VALUELINE SERIES ELECTRIC FIREPLACE HEATER Model #: 80018, 80019, 80030, 80031

# **OWNER'S MANUAL**



### ValueLine Series Recessed Electric Fireplace 42" / 50" / 60" / 72"

### AC 110-120V 60Hz 1300W

result in fire, electric shock, or serious personal injury.	
Read and understand this entire owner's manual, including all safety information, before plugging in or using this product. Failure to do so could result in fire, electric shock, or serious personal injury.	

	Keep this owner's manual for future reference. If you sell or give this product away, make sure this manual accompanies this product.
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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION WARNING!

- THIS FIREPLACE IS HOT WHEN IN OPERATION AND CAN CAUSE SEVERE BURNS
- Do not operate fireplace before reading and understanding operating instructions. Failure to operate fireplace according to operating instructions could cause fire or injury.
- Risk of burns. This fireplace is HOT when in operation and heating element is ON. Power to the fireplace should be turned off and the fireplace allowed to cool before servicing. To disconnect power to the fireplace, turn controls to off, then remove plug from outlet.
- Do not install damaged, incomplete, or substitute components.
- Young children should be carefully supervised when they are in same room with fireplace. Toddlers, young children and others may be susceptible to accidental contact burns. A physical barrier is recommended if there are at-risk individuals in the house. To restrict access to the fireplace, install an adjustable safety gate to keep toddlers, young children and other at-risk individuals away from the fireplace and hot surfaces.
- Clothing and other flammable material should not be placed on or near the fireplace.
- Due to high temperatures, the fireplace should be located out of traffic and away from furniture and draperies.
- Ensure that you have incorporated adequate safety measures to protect infants/toddlers from touching hot surfaces.
- It is imperative that the control compartments, circulating blower, and its passageway in the fireplace is kept clean.
- Under no circumstances should this fireplace be modified.
- Do not use the fireplace if any part has been under water.
- Do not operate the fireplace with the glass panel removed, cracked or broken.
- Keep the packaging material out of the reach of children. As with all plastic bags, these are not toys and should be kept away from children and infants.
- Servicing should only be done while the fireplace is disconnected from the power outlet.
- Unplug fireplace if not being used for an extended period of time.
- Do not operate this fireplace with a damaged cord or plug after the fireplace malfunctions, has been dropped, or damaged in any manner.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Never locate fireplace where it may fall into a bathtub or other water container.
- Do not run the cord under carpeting. Do not cover cord with throw rugs, runners, or the like. Arrange cord away from traffic area and where it will not be tripped over.
- Connect to properly grounded outlets only.
- Do not insert foreign objects into any ventilation or exhaust opening as this may cause and electric shock, fire, or damage to the fireplace.
- To prevent a possible fire, do not block the air intakes or exhaust in any manner. Do not use on soft surfaces, like a carpet, where openings may be blocked.
- Ensure clearances to combustibles are maintained when building a mantel or shelves above the fireplace. Elevated temperatures on the wall or in the air above the fireplace can cause melting, discoloration or damage to the decorations, a TV or other electronic components.



# **General Information**

### CSA Approval Listing Information

This fireplace has been tested in accordance with the CSA Standards for fixed and location-dedicated electric room appliances in the United States and Canada. If you need assistance during installation, please contact our technical support department at 800-215-1990 option 2.

Note: This fireplace must be electrically wired and grounded in accordance with local codes or, in the absence of local codes, with National Electric Code ANSI/NFPA 70-latest edition in the United States or the Canadian Electric Code, CSA C22.1 in Canada.

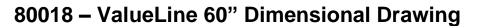
### Fireplace Specifications

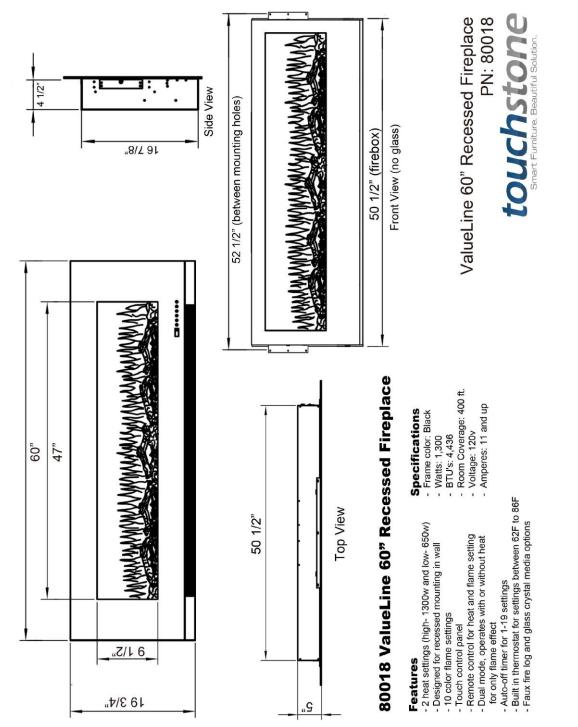
Model Number	80018	80019
Description	ValueLine60	ValueLine72
Voltage	120v AC	120v AC
Watts	Max 1300W	Max 1300W
Amps	15 AMP Grounded	15 AMP Grounded
	Circuit	Circuit
<b>Fireplace Width</b>	60"	72"
<b>Fireplace Height</b>	19 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	19 <sup>3</sup> /4"
<b>Fireplace Depth</b>	5"	5"
Net Weight	64 lbs	80 lbs
Gross Weight	73 lbs	90 lbs

