CARE AND MAINTENANCE GUIDE

ANTIQUE IRON HARDWARE

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Iron, whether cast or malleable is susceptible to rusting.

The product finishing process endeavours to cover all areas of the product, first dipping it into a liquid paint which is then stove dried. This is then followed by the Black/Pewter Powder Coating process, which is also cured by stoving.

Unavoidably when two areas of metal come into contact with each other an abrasive action is enacted, and eventually the painted surfaces are lost by the continuous rubbing action. This is inevitable during the operational activity of the item, so where obvious abrasive areas of moving parts are visible an occasional light oiling is recommended. This will help to prolong the aesthetic appearance and keep the rusting process at bay.

We recommend that once your Antique Iron hardware is installed, any scratching, scuffing or chipped areas are touched up with Realm™ touch-up paint.

We do not recommend these products to be used within 15 miles of the coastline (*This is due to the high salt content in the sea air which has a very corrosive effect on iron*).

To remove harmful deposits which will cause corrosion we advise that the hardware is regularly wiped over with a lightly oiled cloth.

Do not use abrasive materials or acid based cleaning products.

