

# Cuisinart® Stainless Cookware

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## GETTING STARTED

- **Wash Before First Use:** Clean with warm, soapy water; rinse and dry thoroughly.
- **Preheat for Best Results:** Heat pan for about 2 minutes over medium low before cooking. A properly heated pan improves searing and helps prevent sticking. Test the readiness with a few drops of water — the droplets should bead and dance across the surface.
- **Add Oil:** After preheating, add oil to coat the pan, then allow it to heat before adding food.
- **Heat Guidelines:** Use medium heat for most cooking. Oven-safe up to 500°F; glass lids up to 450°F.
- **Always** use potholders — handles and pans get hot.
- **Do not** use nonstick cookware under the broiler.

## CLEANING & CARE

- Allow pan to cool before washing; avoid thermal shock.
- Dishwasher safe, but hand wash recommended. Use warm, soapy water with a nonabrasive sponge and non-citrus dish soap.
- Dry thoroughly after washing to prevent water spots.
- For stubborn residue: Add 1 inch of water and 1 tablespoon of non-lemon dish soap. Simmer in water and mild detergent for 15 minutes, cool, then clean.
- For discoloration: Use food-grade stainless steel cleaner or baking soda paste.

## UTENSILS

- Safe for silicone, nylon, wood, and metal utensils.
- Avoid sharp tools like knives or forks on the cooking surface.

## COOKING TIPS

- **Induction:** Center pan on burner.
- **Glass cooktops:** Lift, don't slide.
- **Gas burners:** Keep flames under pan bottom only.
- **Don't leave unattended:** Overheating or boiling dry can damage cookware. If boiled dry, turn off heat and let cool naturally.

## STORAGE

- Avoid tight stacking; use a rack or soft protectors if nesting.

## LIFETIME WARRANTY

Subject to the exclusions and limitations contained herein, Conair LLC dba Cuisinart ("Cuisinart") warrants that the Cuisinart® Cookware will be free from material defects in materials and workmanship under normal home use conditions throughout the original purchaser's lifetime, beginning on the date this Stainless Steel Cookware was purchased in its original, sealed packaging, unless otherwise specified in this Lifetime Warranty. This Lifetime Warranty is only for U.S. consumers (defined herein as purchasers at retail for personal, family, or household use) who originally purchase the Stainless Steel Cookware from Cuisinart or an authorized Cuisinart® reseller (if you are unsure whether a retailer or other point of sale is an authorized or unauthorized Cuisinart reseller, contact Cuisinart).

This Lifetime Warranty does NOT cover:

- Normal wear and tear;
- Any Stainless Steel Cookware purchased by commercial purchasers or for commercial or non-household uses;
- Accessories, parts, or software added to the Stainless Steel Cookware after the system is shipped from Cuisinart;
- Any costs associated with the replacement or repair of the Stainless Steel Cookware, including labor, installation, or other costs incurred by you without prior Cuisinart approval;
- Damage to the Stainless Steel Cookware, defective conditions, or nonconformities due to: (1) external causes, including shipping, accidents, abnormal conditions (such as mechanical or environmental); (2) usage not in accordance with Stainless Steel Cookware instructions; (3) misuse, neglect, unauthorized alteration, unauthorized repair; and (4) acts of God or other events beyond Cuisinart's control;
- Though necessary repairs and maintenance might be performed by any company, damage caused by you or any nonauthorized third party may void this Lifetime Warranty;
- Damage caused by accessories or replacement parts not specifically authorized by Cuisinart may void this Lifetime Warranty; and
- Any Stainless Steel Cookware where the original Stainless Steel Cookware identification markings (trademark or serial number) have been removed, altered, or obliterated from the Stainless Steel Cookware.

It is recommended that you visit the website, <https://www.cuisinart.com/register-your-product.html>, for a fast, efficient way to complete your Stainless Steel Cookware registration. However, Stainless Steel Cookware registration does not eliminate the need for the consumer to maintain the original proof of purchase in order to obtain the warranty benefits. In the event that you do not have proof of purchase date, the purchase date for purposes of this Lifetime Warranty will be the date of manufacture.

## **HASSLE-FREE WARRANTY**

If the Stainless Steel Cookware that is the subject of this Lifetime Warranty fails during the warranty period for reasons covered by this Lifetime Warranty, Cuisinart will, at its option, repair the Stainless Steel Cookware, replace the Stainless Steel Cookware with another identical or reasonably equivalent Stainless Steel Cookware, or if Cuisinart is unable to repair or replace the Stainless Steel Cookware, refund the purchase price, less the amount directly attributable to the consumer's prior usage of the Stainless Steel Cookware. To obtain a return shipping label, visit us at <https://www.cuisinart.com/customer-care/product-assistance/product-inquiry/>, or call our Consumer Service Center toll-free at **1-800-726-0190** to speak with a representative.

Upon receipt of the Stainless Steel Cookware, Cuisinart will inspect the Stainless Steel Cookware and, if required under this Lifetime Warranty, attempt to repair, replace, or refund the Stainless Steel Cookware within thirty (30) days. However, there may be delays beyond Cuisinart's control, in which case that time period may be extended as reasonably necessary.

**IMPORTANT:** If the nonconforming Stainless Steel Cookware is to be serviced by someone other than Cuisinart's Authorized Service Center, please remind the servicer to call our Consumer Service Center at **1-800-726-0190** to ensure that the problem is properly diagnosed, the Stainless Steel Cookware is serviced with the correct parts, and the Stainless Steel Cookware is still under warranty.

## **CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS ONLY**

The Lifetime Warranty period begins on the date the Stainless Steel Cookware was delivered, which may be different than the date the Stainless Steel Cookware was purchased. California residents also have the option of obtaining the benefits of this Lifetime Warranty by bringing the Stainless Steel Cookware to (A) the store where it was purchased or (B) another retail store that sells Cuisinart Stainless Steel Cookware of the same type. The retail store shall then, according to its preference, either repair the Stainless Steel Cookware, refer the consumer to an independent repair facility, replace the Stainless Steel Cookware with another identical or reasonably equivalent Stainless Steel Cookware, or refund the purchase price less the amount directly attributable to the consumer's prior usage of the Stainless Steel Cookware. California residents may also, according to their preference, return nonconforming Stainless Steel Cookware directly to Cuisinart for repair or, if necessary, replacement with another identical or reasonably equivalent Stainless Steel Cookware by calling our Consumer Service Center toll-free at **1-800-726-0190**. Cuisinart will be responsible for the cost of such repair, replacement, and/or shipping and handling for such nonconforming Stainless Steel Cookware under warranty.

**THIS LIFETIME WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS, AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS THAT VARY FROM STATE TO STATE OR BY JURISDICTION. IN THE EVENT THIS LIFETIME WARRANTY IS BREACHED, YOU MAY HAVE CLAIMS FOR REPLACEMENT, DAMAGES, OR OTHER PENALTIES**

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