Model Number	80030	80031
Description	ValueLine42	ValueLine50
Voltage	120v AC	120v AC
Watts	Max 1300W	Max 1300W
Amps	15 AMP Grounded	15 AMP Grounded
	Circuit	Circuit
Fireplace Width	42"	50"
<b>Fireplace Height</b>	19 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	19 <sup>3</sup> /4"
<b>Fireplace Depth</b>	5"	5"
Net Weight	45 lbs	49 lbs
Gross Weight	50 lbs	55 lbs

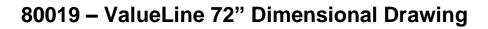


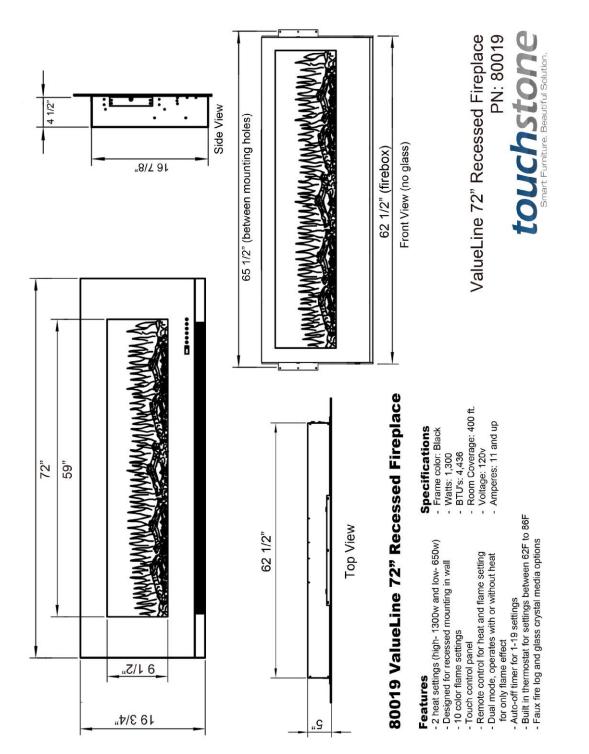
### **Dimensional Drawings**



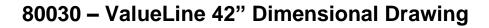


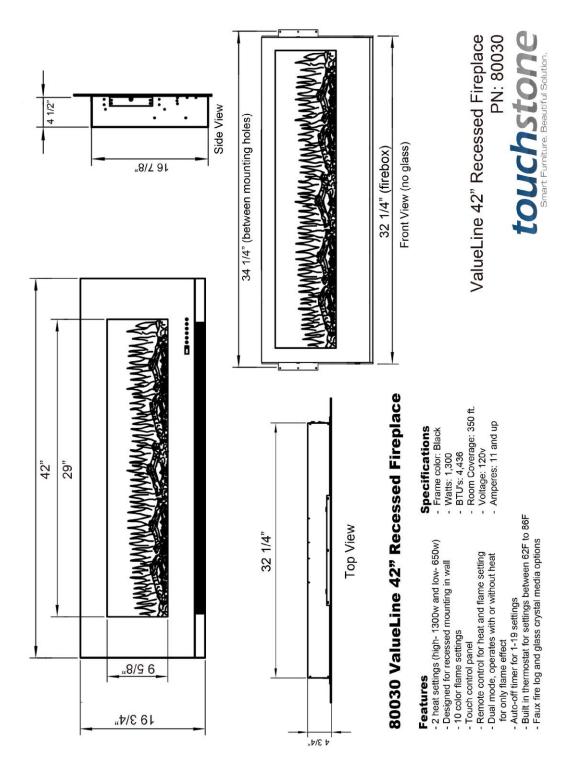




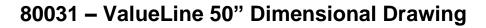


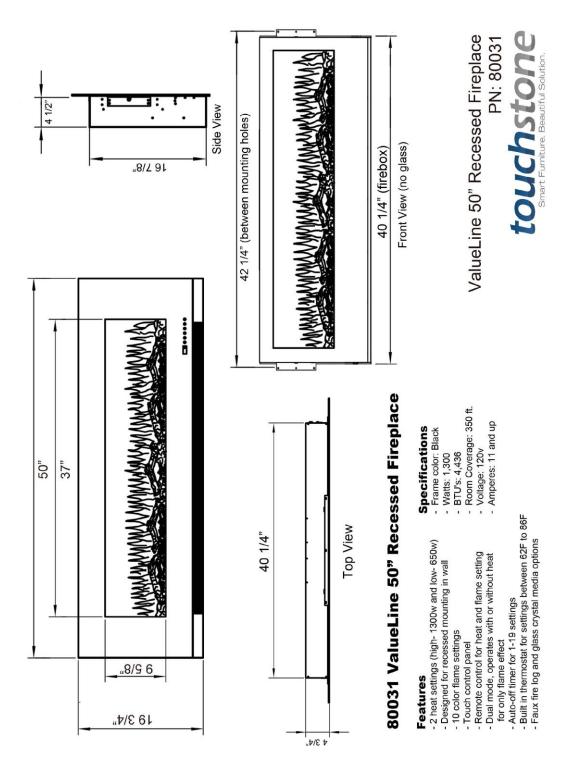














# **Unpacking Your Fireplace**

### Parts and Hardware

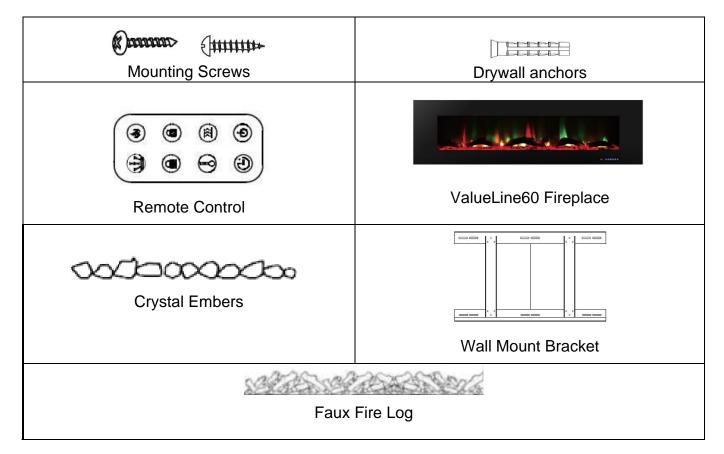
#### **Tools Required**

- Phillips screwdriver
- Stud finder
- Level

- Tape Measure

- Electric Drill  $-\frac{1}{4}$ " wood drill bit

#### What's in the Box



### Unpacking and Setup

#### **Unpacking Instructions:**

Remove all parts and hardware from the carton and place them on a clean, soft, dry surface. Check the parts • list to make sure no parts are missing. If parts are missing, please contact technical support at 610-884-4134 for replacement.

NOTE: Dispose of plastic bag, as it may cause choking hazard with young children. Do not let children play with plastic bag.



### Wiring

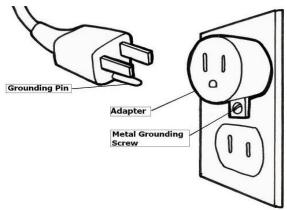
The ValueLine series recessed fireplace can either be plugged into a grounded 3-prong outlet.

#### **Testing the Fireplace Prior to Installation**

- Before installing the fireplace, test the fireplace to make sure that it operates properly.
- Plug fireplace into approved outlet and power on fireplace. Once fireplace is tested, continue with installation.
- If you have any problems, please contact technical support at 800-215-1990 opt 2.

#### **3-prong Outlet Installation**

- Only use this fireplace on a 120V AC, 15-Amp grounded circuit. Never overload the circuit. If this fireplace trips the circuit breaker, unplug all other appliances on the same circuit before the next use. Avoid plugging other appliances into the same circuit as this fireplace.
- Always check the fireplace plug and connections before each use.
- Never plug this fireplace into an outlet that is cracked or has any loose wires or connections. Plugging this fireplace into a faulty outlet could result in the outlet overheating or catching fire.
- Make sure this plug fits securely into the outlet. Faulty wall outlet connections or loose plugs can cause the outlet to overheat. If the outlet or faceplate is hot, discontinue use immediately and have a qualified electrician inspect and/or replace the faulty outlet.
- The power cord supplied with the heater has three prongs: two flat blades (live and neutral) and one round pin (ground). If a 3-slot receptacle is not available, an adapter **MUST** be used. The adapter **MUST** be **properly grounded** to the outlet box (see figure below).



