



Like the squirrel gathering nuts,
we should store our treasures in Heaven (Matthew 6:19-21).

YOU WILL NEED:

- Artificial Orange Hair
- Artificial Blond Hair
- Old Nylon Stockings
- Wire or Fishing String
- Cardboard
- Pine Cone
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Aluminum Foil
- Googly Eyes
- Plier Cutters
- Hot Glue Gun



DIRECTIONS:



1. Draw, then cut from pieces of cardboard:
(1) body and head - 4" x 2"
(1) tail - 5" x 2"
(2) upper legs - 2" x 3/4"
(2) lower legs - 2" x 1 1/2"
(2) ears - 1/2" x 1/2"



2. Shape pieces of foil as shown to give 3-D shape to the legs. Hot glue to the outside of the cardboard pieces.



3. Continue shaping and gluing foil to both sides of the body, head, and tail.



4. Glue the legs to the body.



5. Cut small pieces from old nylon stockings.



6. Pull stocking pieces over every section of the body except the ears. Tie the ends and glue with hot glue. Glue the ears to the top of the head.



7. Cut 1/2" sections of orange or blond hair, fanning them out a bit (as shown).



8. Glue the hair to the tips of the ears. Glue blond hair to the belly and chest, starting from the bottom.



9. Glue blond hair to the underside of the tail, starting at the tip. Glue orange hair to the top and sides of the tail, starting at the tip. Glue orange hair to the rest of the squirrel, starting from the bottom.



10. Trim off any excess hair. Glue the eyes in place and a pine cone scale for the nose. Glue 3 pieces of wire or fishing string on each side of the nose for whiskers. Glue the tail to the squirrel. Done!