mind.

### 4. OVERWHELMED

**TALK:** When the queen saw how wise, wealthy and generous Solomon was, she was overwhelmed!

**ACTIVITY:** Color the Solomon's palace coloring page.



## CORRESPONDING VERSE

SHE CAME TO SOLOMON AND TALKED WITH HIM ABOUT ALL SHE HAD ON HER MIND. SOLOMON ANSWERED ALL HER QUESTIONS; NOTHING WAS TOO HARD FOR HIM TO EXPLAIN TO HER.

2 CHRONICLES 9:1-2

WHEN THE QUEEN OF SHEBA SAW THE WISDOM OF SOLOMON, AS WELL AS THE PALACE HE HAD BUILT, THE FOOD ON HIS TABLE, THE SEATING OF HIS OFFICIALS, THE ATTENDING SERVANTS IN THEIR ROBES, THE CUPBEARERS IN THEIR ROBES AND THE BURNT OFFERINGS HE MADE AT THE TEMPLE OF THE LORD, SHE WAS OVERWHELMED.

2 CHRONICLES 9:3-4

### 5. SOLOMON WAS WISE

**TALK:** The queen of Sheba praised God for letting Solomon rule over His people!

**ACTIVITY:** Have your Tiny Arrow say "Thank you God for making Solomon wise!"

PRAISE BE TO THE LORD YOUR GOD, WHO HAS DELIGHTED IN YOU AND PLACED YOU ON HIS THRONE AS KING TO RULE FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD. BECAUSE OF THE LOVE OF YOUR GOD FOR ISRAEL AND HIS DESIRE TO UPHOLD THEM FOREVER, HE HAD MADE YOU KING OVER THEM, TO MAINTAIN JUSTICE AND RIGHTEOUSNESS.

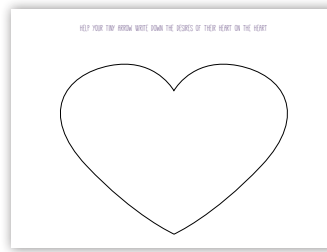
2 CHRONICLES 9:8

## ACTIVITIES

### 6. DESIRES OF HER HEART

**TALK:** Before the queen of Sheba left to go back home, Solomon gave her more gifts than she had given him! He gave her all she wanted!

**ACTIVITY:** Help your Tiny Arrow write down the desires of their heart on the heart coloring page and give them a special present.



## CORRESPONDING VERSE

SOLOMON GAVE THE QUEEN OF SHEBA ALL SHE DESIRED AND ASKED FOR; HE GAVE HER MORE THEN SHE BROUGHT TO HIM.

2 CHRONICLES 9:12

### 7. PRAY FOR WISDOM

**TALK:** Solomon was wise, because he had asked God for wisdom. You can ask God for wisdom too!

**ACTIVITY:** Pray together and ask God for wisdom!

GIVE ME WISDOM AND KNOWLEDGE, THAT I MAY LEAD THIS PEOPLE.

2 CHRONICLES 1:10

GOD GAVE SOLOMON WISDOM.

1 KINGS 4:29

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JAMES 1:5

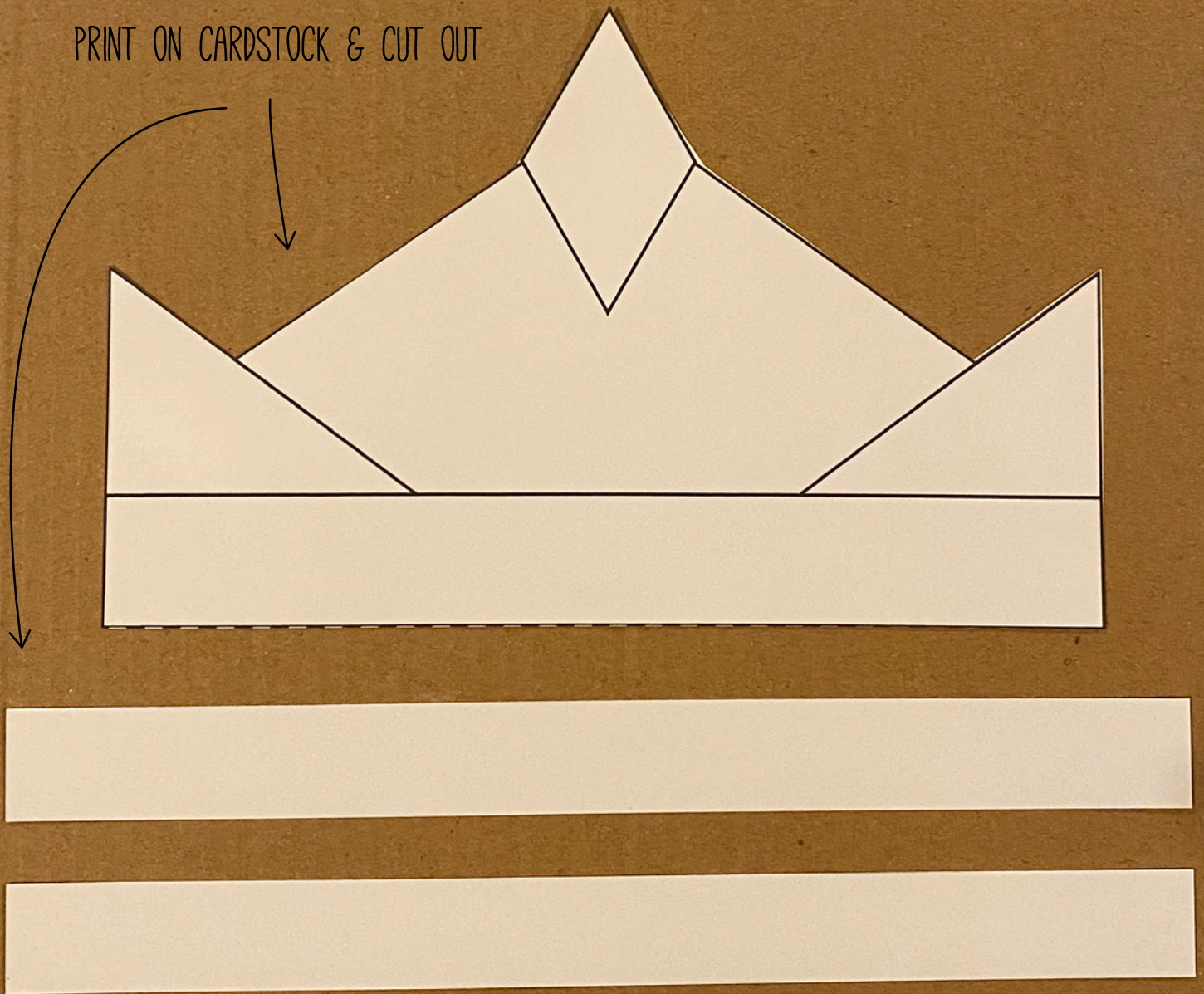
**OPTIONAL:** Hand out each child a bible verse to take home.