NOTE: Adapter NOT INCLUDED.

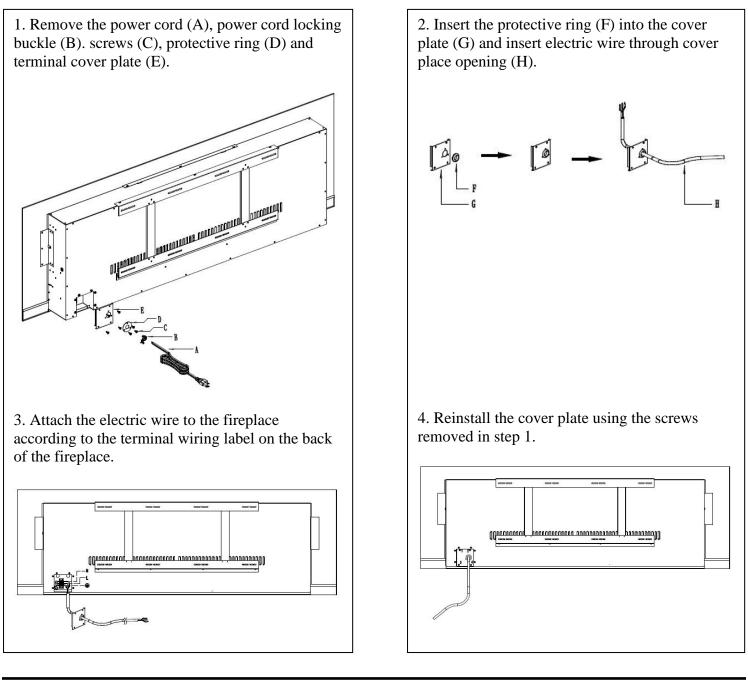


#### **Hard Wire Connection**

If it is necessary to hard wire this appliance, a qualified electrician must remove the cord connection, and wire the appliance directly to the house hold wiring.

This appliance must be electrically connected and grounded in accordance with local codes, if hard wired. In the absence of local codes, use the current ANSI/NFPA 70 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE in the United States or the current CSA C22.1 CANADIAN ELECTRICAL CODE in Canada.

#### Instructions:





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# Installation

#### WARNINGS

- Due to high temperatures, keep the fireplace out of high traffic locations.
- Keep combustible materials, such as furniture, pillows, bedding, papers, clothes, and curtains at least 36" away from the front of the fireplace.
- Never install the fireplace where it may fall into a bathtub or other body of water.
- Wear safety gloves and safety glasses for protection during installation. Broken glass may cause injury or harm.
- Prevent contact with loose insulation. Do not install the fireplace against a vapor barrier or exposed insulation.
- Do not expose the fireplace to the elements (rain, etc).

### **Choosing Installation Location**

#### **Choosing Wall Location**

- Measure wall location to ensure that fireplace will fit on desired wall location.
- Minimum clearances (measurements taken from front of glass panel):

<b>Bottom of Fireplace to Floor:</b>	6"	<b>Top of Fireplace:</b>	6" to mantel
Sides of Fireplace:	12"	Top of Fireplace:	6" to TV
Back of Fireplace:	0"	<b>Top of Fireplace:</b>	6" to ceiling

- Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is located at least 24" away from combustible materials such as curtains, drapes, furniture, bedding, or other combustible materials.
- See Safety Information on pages 3 for warnings about safe placement, safe installation, and proper use of this product.



### Removing The Glass Panel

Prior to installation, it is best to remove the glass panel. Please remove glass panel as per instructions below:

#### Instructions

1. Remove the 3 screws from the bracket behind the glass panel at the top of the fireplace.

Front of Fireplace



2. After removing the 3 top screws, there will be 1 screw on each side of the fireplace remove. Remove the screws shown below:





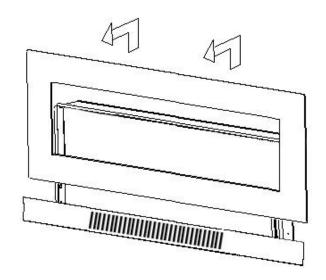


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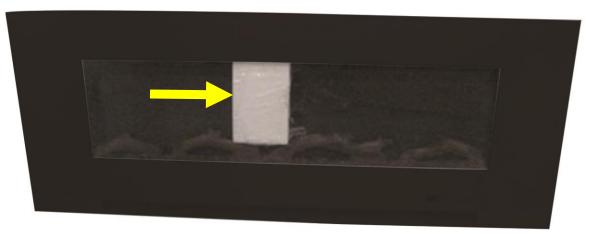
#### Removing The Glass Panel – cont.

