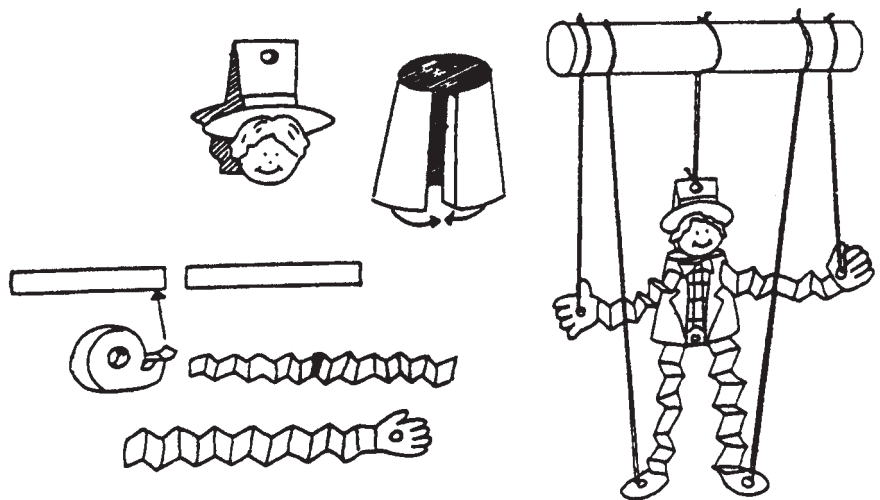


# Leprechaun Marionette

## Materials:

- patterns on pages 174-175
- index or stiff paper
- paper towel tube
- 11' (4m) string or yarn
- glue or tape
- scissors
- hole punch
- markers or crayons

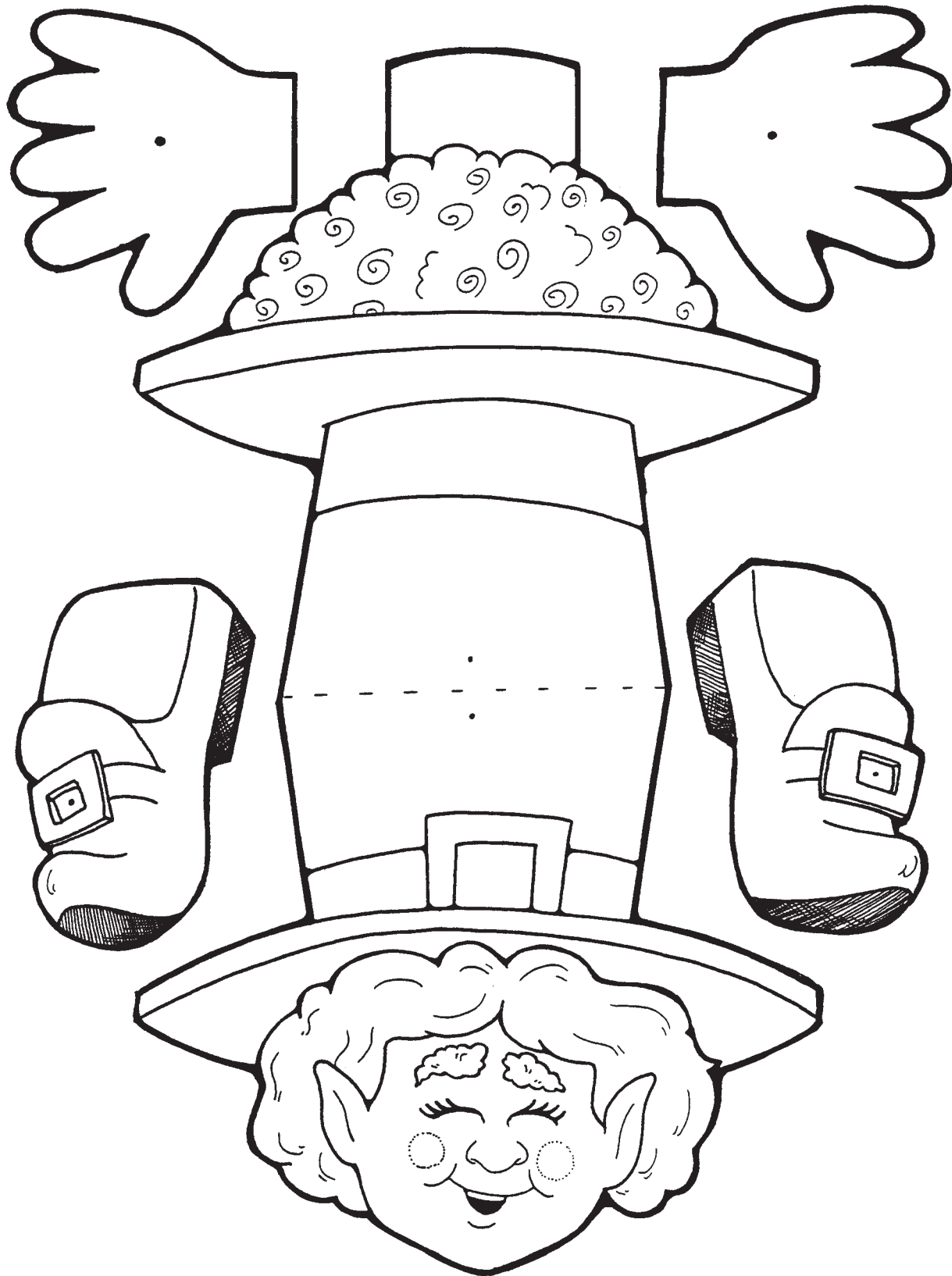


## Directions:

1. Reproduce pattern onto index paper. Color and cut out.
2. Fold over head; punch hole in hat.
3. Roll the body into a tube shape and fold tab in; attach the back together.
4. Reproduce strips on the bottom of this page four times. Glue or tape together two strips for each arm and each leg. Accordion fold legs and arms.
5. Punch holes in hands and feet and attach them to the ends of arms and legs.
6. Tape or glue head by attaching the face to the front of the body and the neck inside the back of the body. Attach arms and legs to body with tape or glue.
7. Tie a 15" (38 cm) length of string around the middle of the paper towel tube and attach it to the leprechaun's hat.
8. Tie a 3' (1 m) length of string to right side of the paper towel tube and attach it to the leprechaun's left foot. Do the same for the right foot.
9. Tie an 18" (46 cm) length to the left side of the paper towel tube and attach it to the leprechaun's left hand. Do the same for the right hand.
10. Manipulate the marionette by raising and lowering the string.



# Leprechaun Marionette Pattern



# Leprechaun Marionette Pattern (cont.)

