

**FOR FUTURE USE AND REFERENCE**  
**RETAIN THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET AND THE CRIB TOOLS IN THE ORIGINAL SACK**  
**AND SECURE IT TO THE SPRING UNDER THE MATTRESS WITH PLASTIC TIES.**

**CARE INSTRUCTIONS:** The natural warmth of wood is a lasting value. Character marks, checking and grain variations are part of the beauty of wood and, therefore, should not be a concern. If treated with care, this solid wood product will last you for many years to come. Once every week, wipe your Baby's Dream furniture with Pledge®, lemon oil or other similar wood treatment products. If you encounter any roughness in the finish of your new crib, fold a piece of regular white paper—not tissue or newspaper—and rub it gently against the surface until the desired smoothness is achieved. If refinishing, use a non-toxic finish specified for children's products. Let dry, sand with a very fine product such as folded paper or dishing washing sponge and, finally, apply water-based baby-safe lacquer for the perfect matching shine.

**WARNING!** To insure your child's safety and for your own peace of mind, be sure to follow instructions properly. Failure to follow these warnings and assembly instructions could result in serious injury or death. Before each usage or assembly, inspect the crib for damaged hardware, loose joints, missing parts or sharp edges.

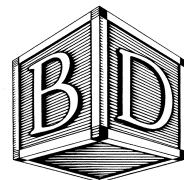
- ✓ **DO NOT** use the crib if any parts are missing or broken.
- ✓ **DO NOT** substitute parts. Ask your dealer or write to Baby's Dream Furniture for replacement parts and instructional literature if needed.
- ✓ Make sure that all bolts and screws are properly tightened. **DO NOT** over- or under-tighten.
- ✓ **AVOID STRANGULATION:** As soon as an infant can sit or stand up, close the crib gate or raise the Drop Front permanently.
- ✓ **DO NOT** place the crib near a window where cords from blinds or drapes may strangle a child.
- ✓ **DO NOT** tie pacifiers, necklaces or any other items around a child's neck or on the crib parts.

**WARNING!** Strings can cause strangulation! Do not place items with string around a child's neck, such as hood strings or pacifier cords. Do not suspend strings over a crib or attach string toys.

- ✓ **NEVER** use plastic shopping bags or other film as mattress covers, because they can cause suffocation.
- ✓ For a newborn, adjust the spring on the highest level of the Height Adjuster and open the gate or lower the Drop Front for easy access.
- ✓ **DO NOT** leave a child in a crib with an open gate or lowered Drop Front. Be sure the gate is closed or the Drop Front is raised and locked in position whenever the child is in the crib. After closing the gate or raising the Drop Front, make sure the latches are secure.
- ✓ The child must be seated at the rear of the crib when lowering or raising the gate or Drop Front.
- ✓ As your child grows, adjust the height of the spring down so that he/she cannot pull himself/herself out of the crib. When the child is able to pull to a standing position, set the mattress to the lowest position and remove bumper pads, large toys and other objects that could serve as steps for climbing out. When the child is able to climb out or reaches the height of 35" (90cm), the bed should no longer be used in the form of a crib. You can continue to use this crib as a youth or toddler bed for another 2 to 3 years by using the **Youth Bed Conversion Kit**.

**ANY MATTRESS USED IN THIS CRIB MUST BE AT LEAST 27 1/4" X 51 5/8" WITH A THICKNESS NOT EXCEEDING 6". DO NOT USE A WATER MATTRESS WITH THIS CRIB.**

This crib conforms to the applicable regulations promulgated by the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

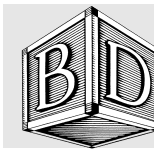


This product may be covered by one or more of the following patents: D366,778; D366,970,5,077,846 and other patents pending.



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**Convertible "Kathryn™" Crib Instruction Sheet**  
 Read All Instructions Before Assembling Crib. Keep Instructions For Future Use.