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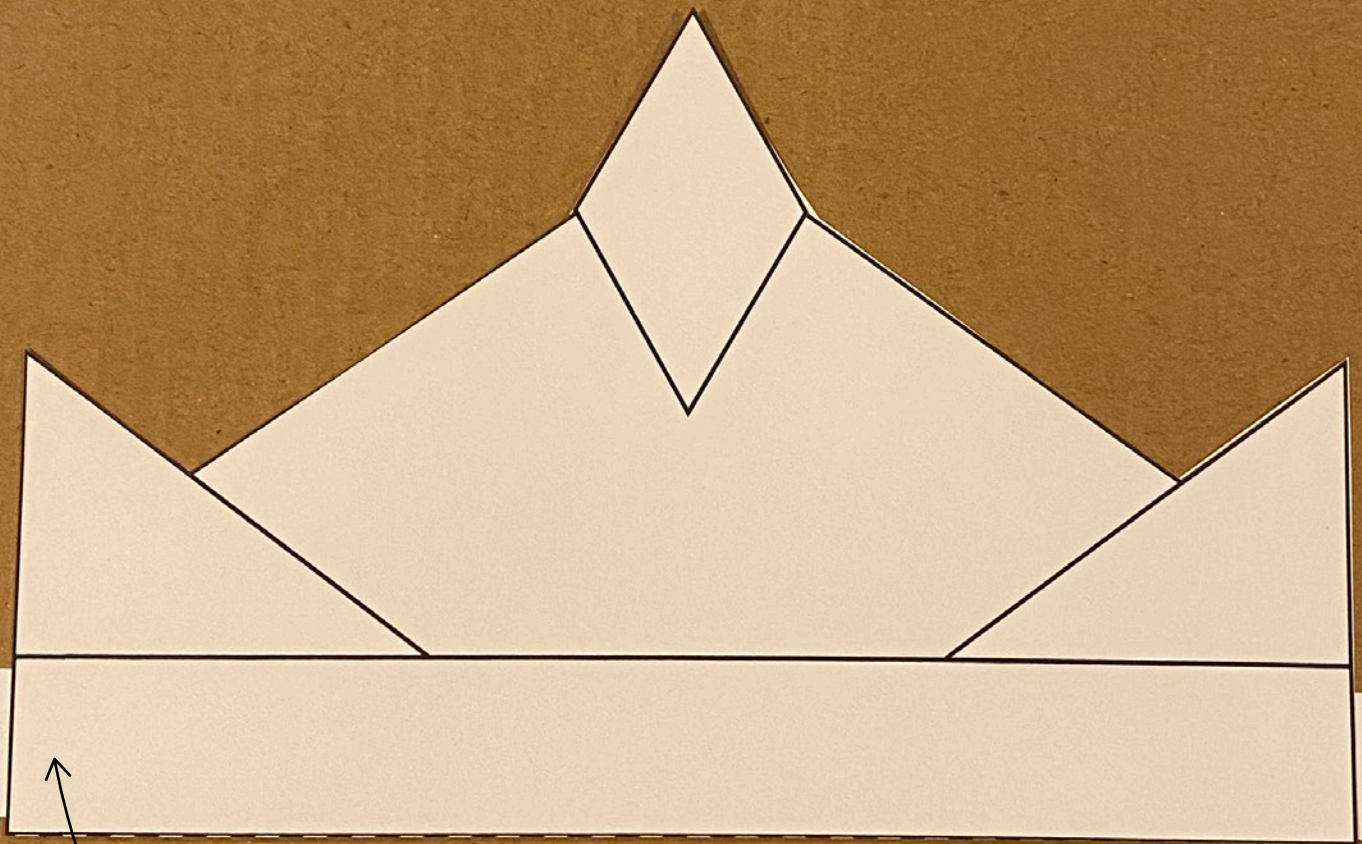
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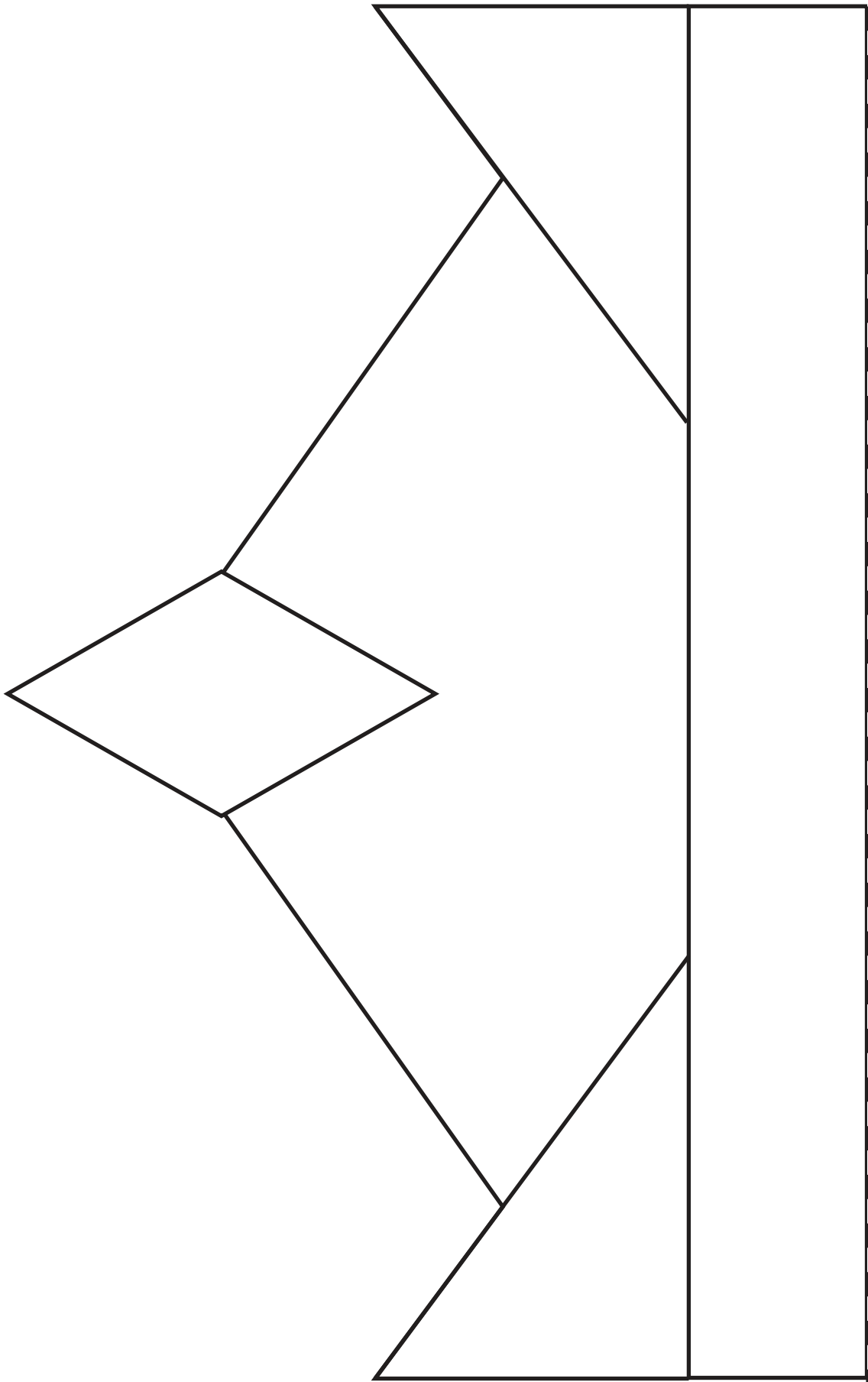


