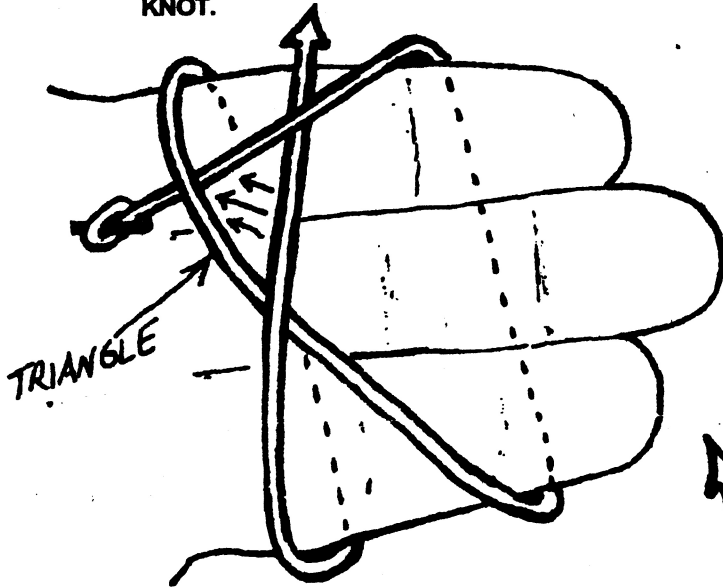


# Use the Scout Sign to Make a Turk's Head Slide

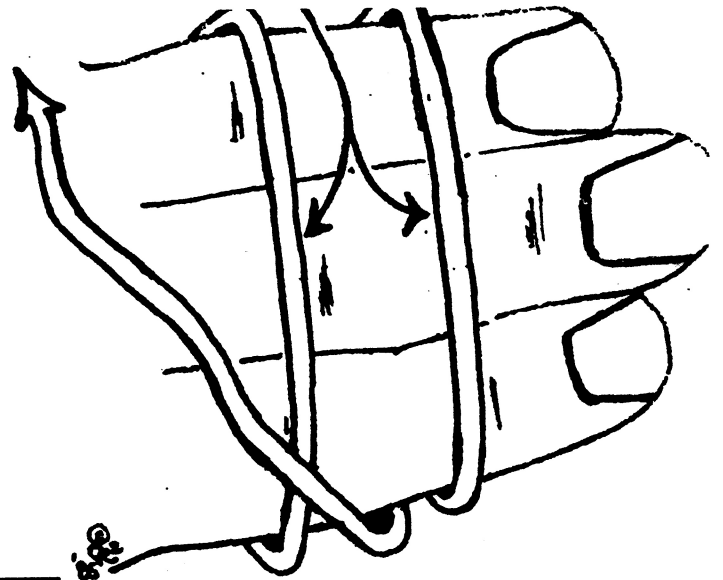
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USE PALM OF LEFT HAND FOR THE SIGN & MAKE THIS TRIANGLE!  
 TIE OVERHAND KNOT IN EACH END OF CORD BEFORE CUTTING A TIGHT  
 OVERHAND KNOT STARTS THE KNOT...  
 LEAVE THE OTHER END LOOSE TO ADJUST YOUR TASSLE AT THE END!  
 DRAW THE TRIANGLE SNUG & PINCH WITH YOUR LEFT THUMB TO HOLD THE  
 KNOT.



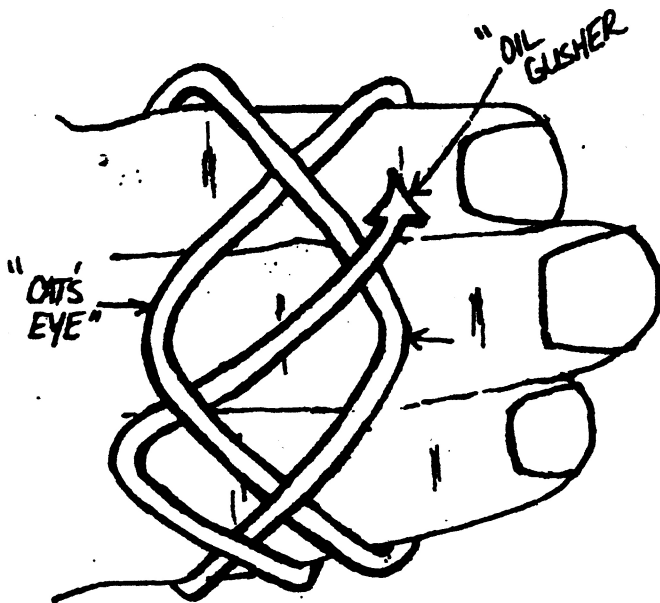
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FLIP YOUR HAND OVER.  
 DRAPE THE RUNNING END OVER THE LEFT  
 SIDE OF YOUR HAND, & BE PREPARED TO  
 CROSS THESE 2 INTO A CAT'S EYE!



