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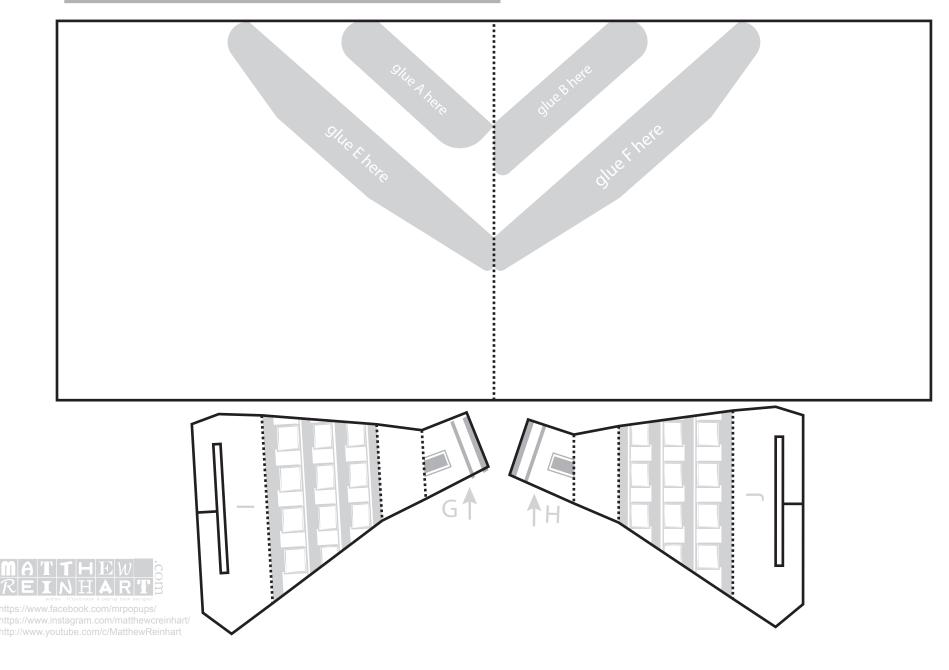
The Temple of Kukulcàn:

- Chichen Itza was a large Pre-Columbian Mayan city, located in present-day Yucatàn, Mexico.
- The Mayans built a large step pyramid called The Temple of Kukulcàn at the center of the city. • The temple was built to honor the deity Kukulcàn, a feathered serpent; because of this, statues
- of feathered serpents are present on the northern side of the pyramid.

• During the spring and autumn equinoxes, the afternoon sun casts shadows on these statues that create the illusion of the statues crawling down the pyramid.



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