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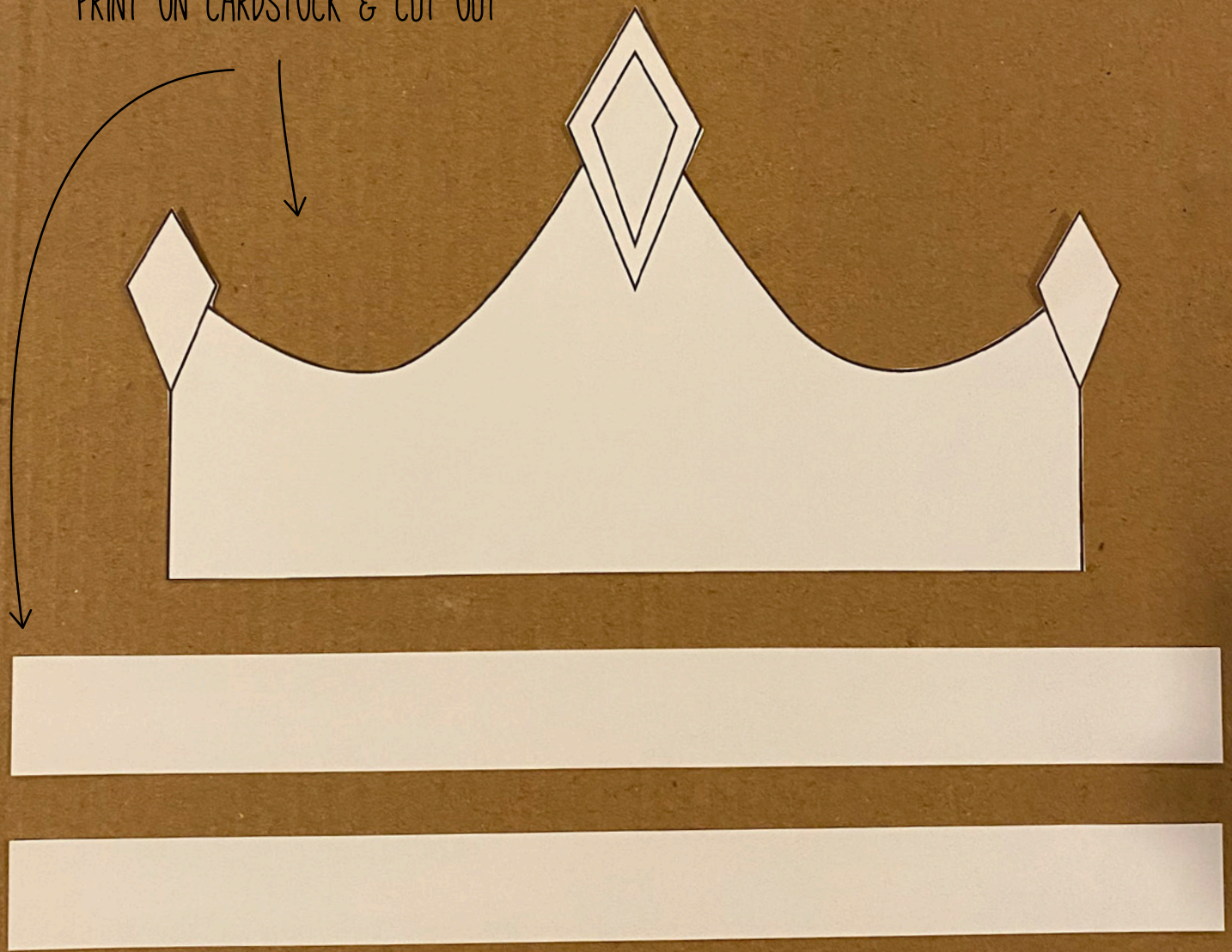
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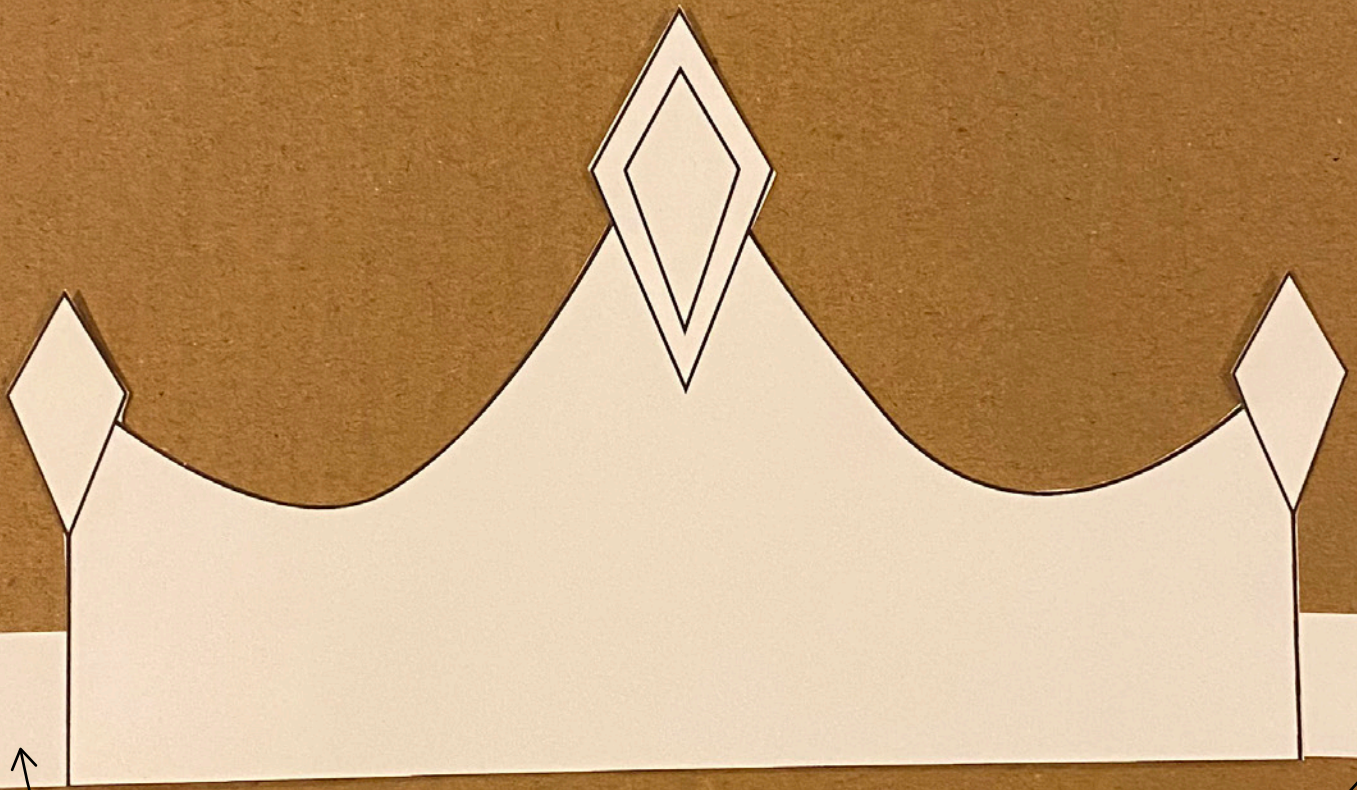


