

1 Corinthians 3: 5b to 8 God's gardeners

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Why not see if you can grow some seeds from a piece of fruit like an apple, pear or orange? What other seeds might grow?

Place seeds on damp paper and store in a cool, dark place for 1-2 weeks until they start to sprout. Put some moist soil in an egg shell, an egg carton or a toilet paper roll on a saucer and sow your seed in it so that the seed and any roots are below the surface and the sprouting part is just above the surface. Place it where it can get sunshine and water it gently whenever it starts to dry out. Once you have a healthy sprout growing, you can plant it outside (container included if it is biodegradable) and watch it grow.



A prayer for when it's raining

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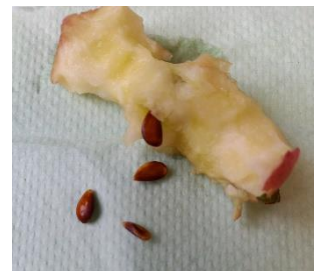
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