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Model: 893Max

Brand: LiftMaster

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The LiftMaster 893Max is a versatile garage door remote control designed for compatibility with a wide range of LiftMaster garage door openers manufactured since January 1993. This remote features Security+ 2.0 rolling code technology, which enhances security by generating a new code with each use, virtually eliminating radio wave interference. It can control up to three different garage door openers, gate operators, or MyQ accessories, offering convenient multi-device management. Its long-range signal and LED light signals facilitate easy push-button programming. The 893Max serves as a direct replacement for 80 series, 970 series, and 370 series LiftMaster remote controls.



Image: Front view of the LiftMaster 893Max remote control, showing three large buttons and the LiftMaster logo.

## SETUP AND PROGRAMMING

The 893Max remote control is designed for easy programming. Before beginning, locate the "Learn" button on your garage door opener's powerhead (the unit attached to the garage ceiling). The color of this button (green, red/orange, or purple) is crucial for determining the correct programming steps.

### Compatibility Check:

- Compatible with LiftMaster garage door openers manufactured since January 1993.

- Compatible with LiftMaster 315mhz Security+ gate operators.
- Replaces remotes from 80 series, 970 series, and 370 series (e.g., 81LM, 82LM, 83LM, 84LM, 370LM, 371LM, 372LM, 373LM, 374LM, 971LM, 972LM, 973LM, 974LM).

## Programming Steps:

1. Identify the color of the "Learn" button on your garage door opener. This is typically located on the back or side of the motor unit.
2. On the 893Max remote, press and hold the small program button located on the back of the remote until the LED light on the front turns solid.
3. Press the desired button on the 893Max remote the number of times corresponding to your opener's learn button color (refer to your opener's manual for exact presses, typically 1-3 times).
4. Press and release the "Learn" button on your garage door opener. The LED on the opener will light up.
5. Within 30 seconds, press and hold the programmed button on your 893Max remote until the garage door opener lights flash or two clicks are heard. This confirms successful programming.
6. Release the button on the remote. Test the remote by pressing the programmed button.

The 893Max can be programmed to control up to three different garage doors or gates. Repeat the programming steps for each button you wish to assign to a different device.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Once programmed, operating the LiftMaster 893Max remote is straightforward. Simply press the corresponding button for the garage door or gate you wish to open or close. The remote's long-range signal allows for activation from a considerable distance, providing convenience as you approach your home.

### Key Features:

- **Three-Button Control:** Program up to three different garage door openers, gate operators, or MyQ accessories.
- **Security+ 2.0:** Utilizes rolling code technology to prevent code duplication and enhance security.
- **LED Indicator:** Provides visual feedback during programming and operation.
- **Visor Clip:** Includes a clip for convenient attachment to your car's sun visor. The remote can also be easily removed for portability.

## MAINTENANCE

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The LiftMaster 893Max remote control requires minimal maintenance. The primary maintenance task is battery replacement.

### Battery Replacement:

- The remote uses one CR123A battery.
- When the remote's LED indicator becomes dim or fails to light up during button presses, it's time to replace the battery.
- To replace the battery, carefully remove the small screw on the back of the remote.
- Slide off the battery cover or the clip to access the battery compartment.
- Remove the old battery and insert a new CR123A battery, ensuring correct polarity.
- Replace the battery cover and screw.

*Note: Some users have reported issues with pre-installed batteries. If the remote does not operate upon first use, try replacing the battery with a fresh, high-quality CR123A battery.*

# TROUBLESHOOTING

## Common Issues and Solutions:

- **Remote not responding:**
  - Check the battery. Replace if necessary.
  - Ensure you are within range of the garage door opener.
  - Verify that the remote is correctly programmed to your opener. Re-program if unsure.
- **Garage door opener not learning the remote:**
  - Confirm the "Learn" button color on your opener matches the programming instructions.
  - Ensure you are pressing the remote button the correct number of times as per your opener's manual.
  - Some openers have a limit on the number of remotes that can be programmed. Consider clearing all existing codes from your opener (refer to your opener's manual for this procedure) and then re-programming all desired remotes.
  - Ensure the remote's LED lights up when a button is pressed, indicating battery power.
- **Interference:**
  - The Security+ 2.0 technology is designed to minimize interference. However, strong local radio signals or other electronic devices might occasionally cause issues. Try operating the remote from a slightly different position.
- **Remote buttons feel stiff or unresponsive:**
  - Ensure no debris is lodged around the buttons. Clean the remote's surface if necessary.

If issues persist after attempting these troubleshooting steps, please refer to the official LiftMaster support resources or contact customer service.

## SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature                         | Detail                    |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Model Number                    | 893Max                    |
| Brand                           | LiftMaster                |
| Manufacturer                    | Chamberlain               |
| Item Weight                     | 1.28 ounces               |
| Product Dimensions              | 4 x 3 x 0.05 inches       |
| Batteries Required              | 1 CR123A (included)       |
| Battery Cell Type               | Lithium Manganese Dioxide |
| Max Number of Supported Devices | 3                         |
| Connectivity Technology         | Radio Frequency           |
| Number of Buttons               | 3                         |

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For specific warranty information regarding your LiftMaster 893Max remote control, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official LiftMaster website. Warranty terms typically cover manufacturing defects for a specified period from the date of purchase.

Customer Support:

If you encounter any issues not covered in the troubleshooting section or require further assistance, please contact LiftMaster customer support. You can often find contact information on the LiftMaster website or through the retailer where you purchased the product.

For additional resources and product information, you may visit the[Official LiftMaster Store on Amazon](#).

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