



USING THESE FILES

Congratulations! You are now the proud purchaser of a new custom set of instructions by me. I hope you're excited to get building; I am certainly excited that you've decided to take my design for a spin, and hope you find it satisfactory and enjoyable to put together.

In the compressed (.zip) file you have just downloaded, you will find a few different documents:

1. **A how-to guide** (this one!) on using the parts of your newly acquired build guide. This, as you can see, comes in a PDF (.pdf) form.
2. **A set of step-by-step instructions**, assembled and edited with care by me. These come in PDF (.pdf) form.
3. **A digital copy of this design**, rendered in three-dimensions with digital bricks. This comes as a Stud.io (.io) file.
4. **Any additional documents** I may consider important for you to replicate my design, like templates for cloth cutting, minifigure information, etc.

Document #2 should be pretty easy to figure out—just follow the directions given as you would with any regular LEGO set. The instructions will visually guide you through a step-by-step process to assemble the model. At their end, you'll find a parts list/inventory, which will help you start to gather the elements you will need to build the model.

I recommend buying parts you don't already have on Bricklink, the world's biggest 3rd party LEGO marketplace. Bricklink is here: <https://www.bricklink.com>

If you want to avoid the process of shopping for parts one by one, that's why I've included document #3. If you've downloaded Stud.io—Bricklink's digital building software—to your computer, you can export any .io file as a "wanted list" to the Bricklink website. In Stud.io, open the .io file I've included, then click the shopping cart symbol in the top right corner; this should direct you to Bricklink and automatically generate a wanted list for you!

Download Stud.io here: <https://www.bricklink.com/v3/studio/download.page>

Happy building. Let me know if you have any questions, concerns, or feedback! You can reach me at aaron@aaronbrickdesigner.com.

Best,
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