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# Introduction

The Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters are designed to provide a fast, clean, and reliable method for igniting wood fires. These firelighters are suitable for use in various applications including indoor fireplaces, wood stoves, outdoor fire pits, and grills. Each firelighter is formulated to burn for up to 30 minutes, ensuring sufficient time to establish a robust fire.

This manual provides essential information regarding the safe handling, setup, and operation of your Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters.



Image: A 40-count case of Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters, showcasing the product packaging.

# SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read and understand all safety warnings before using Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters. Failure to follow these instructions may result in fire, injury, or property damage.

- Risk of Fire: Always exercise caution when starting fires.
- **Do Not Poke:** Avoid poking a burning firelighter, as flaming particles may stick to tools or cause burns.
- No Volatiles: Never add liquid firestarter, aerosol cans, or other volatile substances to any fire.
- **Children and Pets:** Never leave children or pets unattended near a fire. Store firelighters away from children and pets. Not suitable for human or animal consumption.
- Fireplace Screen: Always use a fireplace screen when using firelighters in a fireplace.
- Extinguishing: To extinguish a fire, use a dry chemical fire extinguisher, sand, or water.
- Not for Cooking: These firelighters are not intended for cooking purposes.



Image: The reverse side of a Duraflame Quick Start 4-pack, displaying important safety warnings and usage instructions.

# SETUP AND PREPARATION

Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters are designed for ease of use. Follow these steps to prepare for fire starting:

- 1. **Unpack:** Remove the desired number of firelighters from the packaging. Each block contains four firelighters that can be easily broken apart.
- 2. **Break Apart:** Gently break off one or more firelighters from the block as needed. Typically, one firelighter is sufficient for starting a standard wood fire.



Image: A 4-pack of Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters, illustrating how they are packaged and can be separated.

# **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

Follow these steps to effectively start a wood fire using Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters:

- 1. **Prepare Fire Area:** Ensure your fireplace, wood stove, fire pit, or grill is clean and ready for a fire. Place a few pieces of kindling or small logs in the desired configuration.
- 2. **Position Firelighter:** Place one Duraflame Quick Start Firelighter directly under the kindling or small logs. Ensure there is good airflow around the firelighter and the wood.
- 3. **Ignite:** Using a long match or utility lighter, light the edge of the firelighter. It will ignite quickly and produce a consistent flame.
- 4. **Add Wood:** Once the kindling or small logs have caught fire and are burning steadily, gradually add larger pieces of wood as needed. Do not smother the flame.



Image: A hand using a long lighter to ignite a Duraflame Quick Start Firelighter positioned beneath logs in a fireplace grate.



Image: A well-established wood fire burning brightly within a brick fireplace, demonstrating the successful use of the

## MAINTENANCE

Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters are single-use products and do not require any maintenance. Store unused firelighters in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and heat sources, and out of reach of children and pets.

#### **T**ROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter difficulty starting a fire:

- Ensure Airflow: Verify that there is adequate airflow around the firelighter and the kindling/logs. Poor airflow can hinder ignition and burning.
- **Dry Wood:** Ensure the wood you are attempting to light is dry. Damp wood is significantly harder to ignite.
- Additional Firelighter: If necessary, use a second firelighter to provide more heat and a longer burn time for stubborn fires.
- **Proper Placement:** Make sure the firelighter is placed directly under the kindling or smallest pieces of wood to maximize heat transfer.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

Feature	Specification
Brand	Duraflame
Model Number	04053
Item Weight	11.77 pounds (for 40-count case)
Product Dimensions	9.25 x 7.75 x 7.25 inches (for 40-count case)
Material	Wood-based
Burn Time	Up to 30 minutes per firelighter
UPC	608436888119

# WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For specific warranty information or customer support regarding Duraflame Quick Start Firelighters, please refer to the product packaging or visit the official Duraflame website. Contact information for customer service is typically provided by the manufacturer.



#### <u>Duraflame 18WM30048 Electric Fireplace: Operating Instructions and Manual</u>

This document provides comprehensive operating instructions, safety guidelines, troubleshooting tips, warranty information, and maintenance advice for the Duraflame 18WM30048 electric fireplace. Learn how to operate power, flame, heater, timer, and light functions, and find solutions for common issues.

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#### Duraflame 23WM16603 Electric Fireplace User Manual

Comprehensive user manual for the Duraflame 23WM16603 Electric Fireplace, covering assembly, operation, safety, maintenance, troubleshooting, and warranty information. Includes detailed instructions and specifications.



#### Duraflame 18IRM2232 Electric Fireplace User Manual and Troubleshooting Guide

Comprehensive guide for the Duraflame 18IRM2232 electric fireplace, including setup, operation, troubleshooting, maintenance, and warranty information. Learn how to use the Spectrafire flame effects, timer, and heater.



## <u>Duraflame Electric Fireplace 18II210GRA, 23II210GRA User Manual and Instructions</u>

Comprehensive user manual for Duraflame electric fireplaces models 18II210GRA and 23II210GRA. Includes getting started, safety instructions, operation, troubleshooting, parts list, maintenance, FCC information, battery replacement, and warranty details.

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#### <u>Duraflame 23MM4469 Electric Fireplace TV Stand User Manual</u>

Comprehensive user manual and assembly guide for the Duraflame 23MM4469 Electric Fireplace TV Stand. Includes safety instructions, operation details, care, and troubleshooting tips from Twin-Star International Inc.

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## <u>Duraflame DFI041ARU-2 Electric Fireplace User Manual and Instructions</u>

Comprehensive user manual for the Duraflame DFI041ARU-2 electric fireplace, covering setup, operation, safety instructions, troubleshooting, and maintenance from Twin-Star International, Inc.