

HOLLYWOOD RACKS

Traveler Hitch Rack

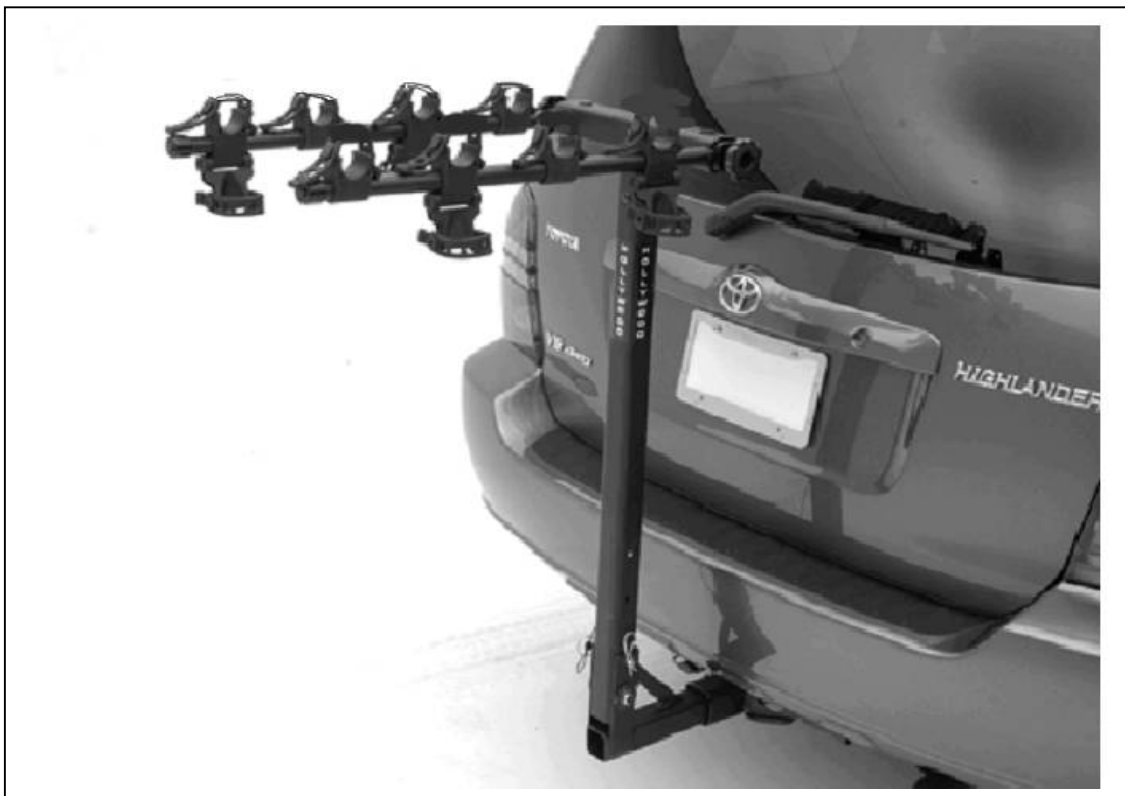
Assembly and Use Instructions for Traveler Series Racks

HR6000 3-Bike Rack for 2" receiver
HR8000 4 Bike Rack for 2" receiver
HR9200 5 Bike Rack for 2" receiver

HR6100 3 Bike Rack for 1-1/4" receiver
HR8100 4 Bike Rack for 1-1/4" receiver

Warning! This product **NOT** to be used on any trailer or trailered vehicle.

- Drive slowly when using the rack on bumpy or dirt roads.
- Check the rack bikes and straps regularly during use.
- If you have any questions or installation problems, please see your Hollywood Racks retailer or contact Hollywood Engineering at 800-747-4085.



After opening the Traveler box, you should have the following parts:

1. Parts bag including two male knobs and two spacer blocks. (Fig. 1)
2. Parts bag including: threaded hitch pin, hitch pin clip, star and flat washers, 3/4" head through bolt, large washers and self-fastening (nyloc) nut. (Fig. 2)
3. Hitch Insert Tube (Fig. 3) and Upright beam assembly
4. Two Support arms with bike cradles and anti-sway blocks attached (Fig. 5 and 6).
5. One long attachment/safety strap (86" long) – Not shown.



FIG. 1: Black Knob with threaded rod attached and pivoting spacer block.



FIG. 2: Clockwise from upper left, hitch pin clip, star washer, flat washer and threaded hitch pin.



Fig. 3 Insert tube (1-1/4" shown)



Fig. 4 Vertical Cylinder

Tools required: 2 adjustable wrenches or two $\frac{3}{4}$ " wrenches (open, box or socket).