**(A PHILLIPS HEAD SCREWDRIVER AND A FLAT-HEAD SCREWDRIVER IS REQUIRED)**

PARTS LIST	HARDWARE	
(1) Back Frame	(12) 50mm Bolts	(1) Allen Wrench
(1) Front Frame (with Gate attached)	(10) 60mm Bolts	(2) Strike Plates (Attached to Posts)
(2) End Frames	(4) 40mm Bolts	(5) 10mm Diameter x 40mm Long Dowels
(2) Front Posts	(4) 20mm Bolts	(4) #8 x 3" Long Screws
(2) Back Posts	(4) Joint Connector Nuts	<b>THESE ITEMS PACKAGED WITH ADULT RAILS</b>
(1) Gate Frame with Strike Plates attached (Attached to Front Frame)	(4) Spacers (Rubber)	(8) Fully Threaded Rods
(1) Top Cap/Youth Rail	(6) Tension Pins	(4) Nuts
	(1) Spring (Mattress Support)	(4) Washers Curved
	(2) Trigger Latches (Attached to Gate)	(1) Wrench



Back Frame



Front Frame



Strike Plate



Trigger Latch



Tension Pin



Joint Connector Nut



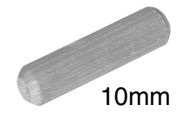
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Front Posts



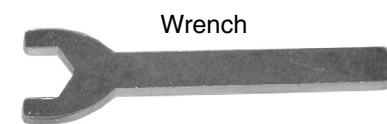
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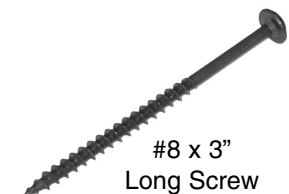
10mm x 40mm Long Dowel



Spacer



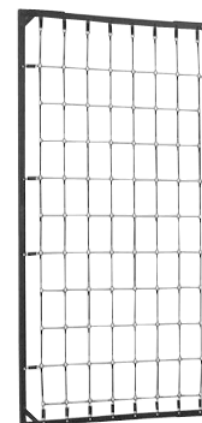
Wrench



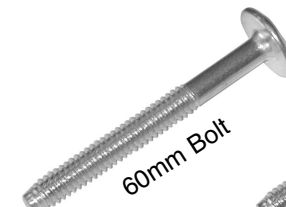
#8 x 3" Long Screw



Fully Threaded Rods



Spring (Mattress Support)



60mm Bolt



50mm Bolt



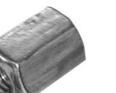
40mm Bolt



20mm Bolt



Washer Curved



Nut

# CRIB ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

**Step 1:** To begin assembly you will need your hardware bag. The photos on the front of this instruction sheet will show you a photo of each piece of hardware needed and included in this package.

**Step 2:** Assembly begins with two back posts and the back frame. To assemble the back post to the back frame you will need four 60mm bolts and your allen wrench.

**Step 3:** Line up the holes in the posts with the holes in the back frame and insert a bolt in each hole. Tighten the bolts using the allen wrench. (Make sure that the top of the back frame is flush with the top of the back post.)

**Step 4:** Repeat Step 3 for the other side.



Step 5

**Step 5:** Next you need your end frames and four 50mm bolts. Line the end frame up with the holes in the back post and insert a 50mm bolt into the top hole on the inside of the end frame and into the back post. Tighten using the allen wrench. The next bolt must be inserted into the middle or bottom hole. The hole not used now will be used to attach the mattress support spring. You must decide which position you want the spring to be attached. Do not bolt up through that hole at this time. Tighten bolt.

**Step 6:** Repeat Step 5 for the other side assembly.

**Step 7:** Attach a front post to one of the end assemblies by placing one of the posts against the end of the end assembly where the shaped end rests on top of the front post. Insert a bolt in the top hole (as in Step 5 & 6) and tighten. The next bolt must be inserted at the same level as previously used in Steps 5 & 6. Tighten.

**Step 8:** Repeat Step 7 for the other side.



Step 9

**Step 9:** To attach the front frame you will need your front frame with gate attached, four 60mm bolts and your allen wrench. Bolt the front frame in position with the gate folded outward to the outside of the crib. (Do not tighten bolts at this time). With the bolts slightly loosened, you can now lift the gate in position. Make sure that the gate locks properly before tightening bolts. Make sure that the top of the gate is flush with the top of the post or slightly higher than the top of the post before tightening bolts. Tighten all bolts at this time.

**Step 10:** To attach the mattress support spring to the crib you will need four 50mm bolts, your allen wrench and the mattress support. Open the arms up on the mattress support and swing them outward away from the spring. You will need help from someone to install the mattress support in the crib. Caution must be used inserting the mattress support into the crib to prevent possible scratches or damage to the crib. Insert the arms of the spring into the slots cut out on the end frame. Insert a bolt into the holes in the end frame and through the hole in the arm of the spring and into the insert located in the posts. (Make sure that the bolt goes through the hole in the support arm.) Repeat this step until all four sides are bolted down loosely. Tighten using your allen wrench.

**Step 11:** Make sure that all crib bolts are tight. Make sure that the gate latches properly. Your crib is now complete.