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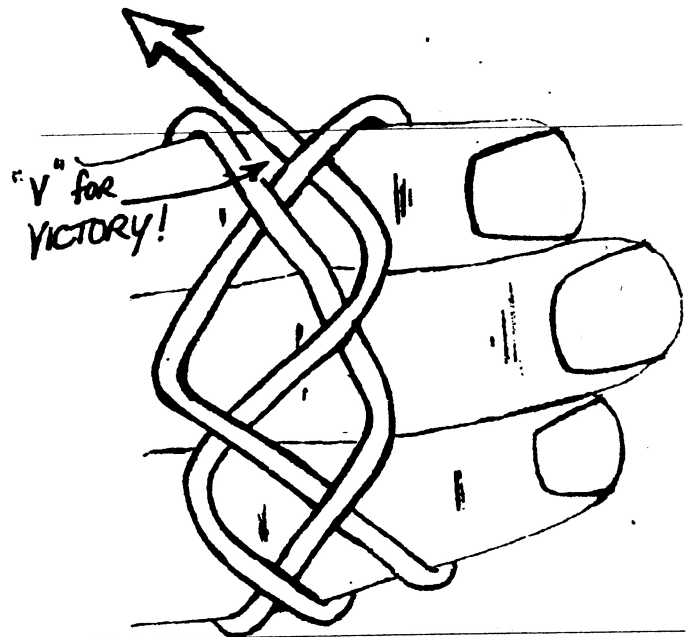
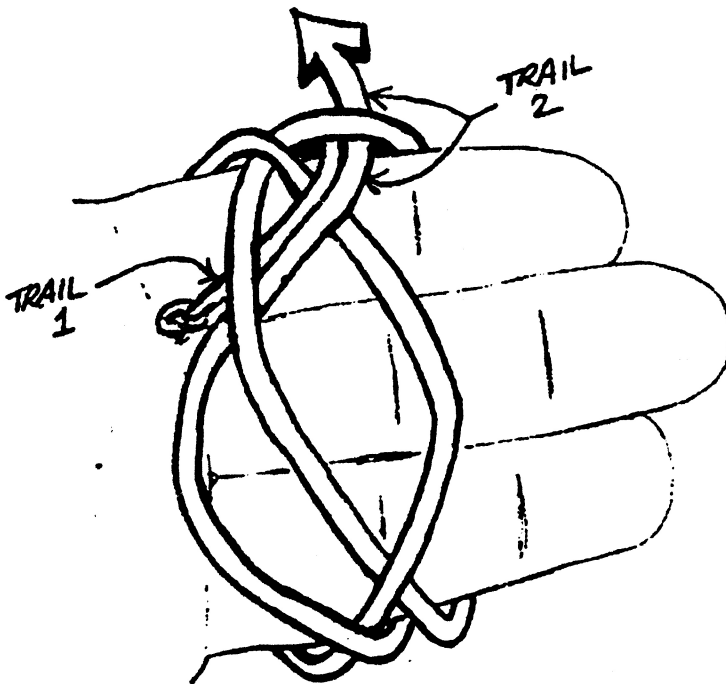
- A. CROSS THE OUTER CORD UNDER TO MAKE A CAT'S EYE! (LIKE BRINGING A SCOUT WHO'S ON THE EDGE OF THE TROOP UNDER YOUR WING & CLOSER TO YOUR HEART).
- B. NOW BRING THE RUNNING END UNDER THE LEFT SIDE OF THE CAT'S EYE & SHOOT IT STRAIGHT UP THE MIDDLE, LIKE AN OIL GUSHER COMING OUT THE CAT'S EYE!



