Pleasant Hearth 959

Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen User Manual

Model: 959

1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen. This screen is designed to enhance the safety and aesthetic of your fireplace area by containing sparks and embers. This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, use, and care of your fireplace screen.

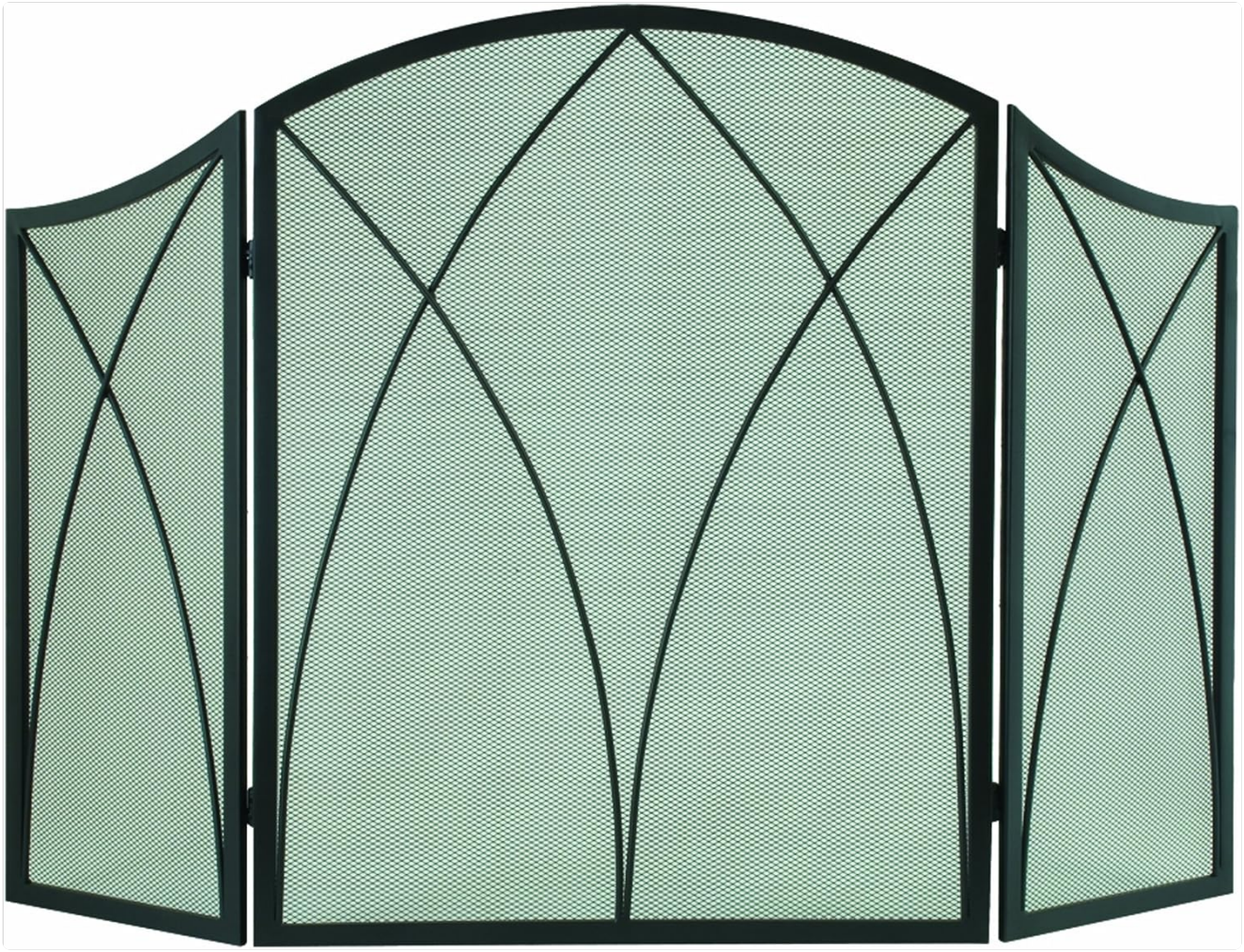


Image 1.1: The Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen. This image displays the full three-panel screen with its distinctive arched design and intricate mesh pattern, showcasing its overall appearance.

