

Let's Make an Easter Tree!

Celebrate who Jesus is this Easter.

Did you know that Christmas isn't the only time you can decorate a tree? Easter is another great opportunity to do so!

The Easter tree first started in Germany, and people would hang decorated eggs on branches. Mack and I thought it would be fun to add a twist on this tradition by coloring printed pieces of paper shaped like eggs that say something about who Jesus is to you. Easter is a good time to think about Jesus and his great love for us as we celebrate his resurrection!

Supplies

- ✓ A branch (or a couple of small branches)
- ✓ A vase or pitcher
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Printed ornament template
- ✓ Colored pencils
- ✓ String or yarn

Directions

- ✓ Put the branch (or branches) in a vase or pitcher.
- ✓ Print out the ornament template.
- ✓ Think of Jesus. What comes to mind? Write it out on the egg. (It might be something like "Jesus is love" or "Jesus is my savior.")
- ✓ Color the ornament.
- ✓ Cut it out, and tie or tape a string to the ornament.
- ✓ Now hang it on the tree!

You can make as many ornaments as you want. After all, there's a lot that we can say about who Jesus is! And this tree is a good way to remember how wonderful he is and how much he has done for us.



