



Picture the Giving of the Ten Commandments

(Exodus 19, 20)

Make your own picture of Moses bringing the two tablets of stone down Mount Sinai to help you focus on the miraculous way the Lord gave us the Ten Commandments.

Motivation

What did the children of Israel see and hear at Mount Sinai? Thunder and lightening, a thick cloud on the mountain, and the very loud sound of a trumpet. Then smoke when the Lord descended upon the mountain in fire, the mountain quaking, and more blasts of the trumpet.

Materials

paper
crayons, colored markers, or colored pencils

optional

glue
cotton balls
colored construction paper (cut or tear to make Mount Sinai)

Procedure

1. Draw Mount Sinai or make it with torn construction paper.
2. Show the cloud, the thunder, and the lightening around the top of the mountain. (One way to make the cloud on Mount Sinai would be to pull apart cotton balls and glue them around the top of the mountain.)
3. If you like, show the children of Israel waiting at the foot of the mountain.