

# "LD" Multi-Burner

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## GENERAL INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

ASSEMBLY, INSTALLATION, AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR Vented Gas Log Burner MODELS:

LD(30, 36, 48, 60, 72, 84, 96)-N for use with Natural Gas or
LD(30, 36, 48, 60)-P for use with Propane (LP) Gas

# IMPORTANT READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE STARTING INSTALLATION OF LOG SET.

WARNING: Improper installation, alteration, service or maintenance can cause injury or property damage. Read these instructions thoroughly before installation.

For assistance or additional information, consult your gas log dealer, qualified installer, service agency or gas supplier.

## FOR YOUR SAFETY

Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.

# FOR YOUR SAFETY

## WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS

- Do not try to light any appliance.
- Do not touch any electrical switch; do not use any phone in your building.
- Immediately call your gas supplier from a neighbors phone. Follow the gas suppliers instructions.
- If you cannot reach your gas supplier, call the fire department.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

THIS GAS LOG SET MUST BE INSTALLED IN A FULLY VENTED SOLID-FUEL BURNING FIREPLACE WITH A WORKING FLUE CONSTRUCTED OF NON-COMBUSTIBLE MATERIAL.

The minimum permanent free opening of the fireplace chimney or chimney damper must be at least the minimum Chimney Area shown below, based on a minimum chimney height of at least 8 feet. The area of the flue must not be less than 1/10 the area of the fireplace opening. **The flue must exhaust all products of combustion.** 

The chimney damper must be fixed in a manner to maintain permanent free opening as outlined above at all times. To accomplish this, install the damper clamp (provided) on the edge of the damper blade to prevent its closing, drill a hole or holes in the damper, or remove damper completely.

The minimum size of the fireplace in which the log set is to be installed must be as follows:

#### MINIMUM FIREPLACE SIZE IN INCHES

LOG SET SIZE	HEIGHT	DEPTH	REAR WIDTH	FRONT WIDTH	GAS PIPING	CHIMNEY AREA
30 INCH	26	20	30	38	½" i.d.	12 INCH DIAMETER
36 INCH	30	22	36	44	½" i.d.	14 INCH DIAMETER
42 INCH	30	22	42	50	½" i.d.	14 INCH DIAMETER
48 INCH	34	22	48	58	3/4" i.d.	16 INCH DIAMETER
54 INCH	34	22	54	64	3/4" i.d.	16 INCH DIAMETER
60 INCH	34	22	60	70	1" i.d.	18 INCH DIAMETER
66 INCH	34	22	66	76	1" i.d.	18 INCH DIAMETER
72 INCH	34	22	72	82	1" i.d.	20 INCH DIAMETER
84 INCH	34	22	84	94	1" i.d.	20 INCH DIAMETER
96 INCH	34	22	96	106	1" i.d.	20 INCH DIAMETER

Glass doors must be wide open when burner is lighted to allow air for safe combustion, venting and cooling of valves.

# THIS BURNER IS FOR USE IN FULLY FUNCTIONING WOOD BURNING FIREPLACE WITH THE DAMPER WIDE OPEN. THE FLUE MUST VENT ALL PRODUCTS OF COMBUSTION.

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION (continued)**

A fireplace screen must be in place when the log set is in The gas log set and its individual shutoff valve must be introduction of combustion air.

The minimum inlet gas supply pressure for the purpose of input adjustment shall be 6 inches of water column on natural gas and 11 inches of water column on propane or less than 1/2 psig (3.5 kPa).

The maximum inlet gas supply pressure shall be 7 inches of water column on natural gas and 14 inches of water column on propane gas.

ventilation air must conform with the NATIONAL and any gas control which has been under water. FUEL GAS CODE ANSI Z223.1 latest edition.

operation and, unless other provisions for combustion air disconnected from the gas supply piping system during are provided, the screen shall have opening(s) for any pressure testing of that system at test pressures in excess of 1/2 psig (3.5 kPa). The gas log set must be isolated from the gas supply piping system by closing its individual manual shutoff valve during any pressure testing of the gas supply piping system at test pressures equal to

> The area around the gas log set must be clear and free from combustible materials, gasoline and any other flammable vapors and liquids.

Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect The installation and the provision for combustion and the appliance and to replace any part of the control system

## WARNING: A SAFETY PILOT MUST BE INSTALLED ON ALL UNITS DESIGNED OR **CONVERTED TO BURN PROPANE/LP GAS**

When used with LP (Propane) Gas, ensure that the Burner Pan is filled with the BLACK VOLCANIC ASH. White Sand is ONLY for use with Natural Gas.

#### WARNING: CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING MAY LEAD TO DEATH

When used without fresh air, gas log set may give off carbon monoxide, an odorless, colorless, poisonous gas. Some people - pregnant women, persons with heart or lung disease, anemia, or under the influence of alcohol and persons at high altitudes are more affected by carbon monoxide than others.

Early signs of carbon monoxide poisoning resemble the flu: Headache, dizziness, and/or nausea. If you have these signs, the gas log may not be installed or working properly, or the chimney flue may be blocked. GET FRESH AIR AT ONCE! Have gas log set and chimney flue serviced before using again.

DAMPER MUST BE WIDE OPEN WHILE BURNING OPEN A WINDOW AN INCH OR TWO FOR FRESH AIR WHEN USING YOUR GAS LOG SOLID FUELS SHALL NOT BE BURNED IN A FIREPLACE WHERE A DECORATIVE APPLIANCE IS INSTALLED.

**WARNING:** If not installed, operated and maintained in accordance with these instructions, this product could expose you to substances in fuel or from fuel combustion which are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

## WARNING! CHECK FOR PROPER VENTING

A properly sized, unobstructed chimney will normally vent all fumes and products of combustion. Any odor, smoke or soot detected inside the room is an indication that the flue is not properly removing the combustion products.

SHUT OFF THE BURNER IMMEDIATELY! THE CAUSE OF THE VENTING PROBLEM MUST BE DISCOVERED AND CORRECTED BEFORE CONTINUED USE OF THE GAS LOG SET.

Continued use with improper venting may cause damage to your fireplace, room and furnishings and could cause serious illness. If improper venting is suspected, **IMMEDIATELY HAVE LOG SET AND CHIMNEY FLUE SERVICED.** 

Periodically examine and clean the venting system. Once a year, a qualified agency should examine and clean the venting system of your solid fuel burning fireplace.

# **GENERAL INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**ATTENTION** 

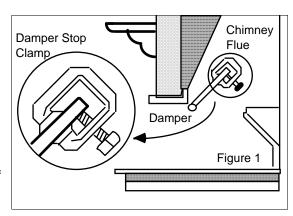
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CAREFULLY BEFORE ASSEMBLY

## REQUIRED TOOLS AND MATERIALS: Screwdriver, Adjustable Wrench, Pipe Wrench,

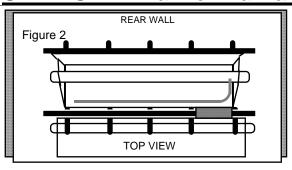
Pipe Sealing Compound, Matches.

# **PREPARATION**:

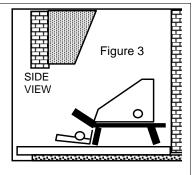
- 1. This Gas Log set must be **INSTALLED IN A FULLY VENTED METAL**OR MASONRY FIREPLACE WITH A WORKING FLUE THAT IS SAFE FOR BURNING A WOOD FIRE. The Flue MUST BE FREE OF ALL
  OBSTRUCTIONS.
- 2. Turn off gas supply to fireplace.
- 3. Clean fireplace floor of any ashes.
- 4. Attach damper clamp over edge of fireplace damper blade as shown. When installed properly, damper clamp prevents accidental full closure of damper. If unable to install provided damper clamp, consult IMPORTANT INFORMATION on front page of these directions for alternatives.



