



HOME DECOR & FIREPLACES

Zero Clearance Fireplace Doors

# AMARGOSA™ & PELH° M™



## OWNER'S MANUAL



**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE BEGINNING YOUR FIREPLACE DOOR INSTALLATION. FAILURE TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS AS DETAILED WILL VOID YOUR WARRANTY AND MIGHT RESULT IN A FIRE HAZARD.**

**PLEASE FOLLOW THE GUIDELINES BELOW FOR THE SAFE USE AND CARE OF YOUR FIREPLACE:**

- **Always use a grate** for fires.
- Make sure the front of the grate **is at least six inches (6")** back from the door.
- **Keep combustibles away** from the front of the door.
- Do not clean glass doors **while they are hot**.
- When burning fire, **the doors and the chimney damper must be fully open** and the **mesh curtain fully closed**.
- Install and use **only after consulting with local building and fire regulations**, and in accordance with the installation and operating instructions provided.
- **Inspect and clean chimney regularly.**

# ONE YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

This product is warranted by the manufacturer to the original retail buyer for one (1) year from date of purchase against defects in materials and workmanship. This includes any implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose which are also limited in duration to one (1) year from the original purchase of this product.

This warranty covers only parts, and applies only to products purchased for consumer use. This warranty does not apply to color changes in the finish resulting from contact with flames or burning embers and does not cover damages which occur in transit or result from alteration, accident, misuse, abuse, acid hearth or improper installation. The manufacturer shall not be liable for consequential or indirect damages which are caused by defects in its repair and replacement.

If this product does not conform to this warranty contact your dealer. Proof of the original purchase will be required.

This warranty give you specific legal rights and you may have other rights which vary from state to state.

## REFERENCE INFORMATION

We recommend that you staple your receipt to this page, fill out the fields below for your future reference, and keep these instructions in a safe place.

Purchase date:	
Model purchased:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Amargosa	<input type="checkbox"/> Pelham
It is installed on a prefabricated fireplace made by:	Model #
The opening dimensions of your prefabricated fireplace:	
Width	Height
The outside finished dimensions of you purchased fireplace door:	
Width	Height
Your notes & remarks:	

If you have questions or comments about this document, please contact:

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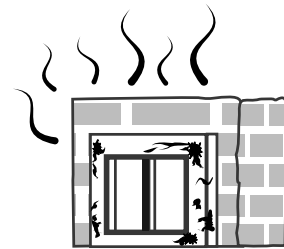
# CARE & MAINTENANCE

**ACID HEARTH:** Newly constructed fireplaces are cleaned with acid to remove extra mortar. Unless removed, the acid will crystallize in the brick pores and emit gas which may damage the finish on the fireplace fixtures or other nearby metal objects. “Acid Hearth” damages brass, steel, and iron. This condition can persist for a year or longer unless corrected. Consult your mason for more information.

**FIXTURES DAMAGED BY “ACID HEARTH” ARE NOT CONSIDERED MANUFACTURING DEFECTS AND THEREFORE WILL VOID WARRANTY!**

The following suggestion, while not a guaranteed remedy, may aid in correcting “Acid Hearth:”

1. Saturate the hearth area with a solution of household ammonia or hearth cleaner. Use care to avoid contact with adjacent carpet, floor, etc.
2. Rinse thoroughly with warm water or hot water.
3. Rinse several times with cool water to remove all ammonia.
4. Allow hearth area to dry and seal with a hearth sealer.




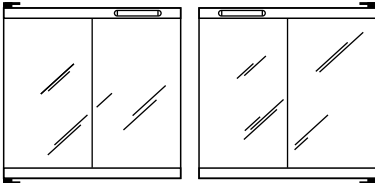
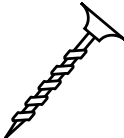
**ASH DISPOSAL:** Ashes should be placed in a metal container with a tight-fitting lid. The closed container of ashes should be placed on a non-combustible floor or on the ground, well away from all combustible materials, pending final disposal. If the ashes are disposed of by burial in soil or otherwise locally dispersed, they should be retained in the closed container until all cinders have thoroughly cooled.

**CREOSOTE-FORMATION & NEED FOR REMOVAL:** When wood is burned slowly, it produces tar and other organic vapors which combine with expelled moisture to form creosote. The creosote vapors condense in the relatively cool chimney flue of a slow burning fire. As a result, creosote residue accumulates on the flue lining. When ignited, this creosote makes an extremely hot fire. The chimney connector and chimney should be inspected at least twice monthly during the heating season to determine if a creosote buildup has occurred. If creosote has accumulated, it should be removed to reduce the risk of a chimney fire.

