## **Furniture Care**

Our quality design and craftsmanship makes it possible for you to enjoy your purchase with minimal care. Attention to a few basic points will help protect your furniture and ensure that it looks great year after year.

- Avoid exposing furniture to strong sunlight, heat outlets, open windows or dampness. Ultraviolet rays from sunlight can damage wood finishes and can change the color of the wood after time.
- Liquid spills will damage furniture if not removed promptly.

  Coasters are recommended under beverage glasses and saucers under cups and flowerpots. If a spill happens, wipe the liquid from the surface immediately with a soft, slightly damp cloth, in the direction of the wood grain.
- Use protective pads under hot dishes, utensils or cooking appliances. Heat creates a chemical change in the finish of the furniture, which can result in a white spot.
- Occasional polishing with high quality, non-silicone furniture polish will enhance the beauty of the wood finish.
- Be sure to use the same type of polish consistently. Your furniture will appear cloudy or streaky if oil-based and wax-based polishes are interchanged.
- Never use soap and water on furniture. Water can penetrate the finish and raise the grain on wood, causing damage.
- Small scratches may be covered with a scratch remover or touch up stick. These can be purchased at most paint stores.