Creatively Process: Collage

**ART JOURNAL A PAGE** 



To LISTEN, PROCESS & REMEMBER

THE GOAL: Create a hope-full page that summarizes or captures the key treasure the Lord blessed you with as you learned about developing a heart that perseveres.

Materials:\*

Magazines, Scissors, markers, pens, a glue stick, blank paper to glue your creation onto crayons, stickers, stamps.

\*NOTE: You can do this as simple as you'd like, even using regular notebook paper and a bic pen, and it will still be impactful.

Instructions:

 CREATE Your Backdrop: You can either use heavy paper or glue multiple sheets of regular paper together. It helps to have a substantial background to hold the weight of the images. I find mixed media paper or cardstock works best for this. You can even use black paper as a basis. What color would you like your background to be? This can help pull your creation together.

- 2. SELECT images and words: Start with the picture you selected at the beginning or select a new one that connects with a key thing that stood out to you during your time together. Look for images or words you can add.
- 3. TEAR or CUT OUT the images and words you selected from the magazine. Even the way you cut the picture can add to the creativity.
- 4. PLAY with the ARRANGEMENT of the images and words on your background page.
- 5. WRITE in the spaces around the pictures and images, what's stood out to you from your time together.
- 6. Have fun creating a hope full page that summarizes or captures the key treasure the Lord blessed her with during your time together. Or she might create something that brings to light how she's struggling to hope. Encourage her to listen to the Lord as she does this
- 7. MISTAKES can be opportunities to listen. Ask the Lord to help you. You might find He was at work re-directing your thinking through what you initially thought messed everything up.
- 8. SHARE your pages with each other when you are finished creating.
- 9. PRAY for each other.