

# **GENERAL** INFORMATION



#### **IMPORTANT**

- Check the inside of the larger pieces in your box for other materials packed inside.
- When assembling components, place on a non-abrasive surface (i.e. shipping box) to avoid scratching.
- We recommend an area approximately 5'x 8' for unobstructed assembling.
- You should not need to use excessive force when assembling components.

## MISSING OR DAMAGED PARTS?

#### VISIT OUR WEBSITE FIRST, SO WE CAN HELP YOU RIGHT AWAY!

Although great care has been taken to ensure proper packaging and handling of this product, occasionally problems occur. If you discover any missing, damaged, or defective parts, please visit our website to order replacement parts. If you experience any further trouble with your product, please contact our customer care department.

- parts.nychbrands.com
- **7**04-892-5222 / 877-778-5733

Customer service agents are available to take calls weekdays from 9am-5pm EST. If you call outside of business hours, please leave a voicemail.

To help you quickly and accurately, please have reference item number **VG26100** and the specific part name which can be found on page 5. It is helpful if you can provide the batch lot which is a stamped number inside the box.

# NEED ASSEMBLY HELP?

Please give us a call at 704-892-5222 / 877-778-5733. If you are having problems with the assembly or installation of this product, we are happy to assist you with the process.

# NEED TO RETURN?

If for some reason you need to return this product, please allow us to help resolve your issues first. If you still decide to return the product, you will need to initiate the return from the company you originally purchased from.

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#### 1. Read over fence instructions first.

Your gate and fence will work better together if you first take the time to read and understand your fence.

#### 2. Pre-assemble the gate frame.

Please do not screw the gate frame together until you have temporarily assembled the gate frame. In other words, do a dry run first. This will ensure:

- 1. That you have everything necessary to complete the gate.
- 2. That you will have assembled the gate frame in the correct order.
- 3. All of the pieces fit and function properly.
- 4. The gate height and width are similar to the measurements shown on page four.

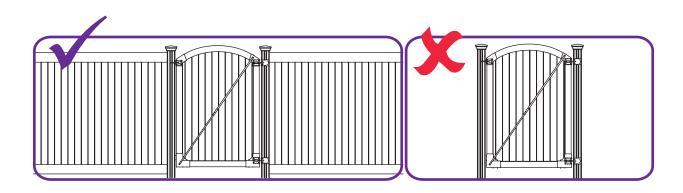
It's easier to troubleshoot when things are not screwed together. After you assemble your gate correctly, please disassemble as necessary, and use the  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " self-drilling stainless steel screws to permanently assemble the gate.

#### 3. Install your gate posts before your fence posts.

Your fence panels will be more forgiving for a custom fit than your gate. Position and install your gate posts before you do anything else.

#### 4. Do not hang your gate system off a single non-supported post.

Your gate will perform better and last longer if your hinge post is connected to a panel of fence that is connected to another post. This way, the weight strain will be transferred onto two posts versus just one. Installing fence panels on both sides of your gate is ideal in all situations. If this is not possible because of space restrictions, please contact us for alternative solutions.



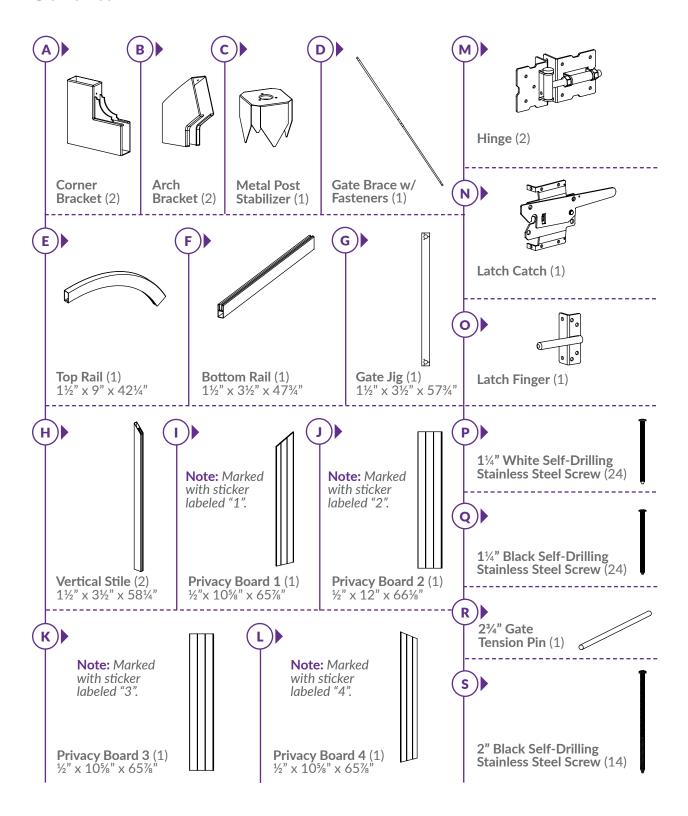
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### **DETAILED PRODUCT DIMENSIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