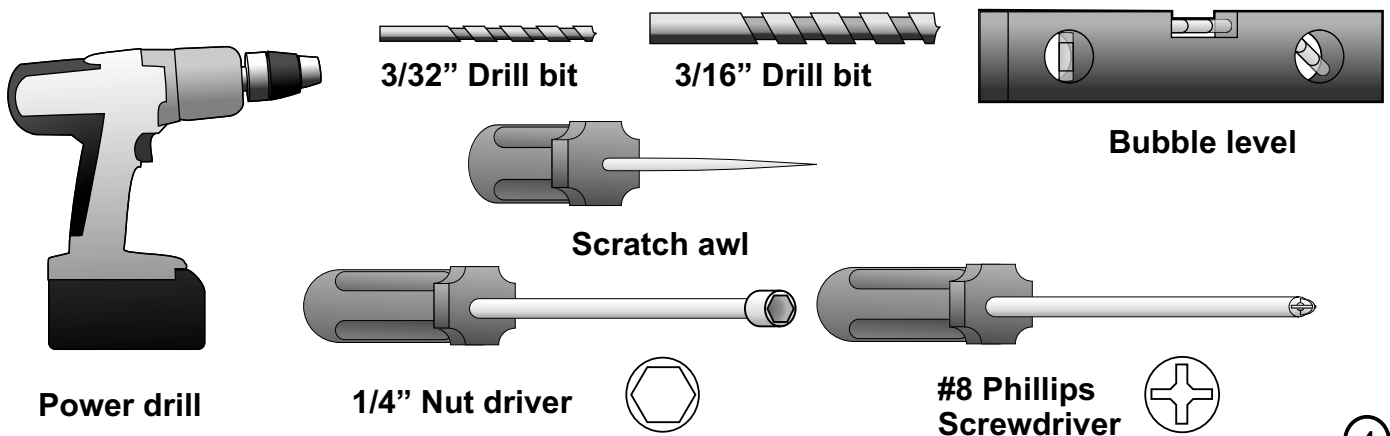
**MAINTENANCE:** Your glass enclosure is built to require very little maintenance. It is suggested, however, that you perform the following procedures as required to maintain the original attractive appearance of the glass enclosure.

- Care of Glass: The glass in the doors has been specifically treated for use with fireplaces. This glass is eight times stronger than conventional plate glass, but it is possible to break the glass through abuse by overheating it, or by blocking any of the air intakes. The glass can be cleaned when completely cooled with most household cleaners.
- Care of Frame: Your enclosure is covered with a durable anodized finish to prevent peeling, chipping and scratching. DO NOT POLISH THE FINISH. When cleaning is required, use a mild liquid detergent and a soft cloth. DO NOT USE an acid base or abrasive cleaner.
- Replacement Parts: Use only specified replacement parts available from your dealer. Do not use substitute parts.

# PARTS LIST

Door frame		X1
Door set		X1
#8 x 2" SMS R-Bow (Part # 42-60145)		X5

## TOOLS NEEDED

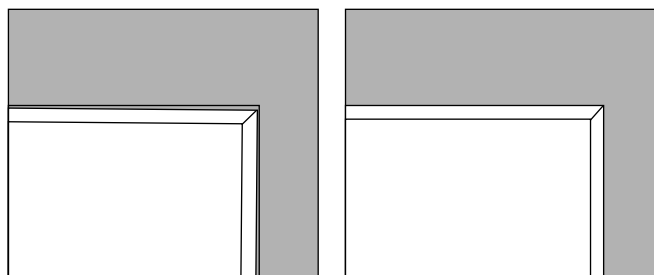
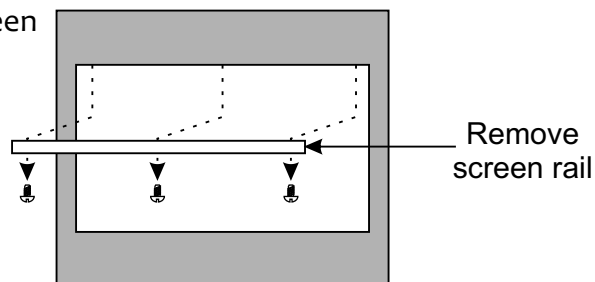


# STANDARD MOUNTING

- 1.) Remove all items from the box, making sure to leave enough space to work comfortably.

*NOTE: There is a protective film on the door. This is used to prevent scratching. **DO NOT** peel off at this time.*

- 2.) Some fireboxes have a rail for a mesh screen, and/or screen retaining clips, and it may be necessary to remove them.

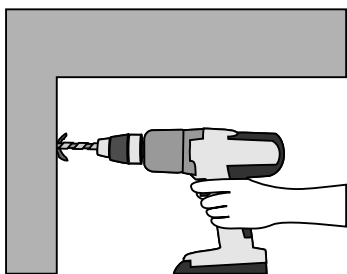
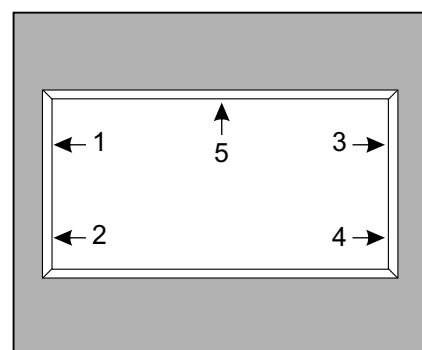


Wrong

Right

- 3.) Place the door frame into the opening of the firebox, finished side facing you, and align in the position where it is to be installed. Make sure that once it is in place that it is level and plumb. We recommend that you use a level to do this.

