

Sanctuary First

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An Extravagant Generosity Creative Dance

Find someone who is interested in creative dance. You'll be amazed at the people around who just love doing this kind of thing. Give them a lot of poetic license to interpret the idea that is explained below.

An expressive dancer moves to the front interpreting a dance movement to the music entitled "Approaching Menace" (download from iTunes) the character is dressed like a convict wearing a suit with arrows marked on it. Around the dancers legs is a chain. As the dancer approaches the front it becomes obvious that the convict is facing the gallows.

Two people stand at the front to symbolise guards or executioners. As the dancer moves forward and the rope is about to be placed around his or her neck two people appear dressed as courtiers. They prevent the rope being put around the neck and they remove the convict clothes and place royal looking clothes on the dancer.

Using the song "You Rescued Me" the dancer interprets the meaning expressing a sense of joy and relief that she has moved from their place of condemnation to a place of freedom and hope.