

DANISH PAPER HEART CHAIN

Using a traditional Danish heart design, each person will write selections from the Word about marriage, and record hopes and promises for their own future marriage.

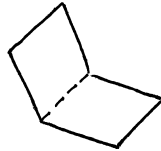
Materials Needed for Each Person:

2 white and 2 red rectangular pieces of paper measuring 9cm x 14 cm (3 ½ x 5 ½ inches)
scissors
pens or pencils (metallic gold pens would provide a special touch for this project)

Note: You may want to have extra rectangles ready for those who wish to make their chains longer.

Procedure:

1. Fold paper in half lengthwise.



2. Fold in half again, widthwise.



3. Put the heart pattern on the rectangle with left edge on fold. Draw around the heart.



4. Cut on solid lines, being careful not to cut folds.

5. **Open hearts and write on each one.** For the white hearts: choose a marriage quote from the accompanying list and write it around the heart. For the red hearts: think about what this passage means to you, and how you would like to observe it in your own marriage. Write your thoughts and promises *inside* the hearts.

6. **Link the hearts together into a chain.** Open the hearts up and thread them through each other to look like this. You can use a little tape to fasten the top heart together.



Heart Pattern (left edge to be put on fold)