The 20mm and 40mm bolts are optional. The 40mm bolts can be screwed into the holes located on the bottom area of the front frame to cover the holes in between the slats. These holes will be used in future conversions. The 20mm bolts will screw into the inserts in the posts to cover holes not needed in certain conversions. Included in this kit are joint connector nuts that can be used along with the bolts to cover holes that are drilled through the face of the posts.

Step 2



Step 3



Step 7

Once a crib has been converted to a youth bed or adult bed it is not intended to be converted back to a crib.

# YOUTH BED ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

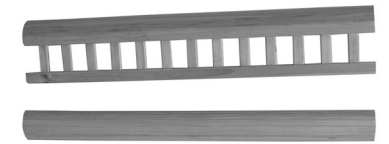
## STARTING FROM CRIB:

**Step 1:** Remove the Front Frame.

**Step 2:** Remove gate from front frame by removing the screws. Remove trigger latches.

**Step 3:** Insert two tension into the holes in each end of the gate and two tension pins in the small holes in the youth rail. (You may need to tap these pins half way in with a hammer.)

**Step 4:** The small holes on the inside edge of the front posts is where these pins are to be inserted. The gate frame fits into the top set of holes and the youth rail fits into the bottom small holes. Loosely slide all of the pins into the holes and press the front posts together. You now need two 60mm bolts to lock the youth bed front together. Tighten the bolts with your allen wrench. Remove the strike plates from the upper portion of the posts. Your youth bed with guard rail is now complete.



Step 3



Step 4

## STARTING FROM SCRATCH:

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 7 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Follow steps 3 and 4 of the youth bed from crib assembly instructions.

# ADULT BED FROM CRIB WITH ADULT RAIL KIT

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 4 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Remove the gate from the front frame using a screwdriver. The front frame must be reversed for this assembly. Assemble front posts to front frame using four 60mm bolts (Do not tighten. Holes must be towards the top).

**Step 3:** You will now need your youth rail/cap, five 40mm long pre-glued dowels, four 3" long screws, two 60mm bolts and your allen wrench.

**Step 4:** Attach the youth rail/cap to the front frame using the five 40mm long dowels. Wet the dowels and insert them into the holes in the front frame and tap them down with a hammer (lightly). Next you need to slide the youth rail/cap on the dowels and tap it in place (you should be able to tap this down with your hand). Next use the four 3" long screws to screw the cap in place. The screws must be inserted into the holes located on the underside of the top front rail. Screw the screws down using a screwdriver.

**Step 5:** Next you must attach the footboard rail to the bottom of the footboard. The shaped decorative side must face down and the bevel on the other side must be reversed from the bevel shape on the bottom of the front frame before attaching. Insert the tension pins into the ends of the footboard rails small holes. With the bolts loosened to the front frame, you should be able to slide the pins into the holes in the posts. Next you must slide the post together and insert the two 60mm bolts through the holes in the posts and into the inserts in the footboard rail. Tighten all bolts using your allen wrench.

**Step 6:** To attach the bed rails you must follow these directions. Remove the fully threaded rods from the hardware bag and screw them into the bottom two inserts in each post. Slide the bed rails onto the rods (the cleat must be facing upward for this step). Next you must slide the curved washers over the ends of the rods on the inside of the bed rails. Next you must screw the nuts over the ends of the fully threaded rods and tighten using the wrench provided. (Your adult bed is complete).



Step 1



Step 4



Step 5

## ADULT BED FROM SCRATCH (USING ADULT RAIL KIT)

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 4 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Follow steps 2 through 6 of the adult bed from crib assembly instructions (using adult rail kit).

## ADULT BED FROM SCRATCH (USING METAL RAILS)

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 4 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Follow steps 2 through 4 of the adult bed from crib assembly instructions.

**Step 3:** Attach the metal rails using 8 hex bolts and 8 washers (included in metal bed rail hardware). Tighten using a hex wrench. Line the rails up with the holes in the posts. Place a washer against the hole and insert a bolt through the washer and into the insert in the post. Tighten using wrench.

## ADULT BED FROM SCRATCH (USING ADULT RAIL KIT)

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 4 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Follow steps 2 through 6 of the adult bed from crib assembly instructions (using adult rail kit).

## ADULT BED FROM SCRATCH (USING METAL RAILS)

**Step 1:** Follow steps 1 through 4 of the crib assembly instructions.

**Step 2:** Follow steps 2 through 4 of the adult bed from crib assembly instructions.

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