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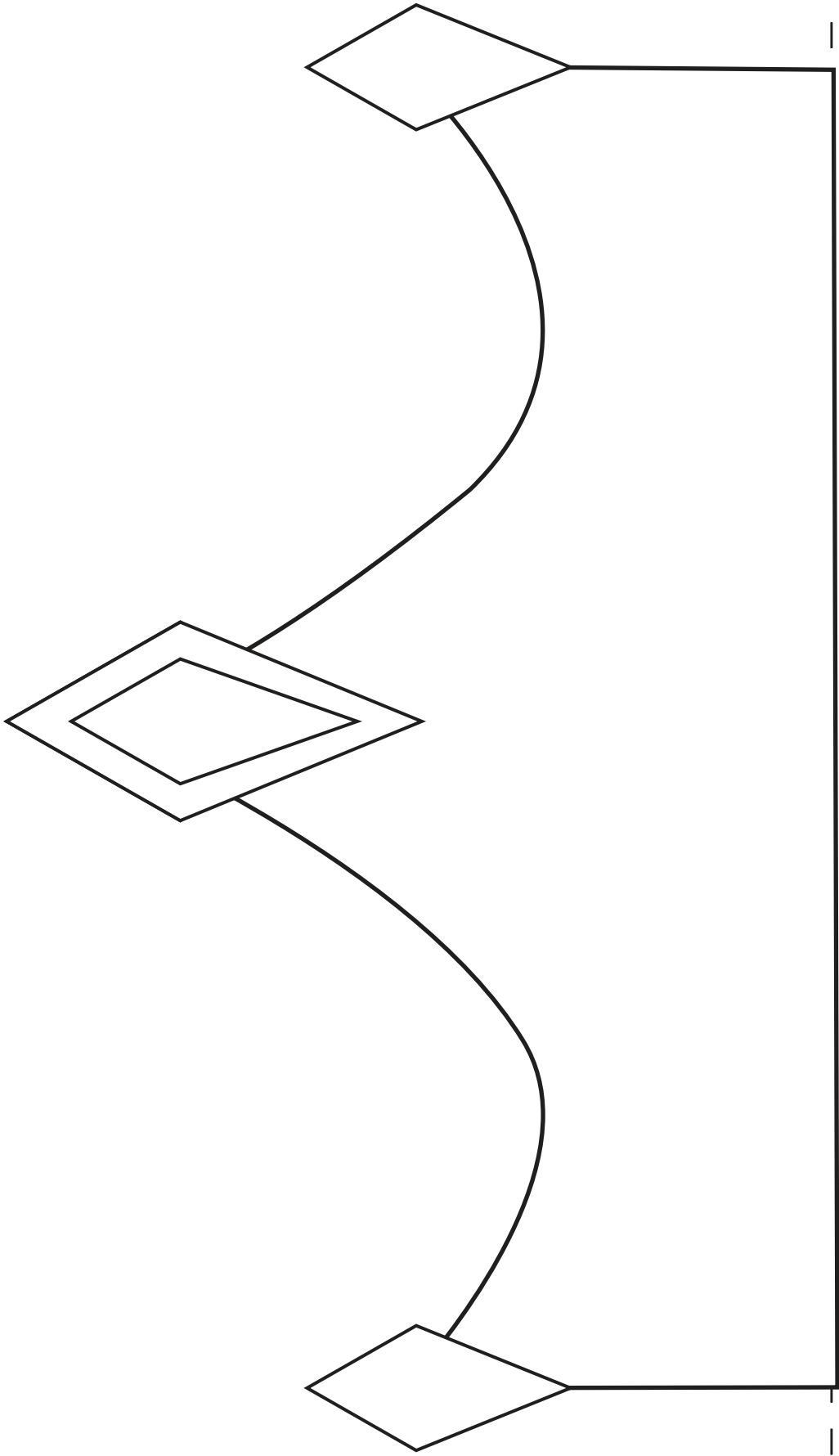
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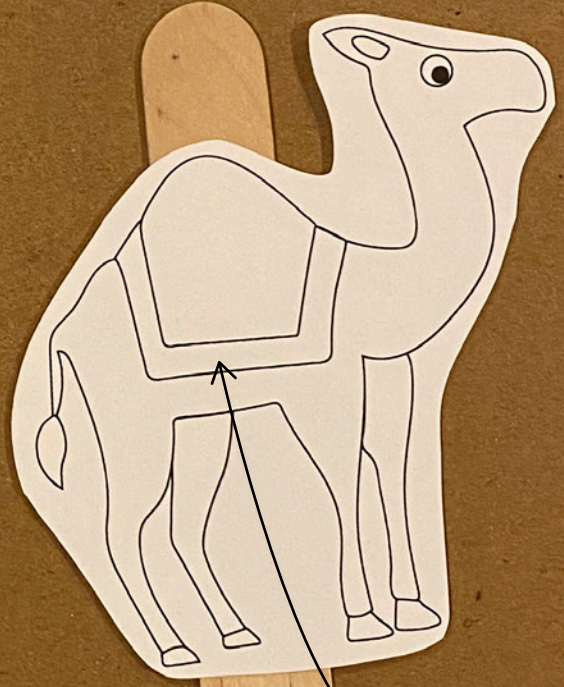
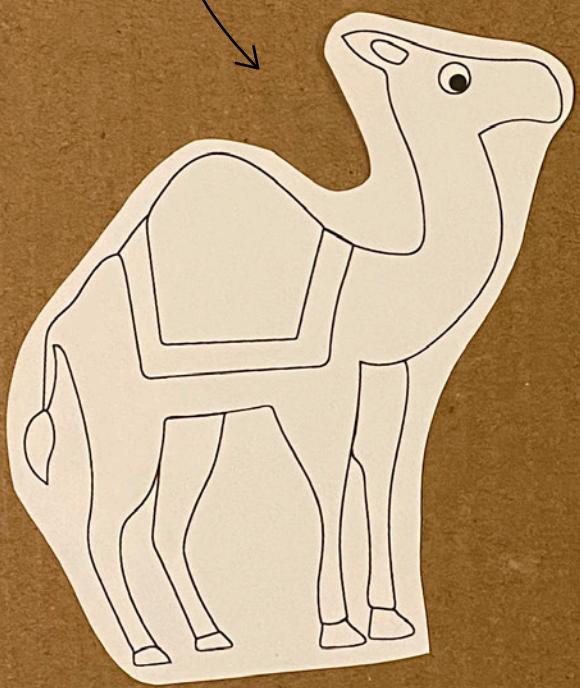
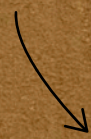