3. After all 5 screws are removed, lift the front panel off of the fireplace by lifting the glass panel straight up and then out and away from the fireplace as shown in the diagram below.

CAUTION: It is recommended that 2 people remove the glass panel to minimize change of breakage.



4. Once the glass panel is removed, remove the foam packing and log set from behind the glass panel. Discard the foam packing and keep the log set for later installation.



Note: unit shown before glass panel is removed.

5. Place the glass panel on a soft surface to install at a later time.

NOTE: The 5 screws removed are for shipping purposes ONLY. They will not need to be reinstalled in a recessed application.

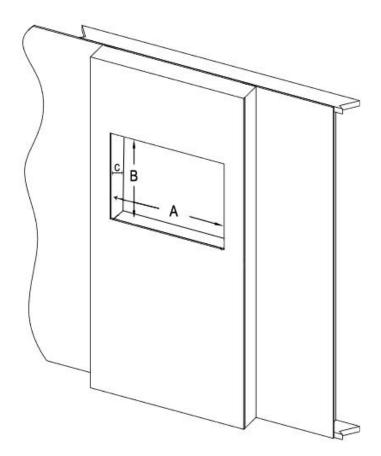


### **Recessed Installation**

- Due to many different finish materials use on walls, it is highly recommended that you consult your local builder before you install this fireplace in the wall.
- Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is located at least 36" away from combustible materials such as curtains, drapes, furniture, bedding, or other combustible materials.
- In order to avoid the possibility of exposed insulation or vapor barrier coming in contact with the fireplace, it is recommended that the walls of the fireplace enclosure be "finished" (ie. Sheetrock, drywall, etc) as you would finish any other outside wall of your home. This will ensure that clearance to combustibles is maintained within the wall cavity.
- Never install fireplace into load-bearing walls. When recessing fireplace in a wall, recess into non-load bearing walls ONLY!

#### Instructions:

- 1. Choose a location in the wall to install fireplace.
- 2. Create opening in the wall that is no more than <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" larger than metal firebox portion of fireplace.



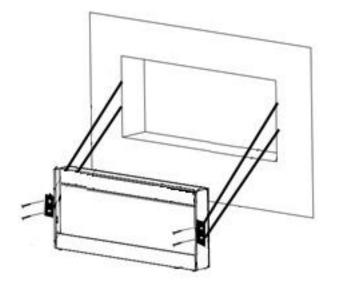
**Firebox Dimensions** 

Model	A (Width)	B (Height)	C (Depth)
80018	50 ½"	16 7/8"	4 ½"
80019	62 ½"	16 7/8"	4 ½"
80030	32 1/4"	16 7/8"	4 ½"
80031	40 ¼"	16 7/8"	4 ½"



#### Recessed Installation - cont.

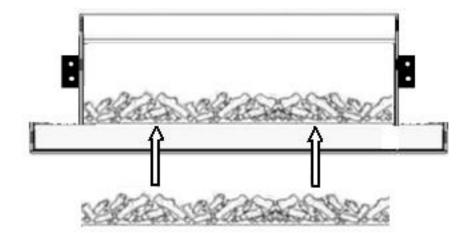
3. With the help of a second person, insert fireplace into wall opening and secure with mounting screws provided.



4. Once the fireplace is installed in the wall, install either the faux fire log or crystal embers.

#### a. Fire log Installation

i. The fireplace comes with the faux fire log already installed. If you plan to use the faux fire log, just keep the log in place and skip to step 5 to install the glass panel.





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#### Recessed Installation - cont.

#### **b.** Crystal Ember Installation

i. Prior to installing the crystal embers, remove the faux fire log from the fireplace.

ii. Remove the brackets holding the log in place.

iii. Once the brackets are removed, remove the faux fire log from the fireplace.



2a. Remove Left Bracket

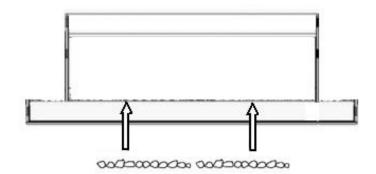


2b. Remove right bracket



3. Remove faux fire log

iv. Carefully, place crystal embers on plastic strip as illustrated in the picture to the right. Apply an even layer from side to side.





