

Palladian Glass Retainer Replacement

Please read all the instructions before you begin the procedure. Allow about half an hour to complete. If you have any questions please call us toll free at 1-800-866-4344, Monday –Saturday 9:00 – 5:00, EST.

Tools Needed:

1/2” socket
socket wrench
penetrating oil (see below)

Recommended:

safety glasses
work gloves
shop vac

Materials:

W-238 Glass retainer
W-2573 5/16-18 x 1 3/4” bolts
Pre-attached gasket
Anti-Seize compound

1. Make sure the stove is cool.
2. Using a 1/2” socket, remove the old glass retainer from inside the firebox. TIP: If the bolts will not loosen, spray them with a penetrating oil (WD-40, Break-Free CLP, Kroil, PB Blaster, etc.) and let it work on the bolts for up to 24 hours. Try to loosen the bolts and reapply penetrating oil until they will loosen. (NOTE: In some extreme cases, the head of the bolt may be rounded over or burned off. If that is the case, you will need to grind (or cut) off what remains. This will allow you to pull off the old retainer, exposing the shank of the bolt. Continue using penetrant where the threads enter the front casting and use vise grips to remove what's left of the bolt.)



3. Install the new glass retainer with the same 1/2" socket (the pre-attached gasket provides a cushion where the retainer hits the soapstone piece). The bolts will either come pre-treated with anti-seize compound, or there will be a small packet of it in which to coat the threads. Tighten the bolts evenly and make sure they are secured properly.



NOTE: There is no “cure time” to abide by, but be aware that the adhesive on the pre-attached gasket will emit an odor for the first 4-8 hours of heavy, high temperature use.

4. Enjoy your stove!

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