

Owner Manual

Heron Statue Set Assembly Guide

Package Contents

Components & Hardware

Part Description		Qty	Part Description		Qty
A	Head-Up Heron Body	1	X1	Flat-Head Screws	8
B	Head-Down Heron Body	1	X2	Hex-Head Screws	4
C	Right Leg	2	Y	Washers	4
D	Left Leg	2			
E	Base	1			

Required Tools (Not Included)

- Phillips-head screwdriver
- Adjustable wrench

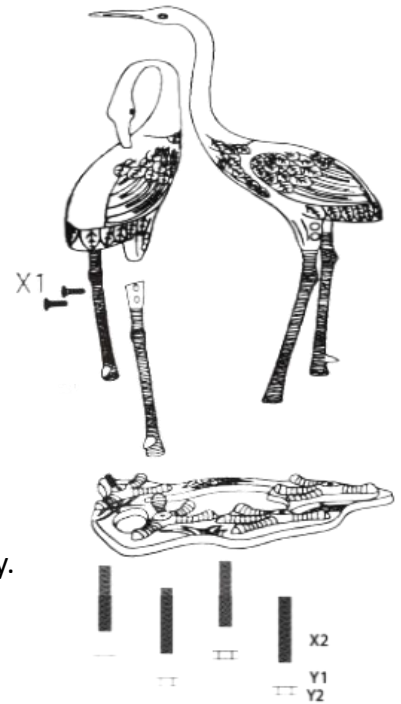
Important Pre-Assembly Notes

- **Surface Protection:** Lay the empty shipping carton on the ground beneath the casting parts during assembly to protect the finish from scratches.
 - **Do Not Over-Tighten:** The statue is crafted from cast aluminum, which is a soft metal. Thread all screws carefully by hand before tightening with tools.
 - **Handcrafted Unique Finish:** This piece features a traditional, hand-crafted look. Surface roughness and minor pinholes are normal characteristics of cast iron and aluminum work and are not manufacturing defects.
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Step-by-Step Assembly Instructions

Step 1: Attach the Legs to the Herons

1. **Position the first body:** Lay one Heron Body (**A** or **B**) flat on your protected ground surface.
2. **Mount the Left Leg:** Align a Left Leg (**D**) with the heron's "Thigh" bracket. Secure it loosely using **2 Flat-Head Screws (X1)**.
3. **Mount the Right Leg:** Align a Right Leg (**C**) to the corresponding bracket and secure it with **2 Flat-Head Screws (X1)**.
4. **Tighten:** Use your Phillips screwdriver to fully tighten all 4 leg screws.
5. **Repeat:** Follow the exact same process for the second Heron Body.



Step 2: Secure the Herons to the Base

1. **Align the first bird:** Lift one fully assembled heron and carefully place its feet onto the designated mounting points on the **Base (E)**.
2. **Loose install:** Thread a **Hex-Head Screw (X2)** with a **Washer (Y)** through the first foot into the base. Leave it slightly loose.
3. **Secure the second foot:** Insert the second Hex-Head Screw and Washer into the remaining foot.
4. **Final tighten:** Once both feet are properly aligned and catching threads, use your adjustable wrench to tighten both hex screws securely.
5. **Repeat for second bird:** Follow the same procedure to mount the second heron onto the remaining section of the base.

Care & Maintenance

- **Scratch Repair:** If the finish scratches down to bare metal, apply a matching enamel paint immediately to prevent oxidation and rust.
- **Cleaning:** Wash exclusively with mild soap and water. **Do not** use abrasive pads, harsh chemicals, or bleach products. Rinse thoroughly with clean water and dry with a rag or allow to air-dry in direct sunlight.

- **Hardware Check:** Periodically check and retighten all screws to keep your statue sturdy and safe.
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- Add a **troubleshooting section** for misaligned threads
- Format this into a **print-ready PDF layout**
- Create a **quick-reference safety checklist**

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