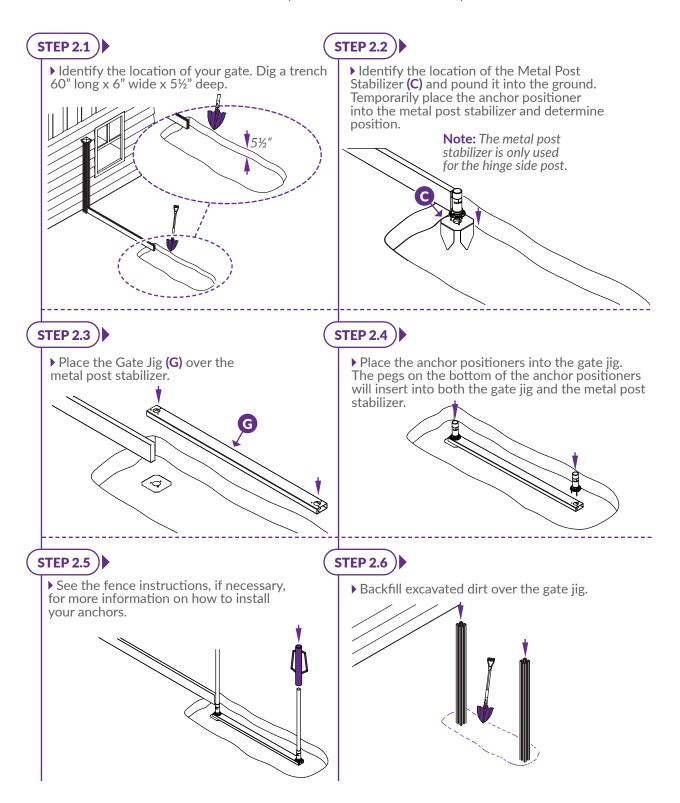


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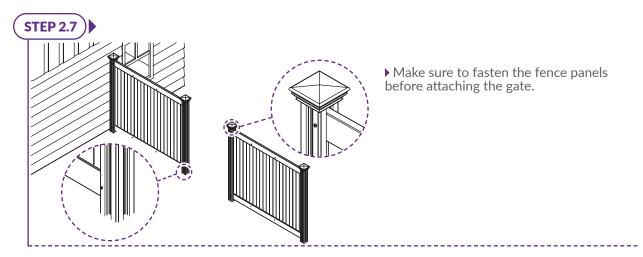
#### **STEP 1: LAY OUT MATERIALS**