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NOW BRING THE OIL GUSHER OVER THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE CAT'S EYE, UNDER & UP THROUGH THE 'V FOR VICTORY' VICTORY BECAUSE YOU'RE DONE WITH THE HARD PART NOW.

NOTE: THIS IS A WEAVING KNOT GOING FROM LEFT TO RIGHT TO LEFT, THE RUNNING END ALSO WEAVES OVER, THEN UNDER, THEN OVER EACH SUCCEEDING STRAND (& CONTINUES IN THE SAME FASHION.)



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A. ALL YOU DO NOW IS TURN YOUR HAND BACK OVER (TIRING, ISN'T IT?) AND PUT THE RUNNING END RIGHT NEXT TO THE BEGINNING PIECE.

B. TO DO THE NEXT PART OF THE TURK'S HEAD, JUST MAKE A NEW TRAIL ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE FIRST TRAIL YOU WOVE... EVERYTHING TRAIL 1 GOES OVER, TRAIL 2 SHOULD GO OVER, EVERYTHING TRAIL 1 GOES UNDER, TRAIL 2 SHOULD GO UNDER TOO. JUST MAKE SURE YOU STAY ON THE RIGHT TRAIL & STAY ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE SAME CORD. BECAUSE THIS KNOT WEAVES ON ITSELF, YOU WILL GO AROUND THE KNOT TWICE BEFORE YOU HAVE 2 TRAILS INTERLOCKING WITH 2 TRAILS. ALSO, THE BEGINNING OF TRAIL 2 IS USUALLY WHERE I SLIDE THE BASIC KNOT OFF THE SCOUT SIGN & JUST HOLD IT BETWEEN THE THUMB & 1<sup>ST</sup> FINGER OF MY LEFT HAND. WEAVE THIS KNOT LOOSELY SINCE IT'S FAR EASIER TO GO BACK TO THE BEGINNING & TIGHTEN EACH SEGMENT AS YOU NEED MORE CORD RATHER THAN TRY TO LOOSEN ONE TIED TOO TIGHT.

C. WHEN YOU FINISH THE 2ND TRAIL (2 ON 2), BEGIN A 3RD TRAIL ON THE RIGHT OF THE 2ND ONE. SUDDENLY, THE TWINS ARE BECOMING TRIPLETS! STAY ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE 2ND TRAIL TO WEAVE THE 3RD TRAIL AS BEFORE, STAY ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE SAME CORD ALL THE WAY THRU THIS LAST PART OF THE KNOT (2 TIMES AROUND TO GET 3 TRAILS CROSSING 3 TRAILS.)

### HINTS TO FINISH

1. WHEN YOU START YOUR 4th TRAIL, IT'S TIME TO STOP! JUST POKE THE OVERHAND KNOT THRU TO THE OUTSIDE OR OUT THE BOTTOM & SLIP IT TO WHERE YOU WANT THE TASSLE TO BEGIN!
2. IF YOU TAPE YOUR CORD INTO A POINT, YOU CAN THREAD IT THROUGH A BEAD OR 2 & THEN KNOT AGAIN BEFORE THE TASSLE!
3. 1/4' CORD NEEDS TO BE 52' LONG TO TIE THIS, THINNER TAKES LESS. ONCE YOU MEASURE THE RIGHT LENGTH, USE YOUR OUTSTRETCHED ARMS TO GET A FEEL FOR IT.
- 4: IF YOU USE A CORD COMPOSED OF MANY SMALL FIBERS, THE WIDE TEETH OF A POCKET COMB ARE EXCELLENT FOR SPREADING THE FIBERS INTO A NICE TASSLE!
- 5: TO MEMORIZE THIS KNOT, MEMORIZE THE 5 KEY PHRASES: "TRIANGLE", "CAT'S EYE", "OIL GUSHER", "V FOR VICTORY", "STAY ON THE RIGHT TRAIL"!

