


TREE COASTERS



Jehoshaphat had to stand still and let God fight his battles in 2 Chronicles 20:17.
Let's be like trees, firmly planted in Jesus.

YOU WILL NEED:

- Ultra Fine Point Permanent Black Marker
- 4 Wood Slices $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick and 4-5" in diameter 
- Black Permanent Marker
- Small Bristle Paintbrush
- Brush for Mod Podge
- Fine Paint Brush
- Wooden Toothpicks
- Palette
- Paint
- Sandpaper
- Mod Podge



DIRECTIONS:



1. Ask an adult to cut four $\frac{1}{2}$ " slices from a dry log that is 4-5 inches in diameter. Sand the flat surfaces of the wood pieces well.



2. Draw a tree on all four pieces with black marker.



3. With a fine brush, apply white paint along the tree branches for snow. Put a little snow under the tree as well. Use the end of a toothpick to make falling snow.



4. Apply dark pink paint to the next tree with a bristle brush.



5. Next, apply a coat of pink paint mixed with white paint to the tree, still using the a bristle brush.



6. Add grass underneath with a fine brush. Apply a little pink and white paint on the grass under the tree for fallen petals. Let it dry.



7. Apply dark green paint to the third tree with a bristle brush. Paint the grass with a fine brush.



8. Using the bristle brush, apply a second coat of mixed dark and light green paint to the tree. Apply some yellow paint to the top of the grass. Let it dry.



9. Apply dark red paint to the last tree with a bristle brush and add some under the tree as well.



10. Using the bristle brush, apply a second coat using orange paint to the tree and under the tree. Apply a third coat using yellow paint. Let it dry.



11. Apply a layer of Mod Podge to the surfaces. Let them dry.



12. These rustic coasters are now ready for your water glasses.



Adult assistance is suggested.