

A decorative border of small, stylized Girl Scout figures in blue and yellow, arranged in a grid-like pattern around the page.

Paper Doll Ceremony

As each girl says her verse, she stretches her hand out to the next girl to speak until all the girls are standing across linked together like paper dolls.

- Girl 1: Take my hand in friendship I give to you this day.
Remember all the good times we had along the way.
- Girl 2: Take my hand in helping other people that we know.
The more we give to others, the more that we will grow.
- Girl 3: Take my hand in learning to camp on nature's ground.
Enjoying trails and campfires with new friends we have found.
- Girl 4: Take my hand in thanking our leaders and our guides
With sincere appreciation for standing by our sides.
- Girl 5: Take my hand in eagerness to be an older scout.
We're proud to be Juniors is what we're going to shout.
- Girl 6: So take my hand to follow new scouting paths in sight.
We'll join hands to each other, in friendship we'll unite.
- All the girls: We give our hands in promise to hold our country dear.
And abide the Girl Scout Law each day throughout the year.