Saint Charles French Quarter Dollhouse Assembly Instruction by Laser Dollhouse Designs



NOTE 1: Please do a dry assembly using only tape to hold house together. This will get you familiar with parts, location, and fit. This also gives you a chance to visualize how you want to approach the build. Also read each step and adhere to items that should not be glued till a later time..

Materials for build; Brads nails and hammer not needed in 1:24 scale house

- 1. Wood glue, you may use Titebond, Elmers, tacky or any good wood glue. Tacky wood glue dries clear and is preferred.
- 2. Masking tape to hold house in place during dry assembly and gluing.
- 3. Utility knife if needed for trimming.
- 4. 220 grit sandpaper.
- 5. Wood Filler

6. Paint, any acrylic paint. Hardware stores carry sample cans which are not expensive and are enough to cover the house.

7. #19x1/2 Wire Brads nails found at Home Depot or Lowes to nail house together. 1:12 scale house only



8. 8oz Ball peen and needle nose pliers to hold brads as you hammer into wood.

Step 1. Locate base floor with labeled slots 1A thru 1G as seen in figure 1.

Step 2. Install 1st floor walls 1A thru 1G, figure 2

Step 3. Install 2nd floor onto first floor walls as seen in figure 3.



Figure 1



Figure 2



Figure 3

Step 4. Install 2nd floor walls 2A thru 2G as seen in Figure 4.

Step 5. Install 3rd floor onto 2nd floor walls, figure 5.

Step 6. Install wall 3A and the two side roof panels as seen in figure 6.

Step 7. Install 3rd floor front and rear roof panels, figure 7.



Figure 4

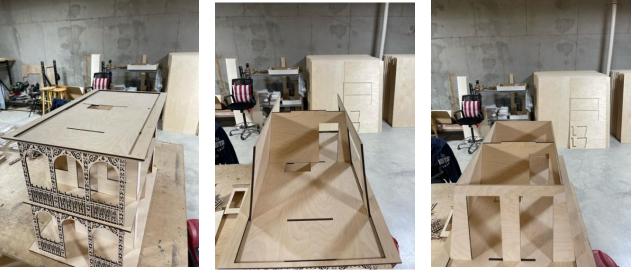


Figure 5

Figure 6



Step 8. Install upper roof panel, figure 8.

Step 9. Locate the two alcove windows & upper panels (fig. 9) and install upper panels to complete frames, Fig. 10

Step 10. Install onto the front panel as seen in figure 11.



Figure 8



Figure 9

Figure 10

Figure 11

Step 11. Install upper roof running trim, figure 12.

Step 12 Install side railing and upper porch trim on the first and 2nd floor, figure 13.

Step 13. Locate and lay out parts for staircase, figure 14. Next install treads with holes to the left to make a lefthandrail staircase, figure 15

Step 14. Install handrail and baluster stringer, fig. 16 Next install two newel posts.



Figure 12





Figure 14





Figure 15

Figure 16

Figure 13

Step 15. Install foot and handrails to landing rail baluster stringer as seen in figure 17.

Step 16. Install two newel post to the longest one to form one straight rail, figure 18 Next install the last two railings onto two newel post to form a L, figure 19

Step 17. Install staircases and railings into house, figure 20. Next install interior doors.

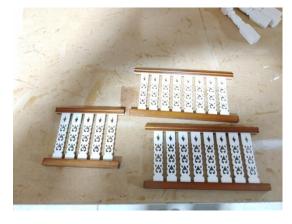


Figure 17

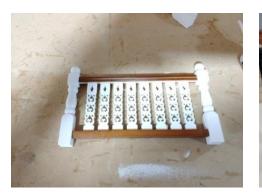






Figure 18

Figure 19

Figure 20

Step 18. Install windows and exterior doors by inserting glass thru top rear openings then installing into house, figure 21

(1:24th scale the glass is sandwiched between outside and inside wood frames)

Assembly Completed!!



Figure 21



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