

installation instructions:

# WALL NICHE

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Make sure to use the correct tools recommended.

Wear safety goggles.

Follow fixture, power tools, and paint manufacturers' instructions and users manuals.

Use common sense and follow good construction practices.

Medallions are not load bearing. Do not use them to support electrical fixtures or ceiling fans.

## TOOL & MATERIAL CHECKLIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> construction adhesive      | <input type="checkbox"/> putty knife           | <input type="checkbox"/> flat head wood screws |
| <input type="checkbox"/> elastomeric adhesive caulk | <input type="checkbox"/> shims                 | <input type="checkbox"/> screw driver          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> caulking gun               | <input type="checkbox"/> caulking gun          | <input type="checkbox"/> sponge or cloth       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> hammer & finishing nails   | <input type="checkbox"/> framing nails         |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> extra fine sandpaper       | <input type="checkbox"/> drywall knife         |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2x4 & 1x1 lumber           | <input type="checkbox"/> jigsaw & circular saw |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> mineral spirits            | <input type="checkbox"/> power drill           |  |

## IMPORTANT INFO

- Clean installation surface and back of niche of all dirt and dust with a clean cloth or sponge.
- Make sure that the surface and the back of the niche are completely dry before attempting installation.
- It is highly recommended that you paint/finish our appliques before you install them. Once installed, you can apply any necessary touchup paint/finish.

## INSTALL INSTRUCTIONS:

### RECESS MOUNT

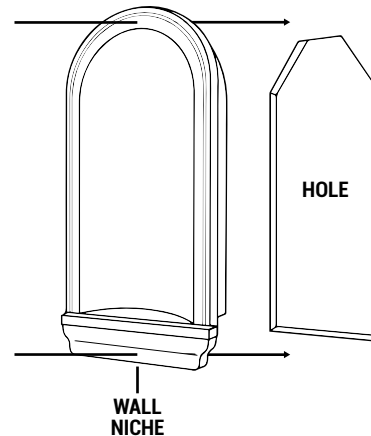
1. Using a paper template, trace the outline of the niche onto the template.
2. Trace the template onto wall and remove template.
3. Using a drywall knife, cut the opening as traced by the template and remove drywall.
4. Use 2 x4's to frame the area with vertical supports on each side and top and bottom cross braces.
5. Cut 56 pieces of 1x2 lumber in 6" pieces. Use construction adhesive to attach the blocks onto the niche walls on the back of the niche. Allow 24 hours for the adhesive to set.
6. Apply adhesive to the blocks.
7. While placing niche into opening, make sure that the niche is level. Smooth any excess adhesive around the niche edge. Clean excess adhesive with mineral spirits.
8. Touch up niche using latex paint as needed.

### SURFACE MOUNT

1. Place niche on wall and outline position on wall.
2. Apply a 1/2" bead of polyurethane adhesive to the back of the niche.
3. Use a level before pressing the niche into place.
4. Use latex caulk around the edges of the niche.
5. Wipe off any excess caulk or adhesive using a damp sponge or cloth.
6. Touch up niche as necessary.

## EXAMPLE DIAGRAM:

### RECESS MOUNT



### SURFACE MOUNT