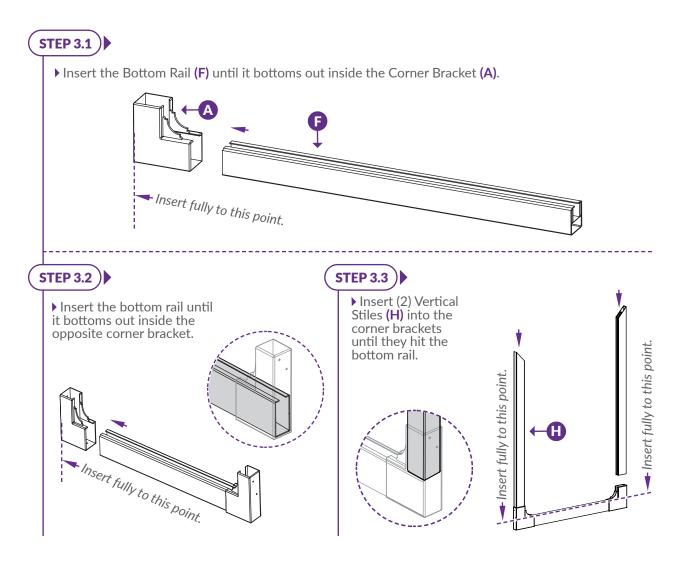
### **STEP 2: INSTALL** GATE JIG, POST ANCHORS, AND POSTS



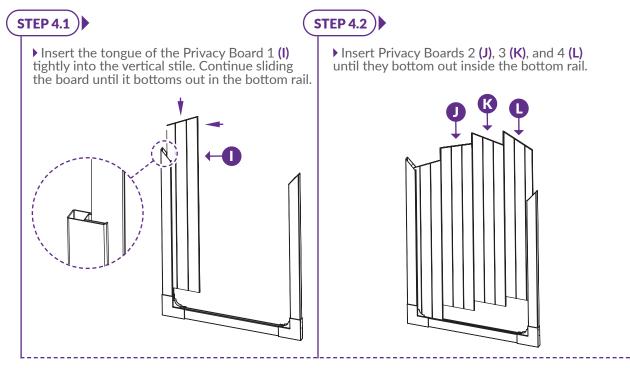
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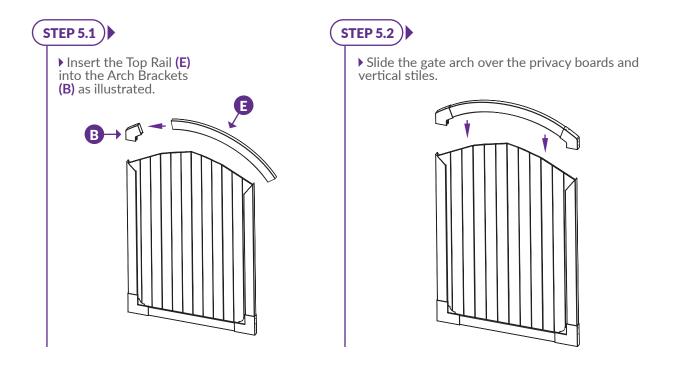
#### **STEP 3: ASSEMBLE** THE GATE FRAME BOTTOM AND SIDES



### **STEP 4: INSERT BOARDS**

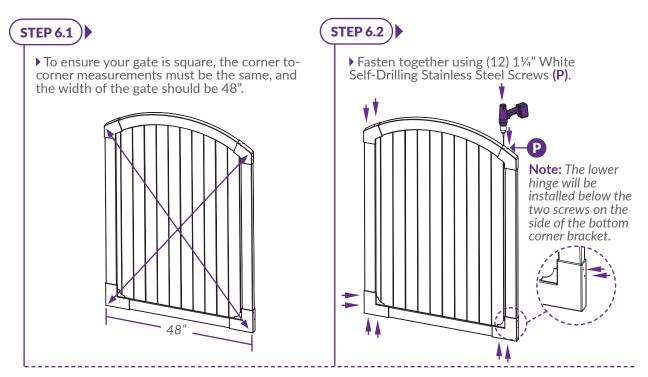


#### **STEP 5: ASSEMBLE GATE FRAME TOP**

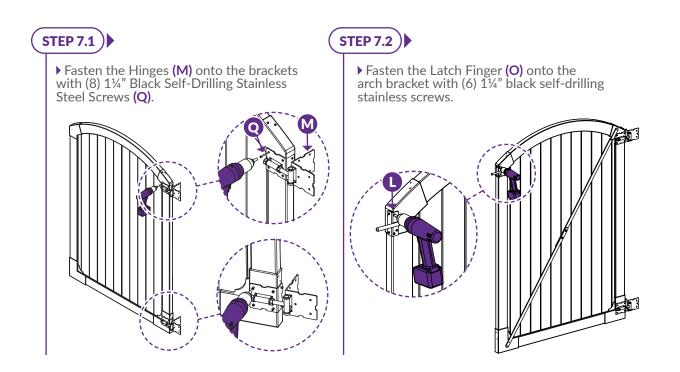


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#### **STEP 6: FASTEN GATE BRACKETS**