# STEP ONE: Burner Pan and Grate Positioning.



1. Place **GRATE** inside firebox as far to the rear as possible. Center **GRATE** left to right.





#### LD 48 and larger



Front Burner Adjust. Valve

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# WARNING: A SAFETY PILOT MUST BE INSTALLED ON ALL **UNITS DESIGNED** OR CONVERTED TO BURN PROPANE/LP GAS

## **Accessory Safety Pilot Lighting Kits:**

- RPK1-F, RPK1-F10-F or EIS-N200
- RPK1-FA. RPK1-F10-FA or EIS-P200 (For use with Propane Gas Models
- Assemble in accordance with specific instruction sheets provided with SAFETY PILOT LIGHTING KIT.

# **STEP TWO: Gas Connection.**

#### **ENSURE THAT GAS SUPPLY TO FIREPLACE IS TURNED OFF**

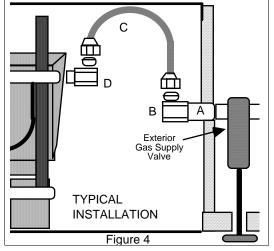
- 1. Apply pipe compound to threaded end of GAS SUPPLY PIPE (A). Thread 1/2" MIP x 5/8" FLARE Fitting (B) onto GAS SUPPLY PIPE (A) using a ½" 90-degree Elbow fitting (not supplied) and wrench tighten.
- 2. Thread (without pipe compound) one end of the FLEXIBLE CONNECTOR
- TUBE (C) to the 1/2" FIP x 5/8" FLARE ELBOW (B) and wrench tighten.

  3. Carefully bend CONNECTOR TUBE (C) and connect, without pipe compound, to the FLARED VALVE INPUT FITTING (D). Wrench tighten.

NOTE: CONNECTOR TUBE (C) may kink or break, causing air flow noise and/or leaks if bent into too small a radius.

- 4. Turn gas supply to fireplace on.
- 5. Test all connections for leaks with soapy water solution. If solution bubbles, turn off gas supply, re-tighten fitting and recheck.

#### WARNING: DO NOT FLAME TEST FOR LEAKS.



Gas Inlets



Note: LD30 and LD36 have one connection to the gas supply. LD48 and larger have two to provide for better gas distribution for the larger sizes.

LD30 and LD36



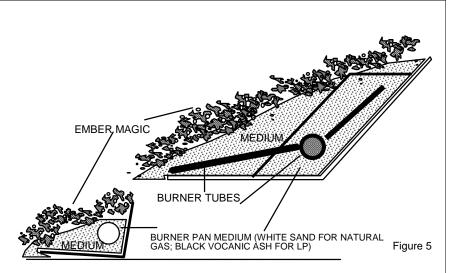
# **STEP THREE: Filling Pans with Medium**

LD48 and larger

(NOTE: White Sand is used with Natural Gas, Black Volcanic Ash is used with Propane/LP Gas)

- 1. Completely cover BURNER TUBES and EMBER BOOSTER with the appropriate PAN MEDIUM. The WHITE SAND is for use with Natural Gas, the BLACK VOLCANIC ASH is for use with Propane/LP Gas. Use the ENTIRE CONTENTS of the bag provided with the burner.

  2. Sprinkle a light covering of "EMBER MAGIC"
- over the PAN MEDIUM. Pull apart "EMBER MAGIC" fiber material to enhance the glowing ember effect. Spread the remaining "EMBER MAGIC" around ends of pan to enhance ember bed appearance.
- VOLCANIC ASH (available separately) may be sprinkled around the OUTSIDE of the BURNER PAN as a decorative effect.



# **STEP FOUR: Log Placement.**

1. Place logs in accordance with separate Recommended Log Placement Instructions. The **Large Top Logs** are placed across the front logs and rear burner with the larger top logs placed first. The remaining **LOGS** are placed diagonally across the two large **TOP LOGS** allowing flame to pass freely between them. **CAUTION:** Crowded logs will cause poor combustion and result in excessive soot formation.