2. Safety Information

Please read and understand all safety instructions before using this fireplace screen. Failure to follow these instructions may result in injury or property damage.

- **Placement:** Always position the fireplace screen securely in front of the fireplace opening, ensuring it covers the entire opening to prevent sparks and embers from escaping.
- **Stability:** Ensure the screen is stable and cannot be easily tipped over, especially in households with children or pets.
- **Heat:** The screen will become hot during fireplace use. Avoid touching the screen while the fireplace is in operation or immediately afterward. Use heat-resistant gloves if adjustment is necessary.
- **Supervision:** Never leave a burning fireplace unattended, even with the screen in place.
- **Damage:** Do not use the screen if it is damaged or bent, as its protective capabilities may be compromised.

3. Package Contents

Verify that all components are present before proceeding with setup.

- 1 x Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen (Model 959)

Note: This fireplace screen is designed as a single, pre-assembled unit consisting of three hinged panels.

4. Setup and Placement

The Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen requires minimal setup. It arrives as a pre-assembled unit.

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove the fireplace screen from its packaging.
2. **Inspect:** Examine the screen for any signs of damage that may have occurred during shipping. If damage is found, do not use the product and contact customer support.
3. **Position:** Place the screen directly in front of your fireplace opening. Adjust the side panels to create a stable, freestanding barrier that completely covers the opening. The hinged design allows for slight adjustments to fit various fireplace widths.



Image 4.1: The fireplace screen positioned in front of a lit fireplace. This image demonstrates the proper placement of the screen to contain sparks and embers, showcasing its functional use.

5. Operating Instructions (Usage)

This fireplace screen serves as a protective barrier against sparks and embers from an active fireplace.

- Ensure the screen is always in place when the fireplace is in use.
- Do not place combustible materials directly on or near the screen.
- To tend to the fire, carefully move one of the side panels or the entire screen, then reposition it securely once finished. Always use appropriate fireplace tools.

6. Maintenance

Regular maintenance will help preserve the appearance and functionality of your fireplace screen.

- **Cleaning:** Allow the screen to cool completely before cleaning. Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe away dust and soot. For stubborn marks, a slightly damp cloth with mild soap can be used, followed by immediate drying. Avoid abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals, as these can damage the finish.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check the screen for any signs of wear, rust, or damage to the mesh or frame. Address any issues promptly to maintain safety.
- **Storage:** During off-season periods, store the screen in a dry place to prevent rust and damage.

7. Troubleshooting

This section addresses common concerns you might encounter with your fireplace screen.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Screen is unstable.	Panels are not properly angled or placed on an uneven surface.	Adjust the angle of the side panels to create a wider, more stable base. Ensure the screen is on a flat, level surface.
Minor scratches or scuffs on finish.	Normal wear and tear or minor contact during handling.	Touch up with a high-temperature black paint if desired. Ensure the fireplace is completely cool before applying.
Mesh appears slightly bent.	Minor impact or pressure.	Gently push the mesh back into place. If the damage affects safety, discontinue use.

8. Specifications

Detailed specifications for the Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen, Model 959.

Model Number: 959

Brand: Pleasant Hearth

Material: Metal (Durable steel construction)

Color: Black

Finish Type: Painted

Product Dimensions: 48 inches (Width) x 30 inches (Height)