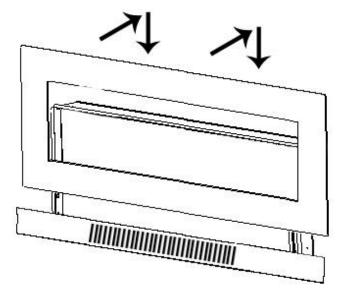


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#### Recessed Installation - cont.

5. Once completed installing crystal embers or fire log, reinstall glass panel. The hooks on the back of the glass panels fit into the slots on the side of the firebox. Once in the slots, the glass panel goes down and locks into place.



NOTE: The 5 screws that were removed earlier during the removal of the glass panel are for shipping purposes ONLY. They will not need to be reinstalled in a recessed application.



### Wall Mounted Installation

- Due to many different finish materials use on walls, it is highly recommended that you consult your local builder before you install this fireplace on the wall.
- Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is located at least 36" away from combustible materials such as curtains, drapes, furniture, bedding, papers, clothes, etc.

#### Instructions

1. Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is located at least 36" away from combustible materials, such as curtains, drapes, furniture, bedding, paper, clothes, etc.

2. With glass panel removed (see p.11 for instructions on removing glass panel), have two people hold the fireplace against the wall to determine the final location.

3. Place the unit face down on a soft, non-abrasive surface. Remove the bracket from the back of the unit by removing the 4 screws holding the bracket to the fireplace (shown below).

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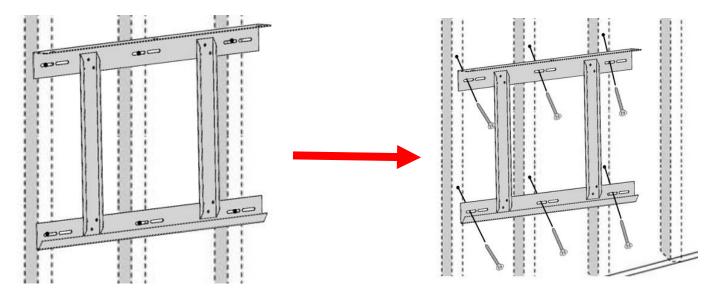
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Wall Mounting Bracket



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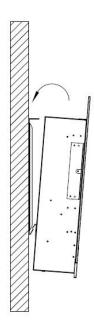
4. Mark location of bracket on wall and then mount the bracket to the wall using the supplied screws and dry wall anchors. Mount bracket to at least 2 studs, inserting 1 screw in each of the 6 mounting points shown below. If 2 studs cannot be used, ensure that the supplied dry wall anchors are used to affix the bracket to the wall and the bracket is adequately secured before moving to the next step. Check the fireplace for stability, ensuring that the bracket will not pull free from the wall.



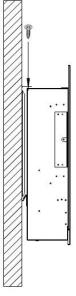
Mark location of mounting bracket on wall

Mount H bracket to wall using 6 screws

5. With the wall mounting bracket installed, have 2 people lift the fireplace up and insert the fireplace into the mounting bracket so that the hooks on the back of the fireplace align with the hook on the mounting bracket. Once lined up, push the fireplace back into place and secure with screws on top of the bracket.



Hang the fireplace on the wall mount bracket so that the hook bracket on the back of the fireplace aligns with the hook bracket on the wall mount bracket.



Once the fireplace is mounted to the wall mount bracket, fasten the fireplace to the wall mount bracket using the 4 screws removed earlier.



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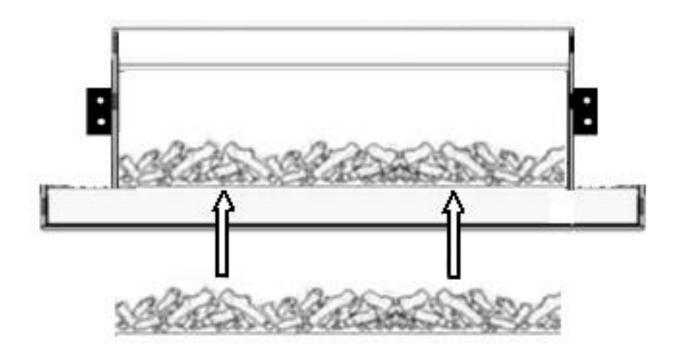
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#### Wall Mounted Installation – cont.

6. Once the fireplace is installed in the wall, install either the faux fire log or crystal embers.

#### a. Fire log Installation

i. The fireplace comes with the faux fire log already installed. If you plan to use the faux fire log, just keep the log in place and skip to step 8 to install the glass panel.





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#### Wall Mounted Installation - cont.

#### **b.** Crystal Ember Installation

i. Prior to installing the crystal embers, remove the faux fire log from the fireplace.

ii. Remove the brackets holding the log in place.

iii. Once the brackets are removed, remove the faux fire log from the fireplace.



