**RELIGION PROJECTS**
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Text: I Kings 11:1-13, 26-43
Subject: Solomon’s Last Years
Dole Notes: Volume: 3   Chapter: 72   Page: 216
Age Group: Beginners: 3-5

Basic supplies:  
- [Glue](image)
- [Markers](image)
- Paper
- Paint

**Materials:**
- Fabric remnants
- Scissors
- Large piece of paper
- Crayons
- String and tape

Teacher preparation:
- Make a large map of the kingdom using a Biblical map or atlas to show the 12 tribes
- Cut out a simple garment for each child, or else one for them all to share

**Procedure:**
- Each child tears (scissors will help) his garment (or the one garment) into 12 pieces
- Children all help cut the map into 12 tribes
- Tape the 2 halves of Manasseh together with string
- Color the pieces
- Give each child a chance to put the puzzle back together
- Talk about the division of the 10 tribes from the 2 tribes (Judah & Benjamin) and illustrate with both the map and torn garment (they will all want a chance to count)

**Notes:**

**Music: First Songs:**
- Lori’s tape: 12 Sons of Israel

**Liturgy:**