# CAMEL PUPPET

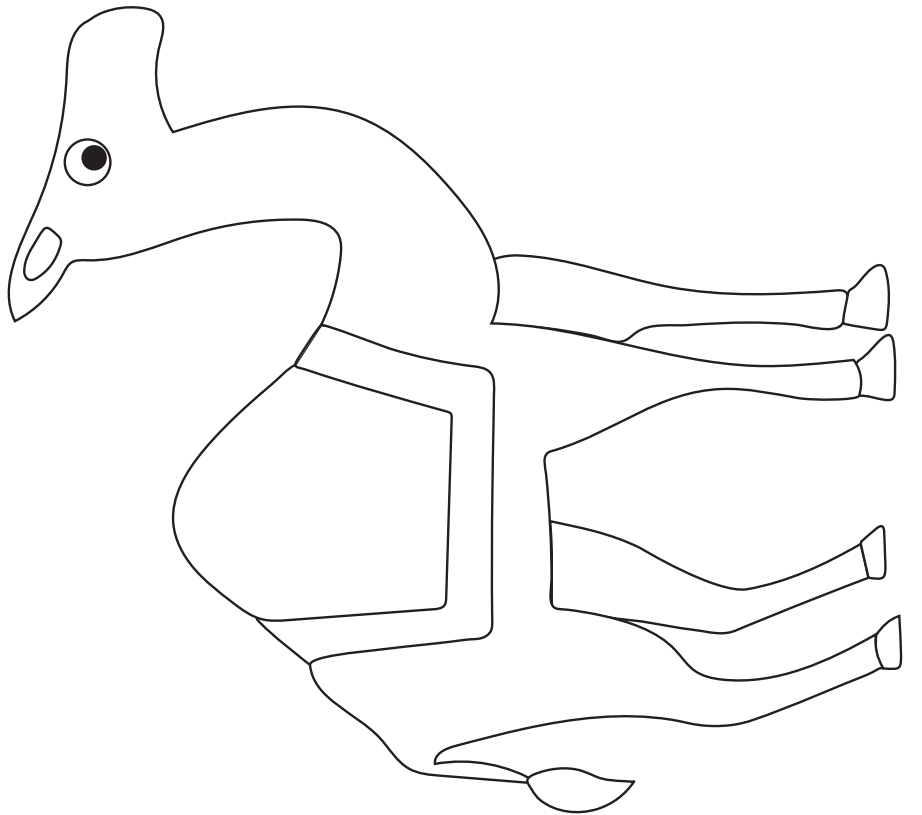
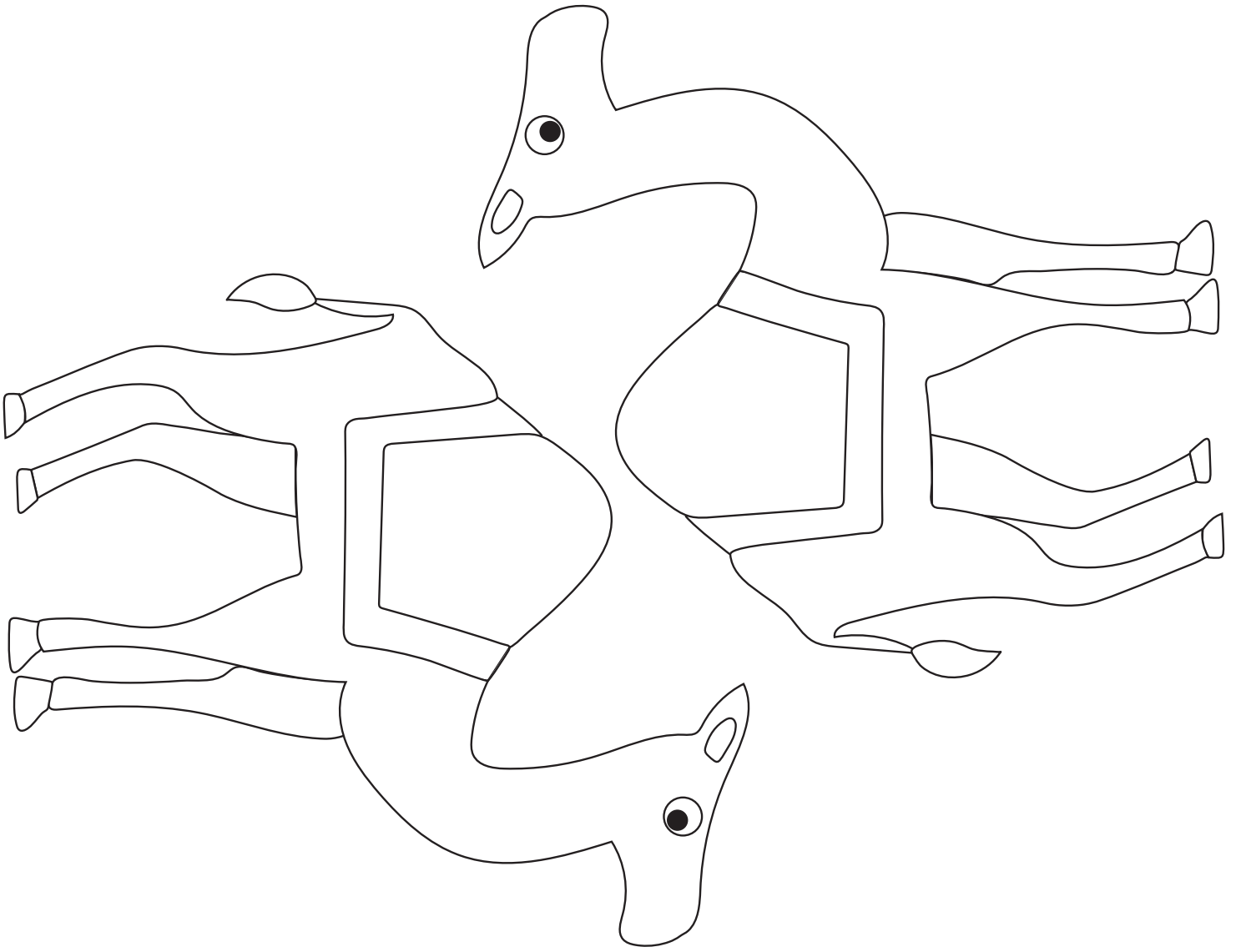
1 QUART CRAFT STICKS (3)