Item Weight: Approximately 8.58 pounds

Design: Three-panel arched design with heavy-duty mesh screen

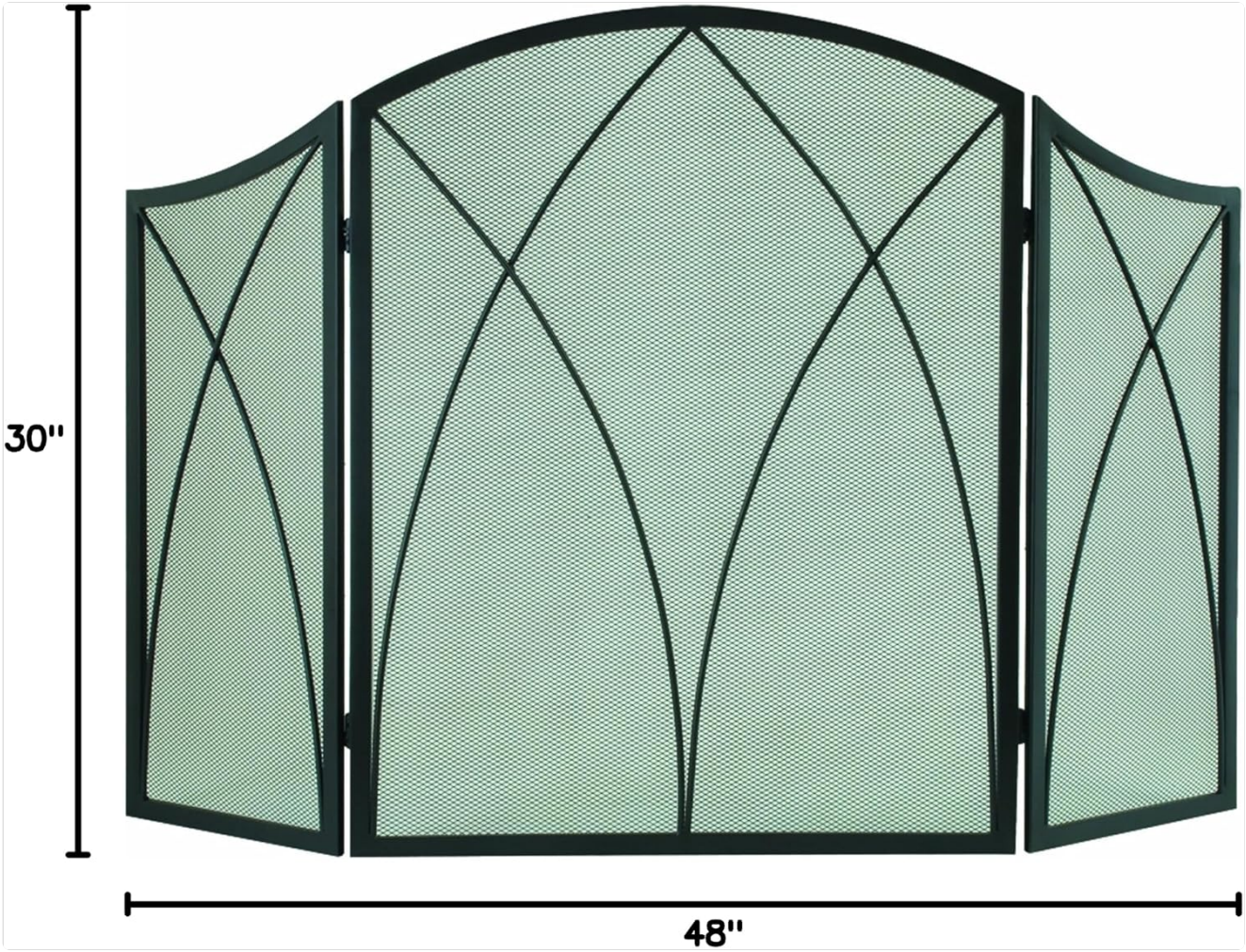


Image 8.1: Diagram illustrating the dimensions of the fireplace screen. This image clearly shows the overall width of 48 inches and height of 30 inches, providing essential measurement details.

9. Warranty and Support

For warranty information or technical support regarding your Pleasant Hearth Arched 3-Panel Victorian Gothic Fireplace Screen, please contact Pleasant Hearth customer service directly. Refer to the product packaging or the official Pleasant Hearth website for the most current contact details.

Manufacturer: Pleasant Hearth

Website: www.pleasanthearth.com (Example link, actual link may vary)

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