

## Assembly Instructions for Yuletide's Aluminum Tree.

### **WARNING!**

Do not decorate this tree with electric lights. Electric lights may “short out” on the metal branches and thus create a risk of fire and/or electric shock. Use only separate spotlighting projected onto the tree.

### **CAUTION!**

The Aluminum Tree Branches may have sharp edges. Always wear hand protection during assembly and disassembly.

Notice: Save all of the packing materials that come with your tree. These materials will be re-used to store your tree when not in use.

1. Your tree carton should contain:
  - a. Tree stand
  - b. Center trunk (1, 2, or 3 pieces, depending on the model of your tree)
  - c. Branches stored in protective tubes
2. First, set the tree stand in the appropriate place. No assembly required.
3. Next, insert the trunk into the stand. Depending on the model of your tree, your trunk may have one, two or three pieces. If your trunk has one piece, simply insert the bottom portion of the trunk into the tree stand. The bottom of the trunk is the section that has a tapered end. The tapered end should fit in the bottom of the tree stand. If your trunk has two pieces, insert the wood pin dowel into the bottom section of the trunk (if not already inserted). Then, place the top portion of the trunk over the wood pin dowel, making sure to line up the natural spiral of the tree trunks. If your trunk has three pieces, insert the wood pin dowels into the middle section of the trunk, this will be the 27” long piece (if not already inserted). Then, place the bottom and top portion of the trunk over the wood pin dowel, making sure to line up the natural spiral of the tree trunks. If you cannot line the spiral up right now, you can always adjust it later. **It is important to push the trunk together, being careful not to twist the pieces together. Twisting can damage the trunk or break wood dowel.**
4. Now, one at a time, grasp the bottom end of the branch by the exposed rod and remove the tube from the branch.
5. Finally, starting at the bottom of the tree, insert each of the branches into one of the holes in the tree trunk. Progress up the tree trunk until all of the branches has been inserted. To prevent branches from unwinding, only grasp the exposed rod end of the branch.

To store tree when not in use:

1. Starting from the top of the tree, remove each branch and insert them into their protective tube, sliding the rod end first.
2. Next remove the trunk sections from the tree stand.
3. Insert all of the components into the tree box.
4. Store your tree in a cool, dry place and it will be ready for the next time you use it.