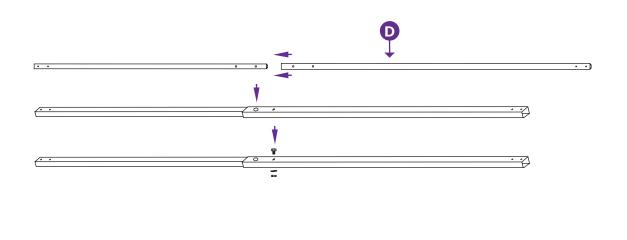
### **STEP 7: ATTACH GATE HARDWARE**



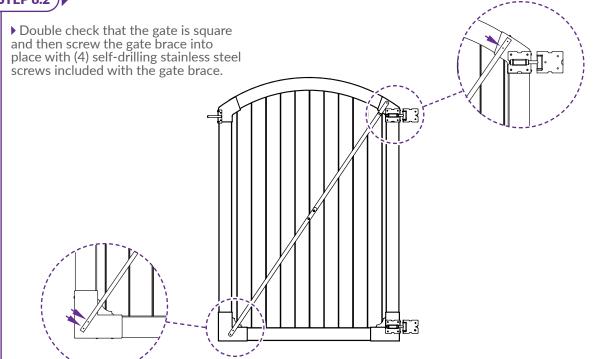
#### **STEP 8: ASSEMBLE AND FASTEN GATE BRACE**

#### STEP 8.1

▶ Assemble the Gate Brace **(D)** by sliding the larger square tube over the smaller square tube. Align the holes and install by using the included hardware.



#### **STEP 8.2**



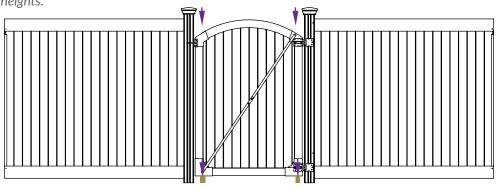
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### STEP 9: ALIGN GATE AND SECURE HINGES TO POST

#### STEP 9.1 )

▶ Align the gate to the horizontal fence rails.

**Note:** Both the fence & gate horizontal rail spacing can be adjusted to lower heights.



#### **STEP 9.2A**



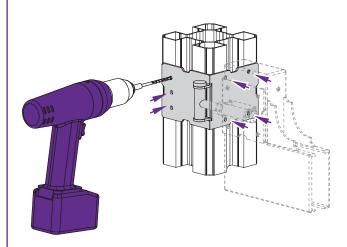
the hinge.

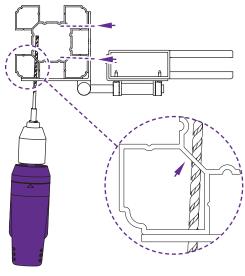


#### (STEP 9.2B)

▶ How to position the screws on the post side of the hinge: Using a ¾" drill bit, pre-drill the holes for the hinge screws as illustrated. Angle your drill slightly as illustrated.

**Note:** Swing the gate open and pre-drill four more holes for the hinge screws as illustrated.



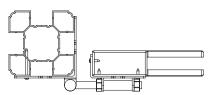


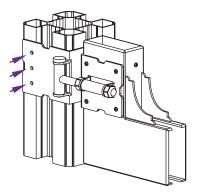
Top View

**Note:** Angle your drill to pierce into the angled portion of the post as illustrated.

#### STEP 9.2C)

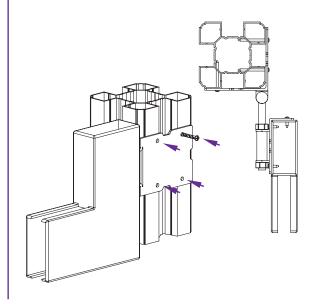
▶ Fasten (3) 2" black self-drilling stainless steel screws through the drilled holes.