PRINT ON CARDSTOCK & CUT OUT (3)



GLUE OR TAPE  
CAMEL ON STICK



# PRESENTS FOR SOLOMON

3 3"x4" SEMI-TRANSPARENT  
POUCHES WITH HANDLES



SOMETHING TO REPRESENT SPICES  
(I USED YELLOW SAND)



\*YOU MAY NEED A SMALL PLASTIC  
JEWELRY BAG TO PUT THE SAND INTO,  
THEN PLACE INTO THE POUCH  
SO IT DOES NOT SPILL OUT



SOMETHING TO REPRESENT GOLD  
(4MM PREMIUM  
ACRYLIC GEMSTONES)



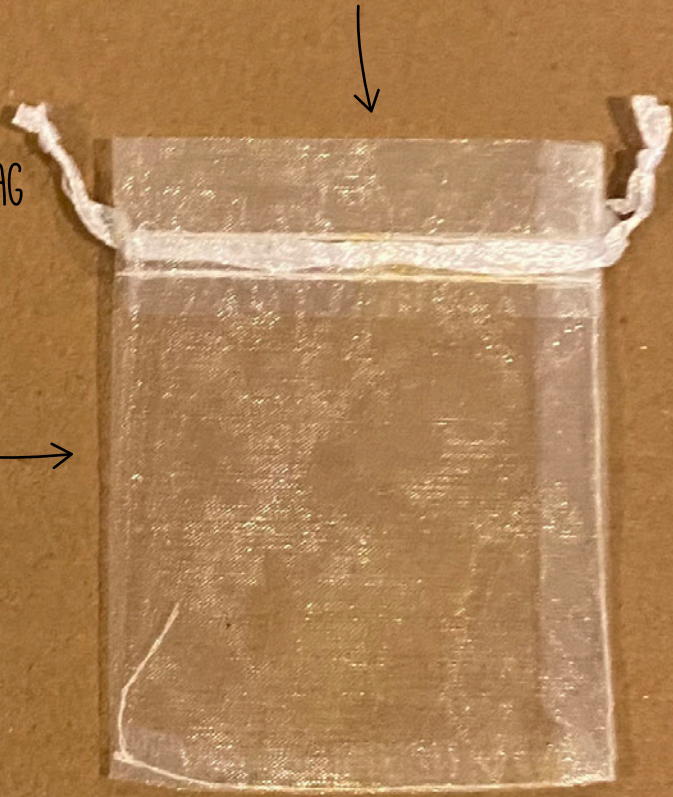
SOMETHING TO REPRESENT PRECIOUS STONES  
(16MM PREMIUM ACRYLIC GEMSTONES)

