



## Care and Cleaning Instructions for these Waterstone Finishes:

- ABZ (Antique bronze)
- CB (Caribbean bronze)
- TB (Tuscan Brass)
- WB (Weathered Brass)

### About Your Finish

These finishes are considered Living Finishes and have **NO PROTECTIVE COATINGS** on them. Living finishes are finishes that have a very shallow patina on their surface. Essentially, the finish is what nature would do to the surface over a long period of time. The finishes are intended to change with time and generally darken slightly where they are not being touched, and highlight where the high use points are on the fixture. Hand oils, soaps, and acidic fluids and cleaners can damage the finish.

These finishes are not durable, and are easily scratched or scuffed. Any type of astringent cleaner or any type of abrasive cleanser, pad, cloth or sponge will damage the finish. To help keep the surface on the fixture from oxidizing in the packaging, Waterstone initially applies a wax to the finish surface to help protect and prevent the finish from exposure to air and oxidizing prior to installation.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE:

*It is the responsibility of the customer to check for any material finish defects **before** installation.  
Waterstone does not warranty these finishes **after** the fixture has been installed.*

### Suggested Finish Maintenance Procedures

1. Do not allow water spots to dry on the fixture. Keep the finish surface clean and dry after use.
2. Periodic cleaning can be done by using a micro-crystalline wax (we recommend Renaissance Wax). Apply the wax with a soft non abrasive tissue paper, and gently buff the wax with a soft clean cloth to help remove surface spots and add a protective coating the finish.
3. Never use cleaners with abrasives, soft scrub, Clorox, any type of abrasive pad or sponge.

