# **USE AND CARE INSTRUCTIONS**

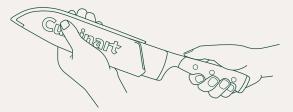
#### HOW SHOULD I CARE FOR MY NEW KNIVES?

Hand-wash cutlery for best results. For optimal performance, periodically sharpen the edge of your knives using a knife sharpener. In between sharpening, you can use a honing rod to keep knife edges healthy and straight.

#### DOES YOUR SET INCLUDE BLADE GUARDS?

# Important Handling Instructions!

Please use caution when removing or replacing blade guard.



#### DOES YOUR SET INCLUDE A BLOCK?

To clean the block surface, wipe with a warm, wet cloth or sponge, and towel-dry immediately. Do not immerse in water.

#### DOES YOUR BLOCK INCLUDE A BUILT-IN SHARPENER?

To use sharpener: Hold the side of the block with one hand and the knife handle with the other. While avoiding the sharpening V notch at the bottom of the sharpening slot, carefully insert the knife blade towards the top of the slot. After fully inserting, lower the blade into the sharpening V notch. While pushing the blade down into the sharpening notch using moderate pressure, pull the blade out from the base to tip while following the curve of the knife edge. For best results, only sharpen when removing the knife. Repeat the process as needed. Wipe blade clean with a soft cloth or paper towel before use.

### DOES YOUR SET INCLUDE A CUTTING BOARD?

For cutting mats: Dishwasher safe.

For poly cutting boards: Dishwasher safe.

For wood cutting boards: To clean the wood cutting board surface, wipe with a warm, wet cloth or sponge, and towel-dry immediately. Do not immerse in water.

#### LIFETIME WARRANTY

Subject to the exclusions and limitations contained herein, Conair LLC dba Cuisinart® ("Cuisinart") warrants that the Cuisinart® Cutlery 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 Product 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 Product 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 product purchased by commercial purchasers or for commercial or nonhousehold uses;
- · Accessories, parts, or software added to the Product after the system is shipped from Cuisinart;

- Any costs associated with the replacement or repair of the Product, including labor, installation, or other costs incurred by you without prior Cuisinart approval;
- Damage to the Product, defective conditions, or nonconformities due to: (1) external causes, including shipping, accidents, abnormal conditions (such as a mechanical or environmental); (2) usage not in accordance with Product 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 Product where the original Product identification markings (trademark or serial number) have been removed, altered, or obliterated from the Product.

It is recommended that you visit our website, https://cuisinart.registria.com, for a fast, efficient way to complete your Product registration. However, product 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 REPLACEMENT WARRANTY

If the Product 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 Product, replace the Product with another identical or reasonably equivalent Product, or if Cuisinart is unable to repair or replace the Product, refund the purchase price, less the amount directly attributable to the consumer's prior usage of the Product. 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 Product, Cuisinart will inspect the Product and, if required under this Lifetime Warranty, attempt to repair, replace, or refund the Product 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 Product 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 Product is serviced with the correct parts, and the Product is still under warranty.

#### CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS ONLY

The Lifetime Warranty period begins on the date the Product was delivered, which may be different from the date the Product was purchased. California residents also have the option of obtaining the benefits of this Lifetime Warranty by bringing the Product to (A) the store where it was purchased or (B) another retail store that sells Cuisinart® Product of the same type. The retail store shall then, according to its preference, either repair the Product, refer the consumer to an independent repair facility, replace the Product with another identical or reasonably equivalent Product, or refund the purchase price less the amount directly attributable to the consumer's prior usage of the Product. California residents may also, according to their preference, return nonconforming Product directly to Cuisinart for repair or, if necessary, replacement with another identical or reasonably equivalent Product 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 Product 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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