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**CRAFT CLASS**

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## **CRAFT BOXCAR CLASS**

**AGE: 7-9**

**ESTIMATED LENGTH: 3 HOURS**

### **NEEDED MATERIALS:**

#### **Student Materials Needed:**

- shoe box
- scissors
- glue stick
- Elmer's glue
- markers
- crayons
- ruler
- cardboard: 3- 5"x4" pieces , 1- 4"x3 1/2" piece , 4 - 1" circles and then extra pieces can be used for making mini boxes
- white packing paper to wrap exterior of shoe box
- 2 pieces of black construction paper, used for bottom of interior of box and need approximately 2"x4" to cut out the wheels for boxcar, use the rest for interior of sides of box
- 3 pieces of red construction paper, 2 to cover box car and 1 for roof of VGR
- 3 pieces of gray construction paper, 1 piece for background, 2nd piece for building back doc and 3rd piece for ramp and miscellaneous
- 1 piece of white paper for miscellaneous (could use the packing paper)
- 1/2 piece of blue construction paper for doors and miscellaneous
- 4"x4" piece of pink, yellow, green, & orange construction paper
- 4-7 toothpicks - (railings and flagpoles)
- bubble wrap approximately 2"x2"
- tape for wrapping box
- 3 Brother Branham Tapes per child
- Seal sticker

#### **Teacher's Supplies:**

- Hot glue guns
- Paper cutter
- Stapler

**Supplies that could be pre-cut:**

1. pre-cut cardboard for boxcar and wheels
2. pre-cut any construction paper to desired size
3. pre-cut packing paper for each student, size may vary due to box size
4. pre-cut bubble wrap 2"x2"
5. possibly hot glue the boxcar together

**INTRO AND CLASS SUMMARY:**

1. Gather Students And Begin In Prayer.
2. Read And Discuss Quotes: Moral parable - Sealed by the Holy Spirit

**-SCRIPTURES:****Ephesians 4:30**

And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are **SEALED** unto the day of redemption.

**-QUOTE:****53-0328 Israel And The Church 4**

You take a boxcar, they'll start loading it, and loading it, on the track. Many of you people here, I know some of you that loads cars. And they'll go around; they'll call for so much here and so much there. But before that car can be sealed, the inspector has to come along. He looks through and he sees that everything's in there is tight, and everything's ready. It's going to its destination. Well, if there's anything loose, and afraid it'll break, he will say, "Take her out; fix her over again until you get it." And when it's altogether tightened and packed and set down, then he will slam the doors and seal it, and no one can break that seal until it goes to its destination. That right?

That's the way it is where it says of Ephesians 4:30, "Grieve not the Holy Spirit of God whereby you're sealed until the day of your redemption." Got some loose rattles, God will take it out of you and--and fix it up before you're sealed into the Kingdom.

Every man in here, and every woman, without the baptism of the Holy Ghost; the only reason you haven't got it, because you believe not. That's right. The belief... We've took it this week and proved it that Abraham believed God, by faith. That's right.

**Class Summary:**

- Go over basic guidelines/rules.
- Show examples/samples and demonstrate.
- Let students begin building and decorating their own boxcar.

**Boxcar Diorama Tutorial:**

1. First cut off the lid to the box if one is attached.
2. If box needs reinforced with staples or hot glue have teacher do so.
3. Students need to wrap exterior of box in white packing paper.
4. Next have students cut out cardboard pieces for boxcar and wheels.
5. Have teacher hot glue box car together.
6. Students, take red construction paper and fold it in half lengthwise and cut on crease. Use those 2 pieces of construction paper to wrap all sides of boxcar and glue, then cut a 1/4 piece of red construction paper to fit top of boxcar, may need to trim a little bit of paper to fit top of box car.
7. Teachers, glue 4 cardboard wheels to boxcar.
8. Students, cut out 4 black circles to glue to wheels. Then set boxcar aside.
9. Next the students will need to cover the back (interior of box) of their diorama in gray construction paper.
10. Also have them cover the "inside of" the sides with black construction paper as well and the bottom with black paper.
11. Next, the students can use 1/2 a piece of gray paper lengthwise to make the back loading doc. (show example of how to fold)
12. Take 1 piece of red construction paper and fold like an accordion lengthwise, then cut the paper in half and then glue to the exterior/top of the box - this is the metal roof!
13. Now that they have the base ready, they can add stairs to the loading dock, railings, the ramp, the doors, flower pots, flags, boxes, they can make little Books and Tapes, and don't forget to add a Tape boy or Girl! Encourage them to be creative!
14. Last have the kids load up their boxcar with 3 Brother Branham Tapes and close the doors and then have the Seal put on the door of the boxcar.