# PRESENTS FOR SOLOMON

PLACE THE SAND INTO A  
SMALL PLASTIC JEWELRY BAG



PLACE THE BAG INTO THE LARGER BAG



# PRESENTS FOR SOLOMON

PLACE EVERYTHING INTO  
ITS OWN BAG

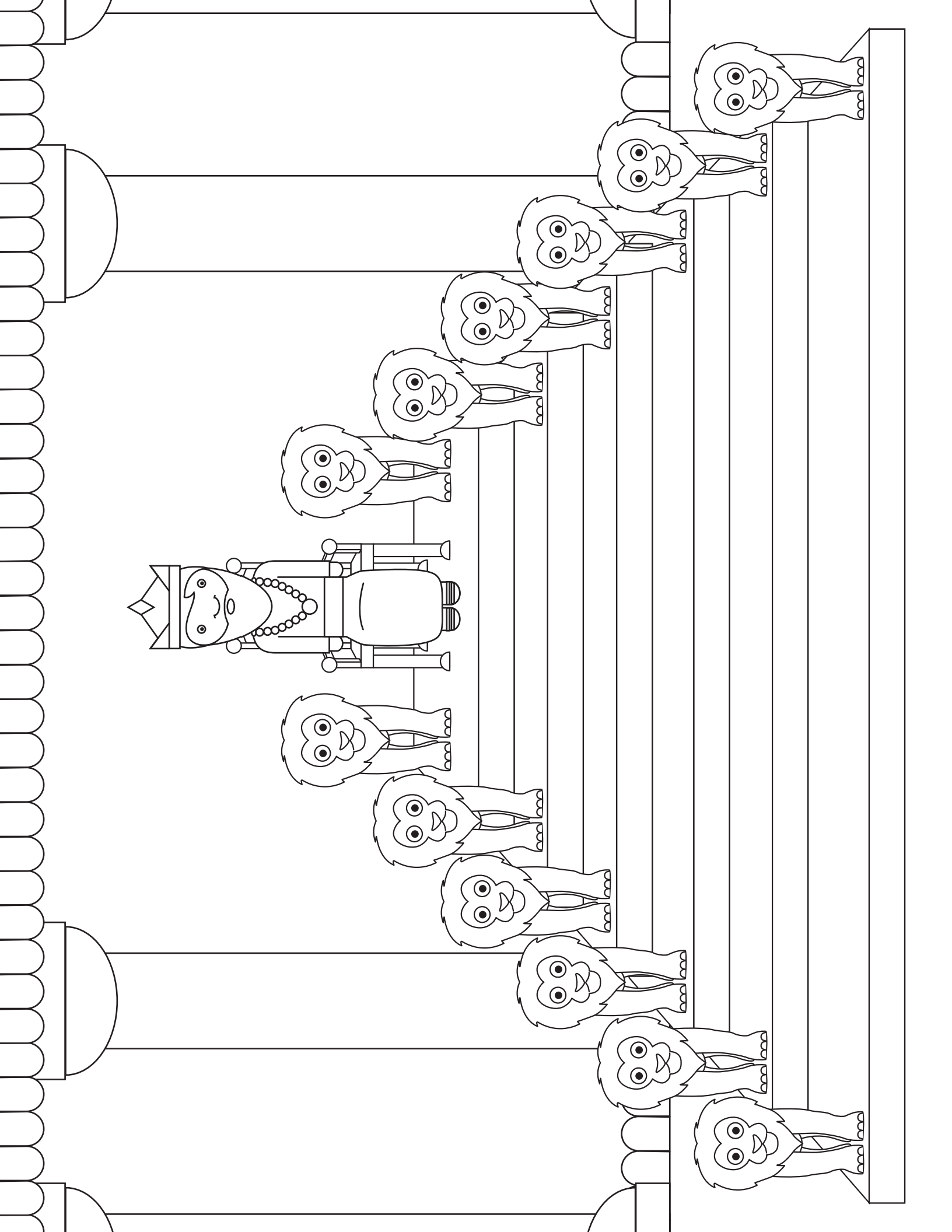


PULL THE STRINGS ON EACH BAG