PH36/LD36



PH42/LD36



PH48/LD48



PH54/LD48



#### PH60/LD60 PH66/LD60





PH72/LD72

PH84/LD84 (photo not available)



PH96/LD96



# STEP FIVE: Lighting Instructions and Operation.

## **IMPORTANT: CHIMNEY DAMPER MUST BE WIDE OPEN**

# MANUAL MATCH LIGHTING.

- (For use only with <u>Natural Gas</u> Burner Models LD (30X, 36, 48, 60, 72, 4, 96)-N)

  1. Place lighted match on embers near inlet end of burner. <u>DO NOT HOLD MATCH IN HAND!</u> Move away from front of fireplace.
- 2. Slowly open FIREPLACE GAS SUPPLY VALVE and wait for burner to light. (See FIGURE 7)
- 3. Adjust FIREPLACE GAS SUPPLY VALVE for desired flame height.
- 4. Adjust front burner with attached manual valve(s) to provide desired ember/flame effect. Note: The natural gas versions of LD30 and LD36 have one front burner valve; LD48 and LD60 have two. The propane versions of all models have fixed front burner flames. The rear burners are valved for flame balance control of the rear burner.





5. SHUTDOWN: Close FIREPLACE GAS SUPPLY VALVE completely.

## LIGHTING WITH ACCESSORY SAFETY PILOT LIGHTING KITS:

- RPK3-F, RPK3-F10-F or EIS-N200 (For use with Natural Gas Burner Models)
- RPK3-FA, RPK3-F10-FA or EIS-P200 (For use with Propane Gas Burner Models)
- 1. Light in accordance with specific instruction sheets provided with SAFETY PILOT LIGHTING KIT.

## **CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITY:**

# THIS BURNER IS FOR USE FOR USE IN A FULLY FUNCTIONING WOOD BURNING FIREPLACE WITH THE DAMPER WIDE OPEN. THE FLUE MUST VENT ALL PRODUCTS OF COMBUSTION..

Your Gas Log Set is designed to burn with a natural smoky yellow flame that produces carbon soot. Like a wood fire, burning a gas log set with the flue undersized, blocked or closed will cause fumes, smoke and soot toe enter into the living space, which may be harmful to health and property.

Crowding of the logs and too little pan filler over the burner tube can result in greater amounts of soot, but there is no adjustment that will eliminate soot from a vented pan burner set. Many people feel that the soot makes the logs look more natural, just like a real wood fire. For those who do not, the soot can be either brushed or vacuumed away. You can also remove the logs from the fireplace, hose them off and brush away the soot with a soft bristle brush. Alternatively, and more easily, after burning the logs for a few minutes to get them hot, you can spray the sooty area with water from spray bottle. The soot dislodges and goes up the chimney.

If you are experiencing any soot into the room, this is an indication of problems with the performance of your chimney. You should not have any soot enter into in your room if the fireplace chimney is venting properly. There are only two places for the soot to go: (1) up the chimney, or (2) into the room. The reasons for soot going into the room may include:

- Damper not open or not open far enough.
- Too small of a flue.
- Too large of a fireplace opening in comparison to the flue opening (1/10 rule).
- Obstruction in the chimney. Bird nest, creosote build-up, etc.
- Negative room pressure created by kitchen exhaust fans, ceiling fans, etc.
- Log set installed too close to the opening.
- Air flows outside the house that do not promote proper draft. May require lengthening the chimney stack or the installation of a chimney cap.
  - Chronic "smoking fireplace". Fireplace design related.
  - Chimney "cold block" that inhibits air flow up the chimney.

The cause of the soot entering the living space must be corrected before resuming use of your fireplace.

**DAMPER MUST BE FULLY OPEN WHEN BURNING A GAS LOG SET.** Never burn wood with your gas log set as this will reduce the life of your gas Log Set and will void any warranty.

# **CUSTOMER MAINTENANCE:**

Periodically examine and clean the venting system. Once a year, a qualified agency should examine and clean the venting system of your solid fuel burning fireplace.

