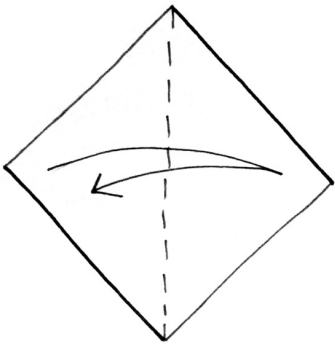


Pureland Origami Tree

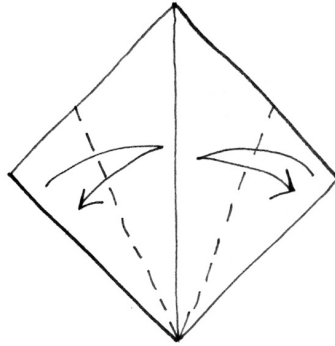
Traditional Tree Variant by Dorothy Engleman

Diagrams Drawn by Mary Ellen Palmeri

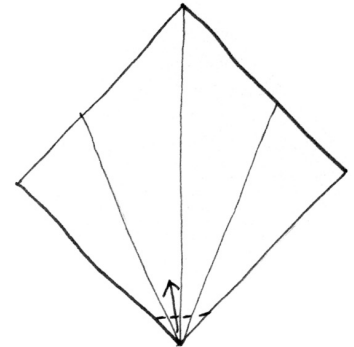
"Pureland" origami is a style of paper folding that is limited to using only simple mountain & valley folds; the aim being to make origami easier for inexperienced folders and those who have impaired motor skills. I think this tree model, promoted by my friend Dorothy, is a great example of a successful pureland model!



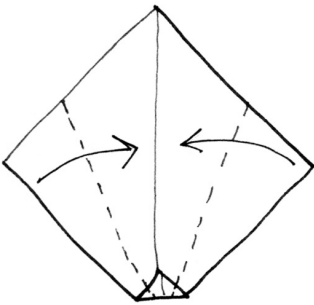
1. White side up; crease diagonal & unfold



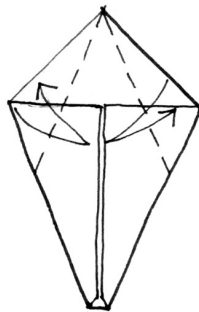
2. Kite fold & unfold: bring lower edges to center, crease & unfold



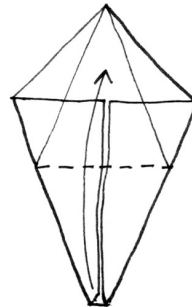
3. Fold up small portion of bottom point



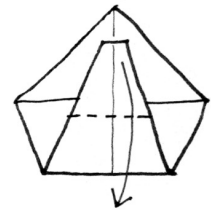
4. Re-fold on existing creases made in step 2



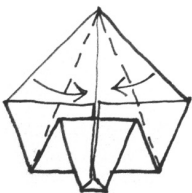
5. Fold upper edges to meet at center, then unfold



6. Fold lower section up. Note: the fold runs from the edges of previous creases



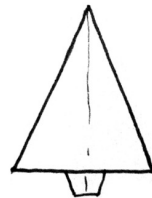
7. Fold same flap back down so a little shows below bottom edge. This fold creates the tree trunk & can be adjusted as desired for size.



8. Re-fold top edges on previous creases made in step 5



9. Turn model over...



10. Completed Pureland Tree