# CAMELS WITH PRESENTS

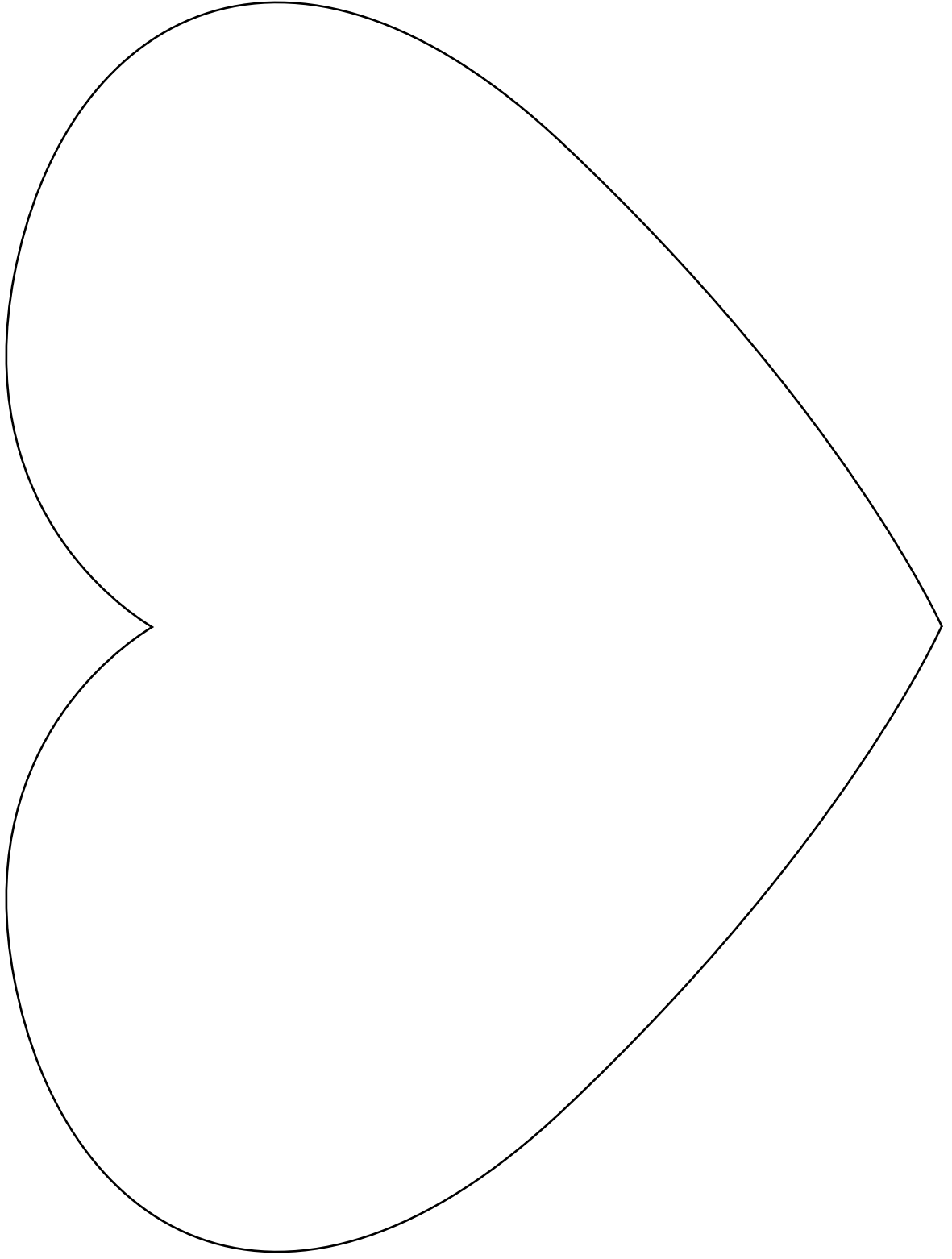
PLACE THE STRINGS FROM THE BAG AROUND EACH TOP OF THE CRAFT STICK







HELP YOUR TINY ARROW WRITE DOWN THE DESIRES OF THEIR HEART ON THE HEART



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