A custom design made by Jerry D. Plant, from ice cream sticks, strips of aluminum from soda pop cans, and hot glue scavenged from pastry boxes. The plugs and pins were hand-carved from wood, but I don’t know the sources.

This was a superior shaker as it was easy to use, easy to fill, and held a big supply of salt and pepper contained in a single container. The one drawback though was the hot glue holding everything together, as after several months use some of the metal fittings would let go.

Hinge and bands are aluminum strips from a soda pop can (heat treated)

Extract plug to shake out salt or pepper (other end)

Retaining pin attachment by string to band so as not to get misplaced when refilling

Ice cream sticks glued together

Close to actual size