

# Post Mounted Fixture Installation Instructions

### **Before Installing:**

#### LIVE PATINA – ALWAYS USE SUPPLIED GLOVES WHEN HANDLING COPPER FIXTURES.

Read all installation instructions. Installation and all electrical connections must be in accordance with local codes, ordinances, and the National Electrical Code, including the use of a qualified licensed electrician if required.

**DISCONNECT** the power source by switching the corresponding circuit breaker to "off" or removing the corresponding fuse in the fuse box. Use of electrical testing equipment is strongly recommended to verify safety prior to proceeding. **Inspect wiring to insure it is not frayed, cracked, or damaged.** 

*IMPORTANT:* For electrical connections, use UL or ETL listed wire connectors suitable for the size, type, and number of connectors. No loose strands or loose connectors should be present. Secure wire connectors with UL or ETL listed electrical tape.

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Instructions on this page are not meant to cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. Common sense, caution, and care must be exercised by the person(s) installing, caring for, and operating the fixture.

# Installing a Post Mounted Fixture (without cradle):

- 1. Hold lantern, twist-on wire connectors, connect the white wire from the font to the white wire that comes out of the hole in the center of the post.
- 2. Repeat for the black and grounding wire. As an extra safety measure, wrap each twist-on wire connector with black electrical tape. The bottom of the fixture is designed to fit onto the post with enough room to permit the post wires to be connected to the fixture wires.
- 3. Once the wires are connected, recess wires into post and lower fixture on top of post. Be careful not to bind wires when pushing excess wires into collar cavity.
- 4. The sleeve will accommodate the post wire and the fixture wires. Post mounted fixtures are designed to accommodate top of posts with a 3" diameter.
- 5. <u>Post collars are not pre-drilled for installation.</u> Drill holes through the post collar at the bottom of the lantern as needed for location and size.
- 6. Anchor collar with fasteners provided (wood screws for wooden posts, machine screws for metal).
- 7. **Single Lamp Finishing:** Install metal socket cover and bulb, insert glass chimney, and install glass panels.
- 8. **Candelabra Finishing:** Place the wax candle covers, and/or metal rings over the lamp holders before installing light bulbs.
  - Do not exceed the recommended wattage.

#### Installing a Post Mounted Fixture (with cradle):

- 1. Install the cradle by placing it on top of post and tightening bolts in cradle base collar to the post.
- Expose feed wires coming from post.
- 3. Install socket font. The socket font contains a porcelain socket inside ornate copper housing that mounts into the cradle.
- 4. Follow "Installing a Post Mounted Fixture (without cradle)" steps.



### **Installing Glass:**

- 1. Start with the top glass if applicable, attach (1) "S" clip to the lantern, slip it down onto the bottom rail of the top section.
- 2. Fold the clip open by bending the exposed end downward.
- 3. Slide one piece of glass into the top slot and lower the bottom into place just above the opened "S" clip.
- 4. Fold the "S" clip back closed by folding the exposed end upward. Ensure that it is lightly pressed against the glass, holding it firmly in the inset shape designed and shaped like the panel. Repeat these steps with the remaining (3) "S" clips and glass panels.
- 5. To install the lower panes, start with the rear panel (1 of 3 identical sized pieces). Tilt the glass sideways and rotate it around shade-holder. Once all the way into the lantern and in position, tilt the top towards the back and carefully slide the top up into the top slot of the window. Once the glass is all the way up into the slot, the bottom can be shifted into the window and the piece of glass can gently slide down into the bottom.
- 6. Install one side glass panel, sliding in between the shade-holder & side, tilting away from the side where the glass will go. Repeat for other side.
- 7. Install the door glass using the same instructions as the side glass panels.