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Metal Leaf Flaking

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Using metal leaf or metal leaf flakes, metal leaf adhesive and a simple glass or ceramic vase, create a personalized gift, adorned with your found or precious items that can be attached to the vase with any yarn, cord or ribbon you choose.

Materials you may have on hand

- Leather, fabric cording, ribbon or yarn
- Small Items that can be attached to the cord/ribbon/yarn which you find or have meaning to you or to the person who is recipient of this hand crafted gift
- Glass or ceramic vase, cleaned of any dirt or oil*
- Blue painters tape
- Soft paint brush (if you don't have one, you might try a clean make-up brush)

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*If you want to get more creative, choose any other item that is non-porous like a plate or painted frame to which you can attach and hang your found or precious items.

Materials you may need to purchase.
These are available at some art and craft stores such as Hobby Lobby or though online sites such as Amazon or DickBlick.

- Metal leaf (either gold, silver, copper or variegated)
- Metal leaf adhesive (must be specifically for metal leaf)
- Optional: Metal leaf sealer

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Note: There are a few brands and the one I have on hand is Speedball Mona Lisa metal leaf and adhesive.