Beautiful Northern Lights Chalk Art

This is a simple yet so beautiful art project, that will make the art look like a glowing light on the paper! Once you start you may not want to stop! So, do not be afraid to explore and combine different methods. You may end up with messy fingers and a little bit of chalk dust, but its lots of fun! Let us get started!

Materials:

• Black Construction Paper
• White piece of paper
• Chalk Pastels (or sidewalk chalk works just as good)
• Cotton Balls
• Scissors

Instructions:

1. Start by cutting out a mountain shape from the white piece of paper.
2. Place the White Mountain shape cut out onto of the black construction paper. (To make it easy, simply tape the construction paper and the mountain together to keep things from slipping around.)
3. Then get your chalk and color over the mountain, directly onto the black construction paper. (Extending about 1.5 inches beyond the mountain.)

4. Continue coloring over the mountain with different chalk colors until you have reached the end. Do not move the White Mountain cut out just yet!
5. Use a cotton ball to rub the chalk and create the lights. Start with the cotton ball on the mountain and move it onto the black construction paper into the sky. (So the colors can stand out use different cotton balls for each chalk color)

Feel free to overlap the colors a little bit as you rub- it will help with the sense of moving lights.

6. When all the colors have been rubbed away from the mountain, carefully pull away the White Mountain cut out.

If you want to get even more creative, color in small dabs of white onto the sky to create stars. LOOK AT THAT GLOW! It is so easy to make a beautiful glowing sky.