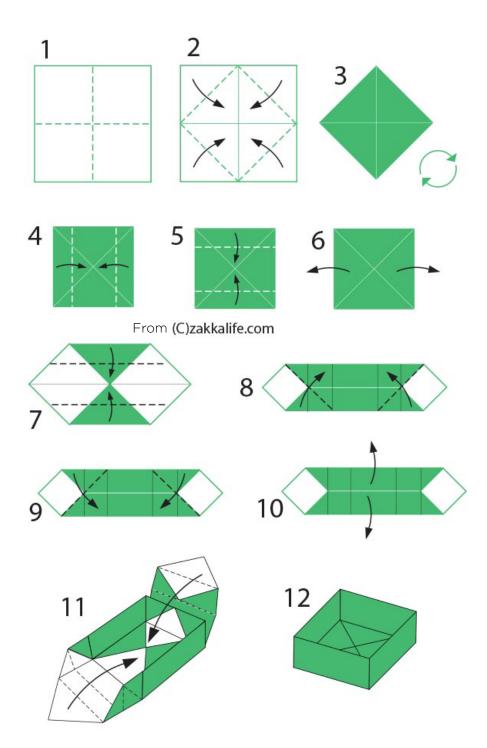
**DIRECTIONS:** Start with a square piece of paper (cut two and a half inches off the end of a piece of letter-sized paper, or use construction paper, gift wrap, or a newspaper). In the center of the page, write something you'd like to offer to God. It can be a heartfelt stateent of praise, an acknowledgement of a skill or talent He gave you and an idea about how to use that for Him, or whatever you want. Now google "origami box" for step-by-step instructions—there are plenty of sites to choose from— or use one of the templates here. Then fold your paper into a gift box, following the instructions provided.

As you pray, hold the box in the air and imagine God reaching down to receive it. Keep it beside your bed or on your desk as a reminder to offer yourself and your abilities to Him every day.



If origami isn't your thing, you may print one of these templates instead. Simply cut along solid lines and fold on dotted lines as indicated. Click on the image to go to a printable and downloadable PDF file.