2a. Remove Left Bracket

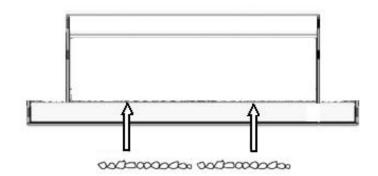


2b. Remove right bracket



3. Remove faux fire log

iv. Carefully, place crystal embers on plastic strip as illustrated in the picture to the right. Apply an even layer from side to side.





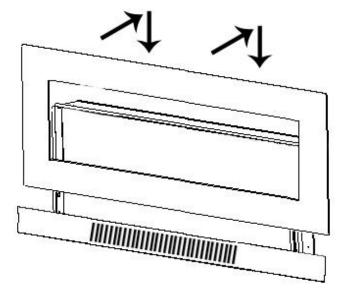


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#### Wall Mounted Installation – cont.

7. Once completed installing crystal embers or fire log, reinstall glass panel. The hooks on the back of the glass panels fit into the slots on the side of the firebox. Once in the slots, the glass panel goes down and locks into place.



NOTE: The 5 screws that were removed earlier during the removal of the glass panel are for shipping purposes ONLY. They will not need to be reinstalled in a recessed application. Operating Fireplace

Once the fireplace has been plugged into a grounded outlet, the fireplace is now ready for operation. Ensure that the house circuit breakers for the power supply are turned on.

### Power

Plug the power cable into a 110v 15 amp grounded outlet. Make sure the outlet is in good condition and that the plug is not loose. **NEVER** exceed the maximum amperage for the circuit. **DO NOT** plug other appliances into the same circuit.

A main ON/OFF power switch controls the power to the fireplace. In the "O" position, the fireplace controls will not operate. In the " | " position, the remote control and control panel can be used to control the fireplace.



### **Temperature Limiting Control**

This heater is equipped with a Temperature Limiting Control. Should the heater reach an unsafe temperature, the heater will automatically **TURN OFF**. To reset, please do the following:

1. Unplug the power cord from the outlet.

2. Turn ON/OFF switch on the CONTROL PANEL to OFF. Wait 5 minutes for fireplace to cool down.

3. Inspect the fireplace to make sure no vents are blocked or clogged with dust or lint. If they are, use a vacuum to clean the vent areas.

4. With the POWER switch in the OFF position, plug the power cord back into the outlet.

5. If the problem continues, have your outlet and wiring inspected by a professional. If the outlet is OK, please contact our customer support department at 800-215-1990. Methods of Operation

This electric fireplace can be operated by the CONTROL PANEL, located in the bottom right corner of the front glass panel, or by the REMOTE CONTROL. The operation and functions of both methods are the same.

### **Method of Controls**

#### **Control Panel**

The fireplace is equipped with a manual control panel built into the front glass panel.



\*\*\*NOTE: The controls on the manual control panel are the same as the wireless remote control. Please see p. 23 for manual control functions.



#### **Remote Control Operation**

- This remote control uses one CR2025 3v battery.
- Instructions for battery installation are located on the back of the remote control.
- To improve operation of the remote control, aim the remote control at the front of the fireplace. **DO NOT PRESS the buttons too quickly.** Give the unit time to respond to each command.
- **NOTICE: NEVER** dispose of batteries in fire. Failure to observe this precaution **may result in an explosion**. Dispose of batteries at your local hazardous material processing center.