Periodically check the pilot burner (if equipped) and main burner flames. The pilot burner should be free of lint and dirt for best performance. The main burner should produce a relatively even flame from side to side. If not, the sand-granules may have become packed and can be loosened by working a wire or knife blade under the sand or by refilling the pan as described in section four.

#### PARTS LIST:

- Burner/Grate Assembly
- Damper Stop Clamp

- Ember Magic
- SS Flexible Connector Tube
- White Sand

- Logs: Specify Front, Rear or Top and style/size and shape (Top logs).
- Instructions

## LIMITED LIFETIME CONSUMER PRODUCT WARRANTY

The following warranty has been drafted to comply with the MAGNUSON-MOSS WARRANTY ACT applicable to products manufactured after July 4, 1975. It replaces and supersedes any warranty in this package or in any printed literature.

#### LIMITED WARRANTY:

RASMUSSEN warrants this Gas Log Set and accessories against (1) The foregoing warranty is limited solely as set forth herein and defects in materials and workmanship, and suitable for a applies only for the periods designated above. particular purpose, for a period of:

- (1) LOG CASTING All logs are guaranteed against burnout in the original installation for the lifetime of the initial purchaser.
- (2) BURNERS/GRATES 2 years from date of purchase.
- (3) SAFETY CONTROLS Pilots and safety controls are covered by warranty of the original manufacturer only.

#### THIS WARRANTY IS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORIGINAL PURCHASER.

#### **WARRANTY ADJUSTMENT:**

- (1) RASMUSSEN agrees to repair or furnish a replacement for, but not remove or install any product or component which proves defective within the above warranty and appropriate time periods stated.
- (2) BUYER shall notify RASMUSSEN of any defect within this warranty no later than thirty (30) days after a defect is discovered.
- (3) No product will be accepted for return or replacement without written authorization of RASMUSSEN. Before returning merchandise, write to RASMUSSEN giving full details of the complaint and a copy of sales receipt or other evidence of purchase date. Merchandise returned without proof of purchase date will be serviced out-of warranty at our prevailing service and parts rates. If merchandise was damaged in transit, file claim immediately with the carrier. Products returned must be addressed as follows:

RASMUSSEN 12028 E. PHILADELPHIA STREET WHITTIER CALIFORNIA 90601

Shipping charges must be pre-paid by the buyer. REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT UNDER THIS WARRANTY WILL BE SHIPPED FREIGHT COLLECT.

#### **EXCLUSIONS FROM WARRANTY:**

- (2) RASMUSSEN shall not be liable for any loss, damage, incidental or consequential damages of any kind, whether based upon warranty, contract, or negligence, arising in connection with the sale, use, or repair of the product. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.
- (3) The maximum liability of RASMUSSEN in connection with this limited warranty shall not in any case exceed the contract price paid for the product claimed to be defective or unsuitable.
- (4) This warranty does not extend to any product manufactured by RASMUSSEN which has been subjected to misuse, neglect, accident, improper installation, or use in violation of instructions furnished by RASMUSSEN.
- (5) This warranty does not extend to or apply to any unit which has been repaired or altered at any place other than RASMUSSEN factory, or by persons not expressly approved by RASMUSSEN.
- (6) Components manufactured by any supplier other than RASMUSSEN shall bear only that warranty made by the manufacturer of that product.
- (7) Freight damage, cracking from thermal shock, and color changes occur from causes beyond manufacturer's control and are not covered by any warranty.

THIS WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS, AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS WHICH VARY FROM STATE TO STATE.

RASMUSSEN shall be held harmless from any and all claims by the buyer as a result of injury or damage to an ultimate user or other person caused by the product sold herein by the seller to the buyer, whether the injury or damage results from the assembly, installation, operation, shipment, storage or manufacture of this product. RASMUSSEN makes no warranties, assembly. expressed or implied, other than those expressly stated herein.

## CONSUMER RECORD CARD

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LOG MODEL:	
SAFETY CONTROL:	
DATE OF PURCHASE:	
DEALER:	
INSTALLER:	