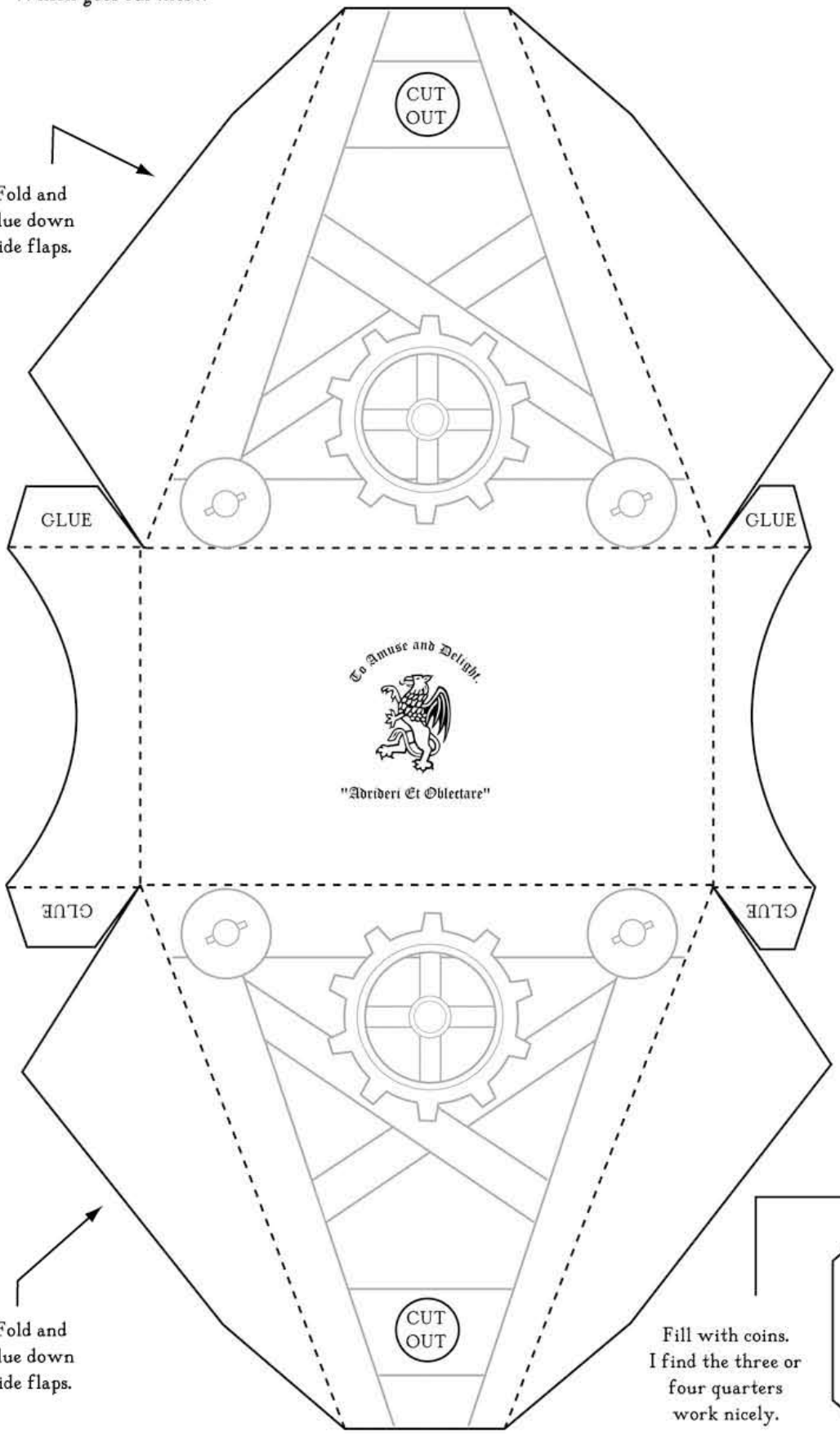
Medieval Trebuchet

Cut out the pieces, fold and glue together. Cut a soda straw in half and feed throught the holes so that the trebuchet arm swings freely. Put coins in the square holder so the short arm of the trebuchet is weighted. Try flinging different kinds of things, beans, pieces of paper, pop tops, macaroni. Which goes farthest?



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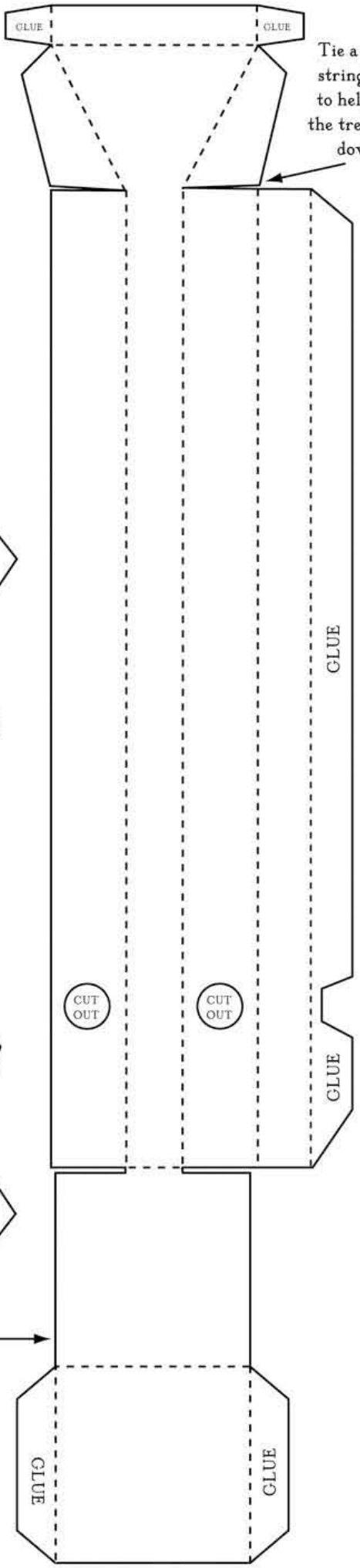

Tie a short string here to help pull the trebuchet down.

Fill with coins. I find the three or four quarters work nicely.

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