BUTTON	FUNCTION	ACTION & INDICATION
	<b>ON</b> : Enables control panel functions and remote control.	1. <b>Press once.</b> Power turns on and flame
$(\mathbf{O})$	Turns on the flame effect.	effect turns on. All functions enabled.
POWER	<b>OFF</b> : Disables control panel functions and remove control.	2. Press again. Flame effect turns off. Unit
	Turns off the flame effect.	goes to standby. All functions turn off.
	<b>TIMER button</b> : Control time settings to turn off fireplace	1. <b>Press once.</b> Indicator light turns on.
((1-))	at selected time.	Timer is set to 1 hour.
TIMER	Settings range from 1 hour to 9 hours.	2. <b>Press again until desired setting is</b> <b>reached</b> . Indicator lights show setting.
	ELAME COLOR button: Changes the flowe color	
	FLAME COLOR button: Changes the flame color.	1. <b>Press once</b> to change the flame color.
	NOTE: Flame effect stays on until power button is turned	2. <b>Press</b> again until desired flame color is
FLAME COLOR	off. Flame effect must be on for heater to turn on.	reached.
	FLAME BED COLOR button: Changes the color of the	1. <b>Press once</b> to change the color of the
	flame bed (log or crystals).	flame bed (log or crystals)
		2. Press again until desired setting is
FLAME BED COLOR		<i>2.</i> <b>Fress again</b> until desired setting is reached.
	<b>HEATER button</b> : Turns heater on and off.	1 Deserves Indiantes l'alterne Des blasse
111	HEATER button: Turns heater on and off.	1. <b>Press once</b> . Indicator lights up. Fan blows cool air for 10 seconds and 675W heater
	<b>NOTE</b> : The heater only works when the flame effect is on.	turns on and blows warm air.
HEATER		2. Press again: Indicator lights up. 1300W
	<b>NOTE</b> : To prevent overheating, the heater fan will blow	heater turns on and blows hot air.
	cool air for 8-10 seconds before the heater turns on, and after the heater turns off.	3. Press again. Heater turns off. To change from F to C, press and hold the
		temperature button for 10 seconds.
	TEMPED ATUDE button Changes the temperature of the	1 Drogg or on Tomporation in director lights
	<b>TEMPERATURE button</b> : Changes the temperature of the heater.	1. <b>Press once</b> . Temperature indicator lights up. Temperature range is 62°F to 86°F
$\bigcirc$		2. <b>Press again</b> : To change to the desired
TEMPERATURE	<b>NOTE</b> : The heater only works when the flame effect is on.	temperature.
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	after the heater turns off.	



# **Care and Maintenance**

### Cleaning

- ALWAYS turn the heater OFF and unplug the power cord from the outlet before cleaning, performing maintenance, or moving the fireplace. Failure to do so could result in electric shock, fire, or personal injury.
- **NEVER** immerse in water or spray with water. Doing so could result in electric shock, fire, or personal injury.

#### Metal:

- Buff using a soft cloth, slightly dampened with citrus oil-based product.
- **DO NOT** use brass polish or household cleaners, as these products will damage the metal trim.

#### Glass:

- Use a good quality glass cleaner sprayed onto a cloth or towel. Dry thoroughly with a paper towel or lint-free cloth.
- **NEVER** use abrasive cleansers, liquid sprays, or any cleaner that could scratch the surface.

#### Vents:

• Use a vacuum or duster to remove dust and dirt from the heater and vent areas.

#### **Plastic:**

- Wipe gently with a slightly damp cloth and a mild solution of dish soap and warm water.
- **NEVER** use abrasive cleansers, liquid sprays, or any cleaner that could scratch the surface.

### Maintenance

- RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK! DO NOT OPEN any panels. No user-serviceable parts inside!
- ALWAYS turn the heater OFF and unplug the power cord from the outlet before cleaning, performing maintenance, or moving the fireplace. Failure to do so could result in electric shock, fire, or personal injury.

#### **Electrical and Moving Parts:**

- The fan motors are lubricated at the factory and will not require lubrication.
- Electrical components are integrated in the fireplace and are not serviceable by the customer.

#### Storage:

• Store fireplace in a clean, dry place when not in use.



# Warranty

Touchstone Home Products, Inc warrants our electric fireplaces to be free of defects in material and workmanship for one year from date of purchase. Touchstone will repair or replace any fireplace or fireplace part that is deemed defective or becomes defective during normal use within one year after the date of purchase.

Electrical components, such as fan motor, heater motor, control board, remote control, and control panel are covered under warranty for one year from date of purchase. Touchstone Home Products will provide replacement parts free of charge during the first year of the warranty.

Replacement parts and fireplace units are covered under a 90-day warranty or the remainder of the original one year manufacturer's warranty from original date of purchase, whichever is greater.

Touchstone Home Products, Inc does not warrant its products against damage caused by third parties.

Touchstone Home Products, Inc does not cover damages caused by misuse, alterations, accident, lack of maintenance, abuse or neglect. Parts installed from other manufacturers will void this warranty.

The warranty does not cover paint scratches, cosmetic blemishes, dents, corrosion, or other normal wear and tear associated with the fireplace. Damage to fireplace or other components due to water, weather damage, long periods of dampness, condensation, damaging chemicals or cleaners are not covered under warranty.

This warranty does not cover breakage of fireplace glass panel.

Touchstone Home Products will not be responsible for installation, labor, or any other expenses related to the reinstallation of a warranted part, and such expenses are not covered under warranty.

Extended warranty coverage for the fireplace is available by contacting Touchstone Home Products directly at 1-800-215-1990.





For immediate help with assembly,product information, or if your product arrives damaged,call our toll-free number at

# 800-215-1990

or email:

customerservice@thpus.com

Our staff is ready to provide assistance.

