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## *Materials List & Instructions*

### Painted Tissue Paper Feathers

#### Tools

Scissors  
Low-temp hot glue gun  
Small paint brush for Mod Podge  
Two inch chip brush

#### Materials

White tissue paper  
White cloth covered floral wire  
Mod Podge  
Metallic acrylic paint (recommended:  
Liquitex Soft Body Acrylic in Iridescent  
Rich Gold and Bronze)

#### Instructions

1. Gather tools and materials.
2. Cover work area and spread out and flatten a piece of tissue paper. Dip chip brush in a small amount of slightly diluted acrylic paint. Brush paint in steady vertical strokes across surface of paper. Experiment with quantities of paint until you get the right amount. No need to be too precise with strokes because you can pick the areas of the paper that you use for feathers.
3. When dry, fold tissue in half and glue together with slightly diluted Mod Podge. Repeat steps 2 and 3 with second metallic paint color to make second feather.
4. Using template, cut feather shapes with brush strokes at an angle from straight edge.
5. Cut piece of white wire to fit feather and hot glue to the edge of one feather half.
6. Paint Mod Podge over this edge so that second half can be attached, overlapping so that wire is sandwiched between the two.
7. Press halves together and repeat with second feather.
8. Refine feather shapes and cut fringe along the edges.

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