(STEP 9.2D)▶

▶ Fasten (4) 2" black self-drilling stainless steel screws through the drilled holes. Repeat steps 9.2B through 9.2D for the second hinge.

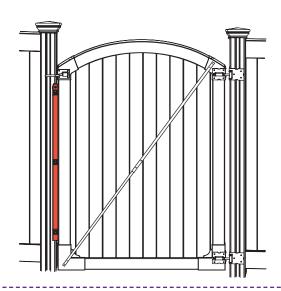


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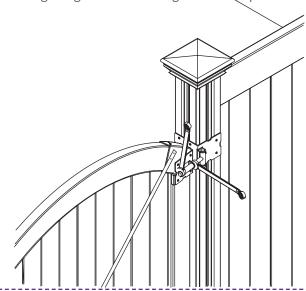
STEP 10.2)

#### **STEP 10: LEVEL GATE AND ADJUST HINGES**

▶ Using a level, make sure that the gate fits and functions with its latching post.



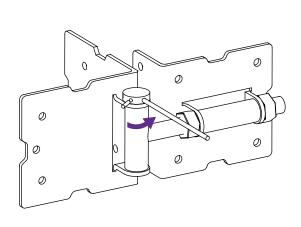
▶ The hinges can be adjusted moderately to bring the gate into level alignment with post.

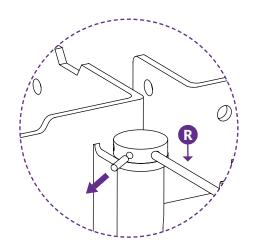


#### STEP 10.3)

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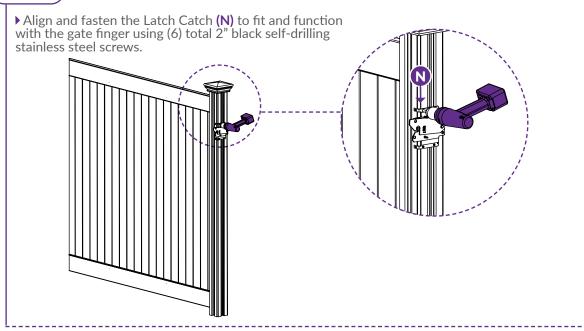
▶ To set the tension on the gate hinge, insert the 2¾" Gate Tension Pin (R) into one of the holes on the hinge column, rotate the column, and remove the pin to release tension in the gate hinge.



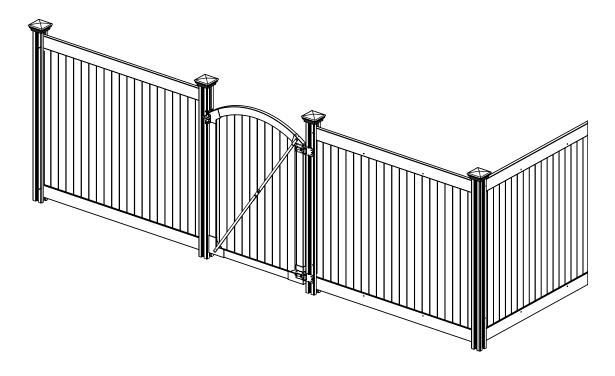


### **STEP 11: INSTALL LATCH CATCH**

#### STEP 11.1)



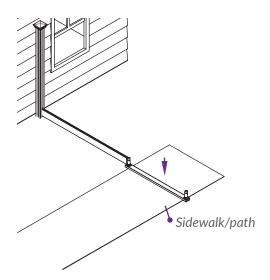
▶ Congratulations! You did it! Go grab a beverage of your choice, admire your handiwork, and show us what you got by entering our annual photo contest!



# **ALTERNATIVE APPLICATION: INSTALL** OVER A SIDEWALK OR PATH

#### STEP 1.1 )

▶ Option 1: If the sidewalk is less than 52", use the gate jig as a temporary spacer. Proceed installing the panels according to the fence's install guide.



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#### STEP 1.1

▶ Option 2: If the sidewalk is wider than 52", use surface mounts and follow the instructions included with them. Surface mounts must be purchased separately and can be found by searching product SKU SB61000.