1. The rack is easily assembled on your workbench or any flat surface. To assemble the rack, lay the upright beam face down on the bench (Hollywood sticker facing down). Place the insert tube's bracket onto the end of the upright beam so that the insert tube is pointing up.
2. Place a washer on the end of the through bolt, then insert the bolt through the lower hole of this bracket, and pass it through the lower hole of the upright beam. We keep our hole tolerances fairly tight, so you may have to wiggle it through. Once the bolt is protruding through the other side of the bracket, install the other washer and nut. Tighten the nut securely using your adjustable wrenches or $\frac{3}{4}$ " wrenches. Insert the lynch pin through the upper hole, then install the lynch pin clip.
3. Insert the knob through the spacer as shown in Fig. 1 (the knob should be against the flat end of the spacer block). Align the threaded hole in the vertical cylinder (fig. 4) so that it faces out. You can rotate the vertical cylinder using a coin or flat blade screwdriver in the slot at the top of the vertical cylinder. Insert the knob through the support arm, and thread the knob into vertical cylinder inside the main top horizontal tube. Repeat for the Driver's side arm.

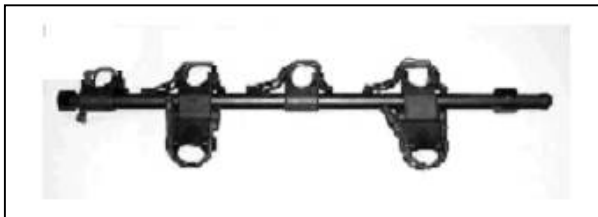


FIG. 5 Driver's Side Support Arm



FIG. 6 Passenger's Side Support Arm

Installing the Traveler rack on your vehicle:

1. Within the parts bag, locate the hitch pin, flat and star washers and clip (Fig. 2). The hitch pin may be black or silver.
2. When inserting the rack into the trailer hitch, try to get the insert tube as parallel to the receiver hitch as possible, then slide the rack in a couple of inches until the hole on insert tube of the rack lines up with the hole in your receiver.
3. Slide the flat and lock (star) washers over the threaded hitch pin, then Insert the hitch pin through the trailer hitch (receiver) and insert tube.
4. Thread the hitch pin into insert tube using a $\frac{3}{4}$ " wrench (box, open end or socket type) or an adjustable wrench. Tighten securely.
5. Install the hitch pin clip provided by placing it through the hole at the end of the hitch pin. To lock the rack to your vehicle, you can alternately place a padlock through the hole at the end of the threaded hitch pin. If you use a padlock, the hitch pin clip will not be used.

Installing your bikes on the Traveler rack:

1. If the support arms are not already in a horizontal position, back off the knob at the end of the rack's support arms, pull out the support arms and rotate them into the horizontal position. Retighten the knobs securely.

2. For ease of installation, we suggest you put the larger bikes on the inside (closest to vehicle), smaller frames or kids bikes on the outside. The first bike loaded should have the handlebars facing towards the driver's side of the vehicle. Place the top tube (or closest appropriate frame tube) onto the bike cradles, pull the straps over the bike tube and attach to the tab on the opposite side of the cradle. Use a strap notch-hole that provide a snug fit, but take care not to pull the strap over-tight. This can put undue stress on the bike's paint, and may over-stretch the strap, making it more susceptible to breakage. Be sure to use the anti-sway blocks (below the support arms) to strap the bikes seat tube (or other frame tube as appropriate) to prevent the bikes from swaying on the **Traveler** rack. The anti-sway pivot block can be removed with either Phillips screwdriver or 5mm hex wrench (depending on fastener used by factory).



3. If you can't mount the bikes top tube onto the cradles, use the down tube or seat tube. Secure the bike with the cradle straps. Please note that the cradles can be rotated on the support arm to place them in a more easily useable position, and to accommodate unique bicycle frame designs.

4. **VERY IMPORTANT!** Attach the long (86") strap by placing it through the front and rear wheels of all bikes mounted (this keeps the wheel from spinning while in transit). Wrap the Safety strap around the main beam of the rack after passing it through the wheels of the bikes.



Secure the strap by placing the end through the center slot in the buckle, then around the bend and out through the outer slot. Pull on the end of the strap until snug. **Don't Forget!**

Special Fitting Note: In some situations, particularly with very small bikes, or bikes with creative frame designs (for example, "Y" and "V" frame bikes) it may be necessary to remove the lower anti-sway blocks. To do this, simply use a 5mm Allen wrench to remove the bolt that attaches the lower anti-sway block to the main (upper) bike cradle. The nut is captured by the anti-sway block, so you will not need to hold the nut.



Fold arms down when not in use.

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