

# Tiffany Screen Stained-Glass Bookmark

In 1882, Louis Comfort Tiffany created a colorful stained-glass screen to divide the Entrance Hall from the Cross Hall in the White House. The screen was removed about two decades later and then sadly destroyed in a fire.

Now it's your chance to make a new stained-glass screen that also works as a bookmark!

## You Will Need:

- Tissue Paper
- Construction Paper
- Clear Contact Paper
- Scissors



*Painting depicting the Tiffany screen in the White House (1891). Completed by artist Peter Waddell in 2006 for the White House Historical Association.*

## Instructions:

1. Cut tissue paper into small pieces or take some pre-cut pieces. A little goes a long way! Also, cut out a construction paper frame that is the size of half your sheet of contact paper.



2. Fold your contact paper in half with the backing together. Unfold and peel the back half off.



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3. First, place the construction paper frame onto the sticky side of the contact paper. Next, arrange your tissue paper within the frame.



4. When your frame is full of tissue paper fold the contact paper over to cover it. Cut away any extra contact paper but leave a little bit around the edges. This way it will stick together better.



5. Now enjoy your new colorful bookmark!



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