- 4.) There are five pre-drilled holes in the door frame: one in the middle of the top bar, and two on each upright. Using a scratch awl, mark the hole locations on the firebox.

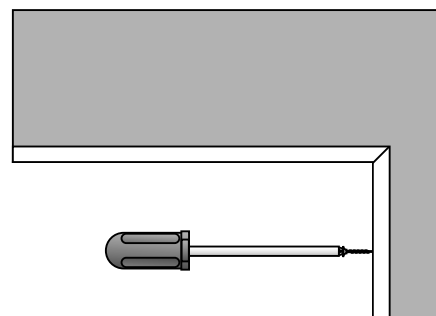


- 5.) Remove the door from the opening. While using a 3/32" drill bit, drill the firebox where you have marked the holes.

- 6.) Carefully remove the protective film from the door frame.

- 7.) Place the door back into the firebox opening and align the holes on the door frame with the ones you drilled.

- 8.) Use the #8 X 2" screws, and fasten the door to the firebox.



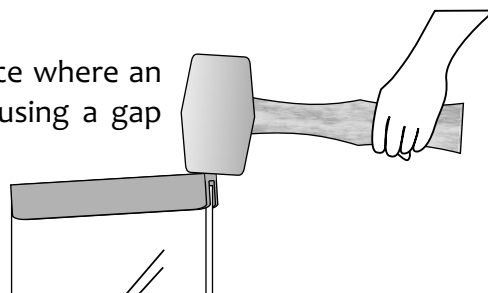
- 9.) Peel off any remaining protective film, and make sure you have removed all packing materials.

# ADJUSTMENT INFORMATION

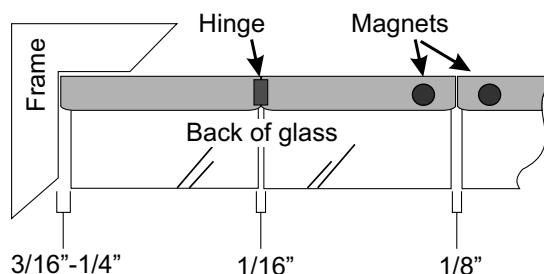
## ADJUSTING THE DOOR-SET:

Sometimes due to vibrations during transportation, or as a result of handling, the doors may come out of adjustment. Follow these steps to adjust your door-set.

- 1.) Make sure that the frame is plum in the fireplace.
- 2.) Look at the trim around the glass. This is most likely the place where an adjustment may be needed. The glass may have shifted causing a gap between the end of the glass and the end caps, or it may have moved from side to side.
- 3.) Using a rubber mallet, gently tap the end caps until they are against the glass, or tap the glass until it is centered with the cap.

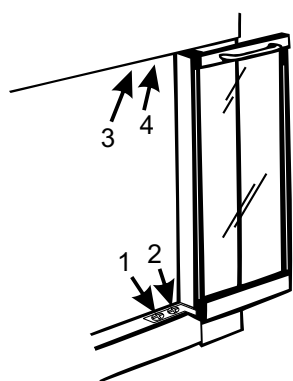
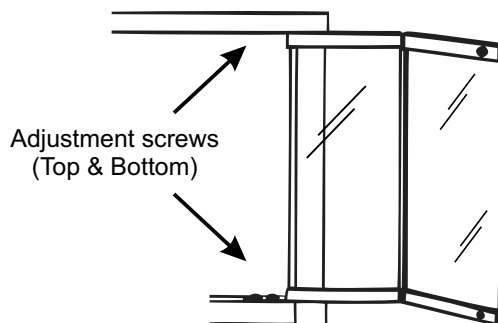


**NOTE: DO NOT USE A METAL-FACED HAMMER OR ANY HARD OBJECT -- IT MAY CAUSE YOU TO INADVERTENTLY DENT OR DING THE CAPS, OR CHIP THE GLASS!**



You should try to get a 1/8" gap between the two center pieces and a 1/16" gap (or less) between the two outer panels of glass on each half of the door set.

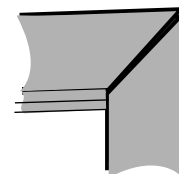
- 4.) If the door set still needs alignment, loosen the hinge screw where the door attaches to the frame, adjust the door-set left/right and front/back as required, then tighten screws firmly.



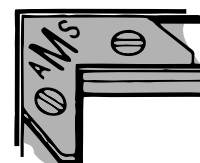
## REMOVING THE DOOR-SET:

If for some reason you need to remove the door-set, it is recommended that you call your installer. If this is not possible, please follow these procedures.

- 1.) Open the door-set to the full fold position (all the way open, and folded against the frame).
- 2.) Remove the two screws in the lower hinge.
- 3.) Remove the two screws in the top hinge.
- 4.) Lean the door-set forward to remove.
- 5.) Repeat for the other side.



Front



Back

## ADJUSTING THE DOOR FRAME:

There are four AMS corner brackets on the back of the frame. These have been factory tightened. It is possible that they may have loosened during transportation and create a separation at the miter. To adjust, use a 1/4" flat head screwdriver, and loosen the two screws in the AMS bracket. Align the miter firmly and re-tighten the screws. Repeat for other corners if necessary.