

# ELECTRIC KNIFE SHARPENER Instruction Manual

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Thank you for purchasing a Ginny's Brand Electric Knife Sharpener. You'll love this fast, easy way to sharpen kitchen and sports knives, with a two-stage sharpening system for professional results at home. Precision blade guides hold the knife at the ideal sharpening angle for an exceptionally sharp edge - every time!



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### **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

#### **READ CAREFULLY BEFORE USING & SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

- To protect against the risk of electrical shock, do not put the appliance in water or other liquids.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning.
- · Avoid contacting moving parts.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or in the event the appliance malfunctions, or is dropped or damaged in any manner. Contact Ginny's toll-free Customer Service number for return or replacement: 800-544-1590.
- The use of attachments not recommended by Ginny's may cause fire, electrical shock, or injury.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not let cord hang over edge of table or counter or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not use the appliance for other than intended use.
- For household use only.
- Do not run fingers along the edge of a knife to check for sharpness, as this may result in injury!

#### ELECTRICAL SAFETY

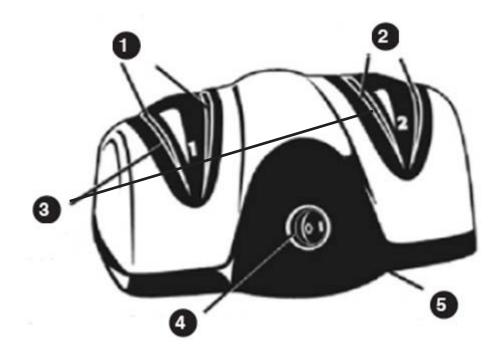
No user-serviceable parts inside. A short cord is provided to reduce the hazards resulting from entanglement or tripping over a long cord. An extension cord may be used with care; however, the marked electrical rating should be at least as great as the electrical rating of this appliance. The cord should not be allowed to drape over the counter or tabletop where it can be pulled or tripped over.

To reduce the risk of electrical shock, this appliance is equipped with a polarized plug, in which one prong is wider than the other. This plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only in one direction. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.

#### SPECIFICATIONS

Power Consumption:	120V /60HZ, 40 W
Product Size:	8"W x 5-3/4 "D x 3-1/2"H
Cord Length:	36"
Model:	WTF-28D

#### PART NAMES



- 1. Stage 1 (coarse grinds)
- 2. Stage 2 (fine hones)
- 3. Blade guides
- 4. ON/OFF switch
- 5. Base with suction feet
- 6. Receptacle Plugs (2) (not shown)

## HOW TO OPERATE

**NOTE:** Your electric knife sharpener will sharpen knives of alloy, carbon steel, or stainless steel. Do not attempt to sharpen scissors, serrated knives, or any blade that does not fit freely in the blade guides.

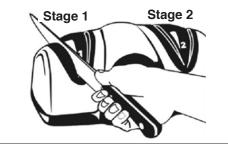
**WARNING:** Never insert the tip of the knife into the blade guide first and push through. This could damage the knife sharpener and your knife.

**STAGE 1 – COARSE GRINDING**: begin sharpening and create a precision angled edge.

- 1. Hold the knife parallel to the table or counter top, except when sharpening the tip of the blade.
- 2. To sharpen the tip, lift up on the knife handle slightly as the curved portion of the blade is drawn through the blade guides.
- When drawing the knife through the blade guides, allow approximately one second for each two inches of blade. For example, if sharpening a knife with a 6" blade, you should take approximately three seconds for each pass.
- 4. Slowly draw the knife toward you through each guide slot in Stage 1 three times, alternating passes between the two slots.

**STAGE 2 – FINE HONING:** complete the knife sharpening process by honing and polishing the knife to an exact razor-sharp edge.

- Slowly draw the knife though each guide slot in Stage 2 three times, alternating passes between the two slots. Each pass should take approximately three or more seconds, again depending on the knife blade's length.
- 2. Complete the honing process with one quick pass (approximately one second) through both slots of Stage 2.
- 3. Before using the knife to slice food, always wipe the knife blade with a damp cloth.
- **NOTE:** If knife does not slice food with ease, repeat Stage 1 and 2.



#### **CLEANING & CARE**

- 1. The outside surface of the knife sharpener may be cleaned with a damp cloth. Do not use abrasive pads or cleaners.
- Your knife sharpener has two receptacle plugs on the bottom of the unit for collecting metal filings from your knives. After each use,empty the receptacles by removing the plastic plugs and shake out the metal filings.
- 3. NEVER IMMERSE THE KNIFE SHARPENER IN WATER OR ANY OTHER LIQUIDS.

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#### WARRANTY

Ginny's warrants this product free from defects in material and workmanship for one year from provable date of purchase.

Within this warranty period, Ginny's will repair or replace, at its option, defective parts at no charge, provided the product is returned, freight prepaid with proof of purchase to Ginny's. Allow 2-4 weeks for return shipping.

This warranty does not cover improper installation, misuse, abuse or neglect on part of the owner. Warranty is also invalid in any case that the product is taken apart or serviced by an unauthorized service station.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and they may vary from state to state. THE FOREGOING WARRANTIES ARE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES AND CONDITIONS, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THOSE OF MERCHANTIBILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

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