

# THE SCARY MARY MIRROR™

## Setup Instructions

### MOUNTING THE TELEVISION

Begin by picking the location for your Scary Mary Mirror. Place it somewhere where your guests won't be expecting anything, like near a turn in a hallway. We advise against installing the mirror outdoors or in areas prone to wide temperature variations. Simply follow the instructions that came with the included wall mount, being sure to attach securely into the wall's studs. Use the handy level that is built into the wall plate to be sure the mount is level at about 57" above the floor.

Attach the mount's two TV Rails to the back of the included television, making sure to mount them vertically so that the television is mounted in portrait mode (making it taller than it is wider). The wall mount comes with a bag of mounting bolts, but you'll only want to use the black rectangular washers from that bag. Use the four bolts you'll find in the television's accessory box, (alongside the TV's power cord, etc.) to mount the rails to the back of the TV. Orient the television so the logo is on the right as you're facing its screen.

### CONNECTIONS

Before hanging the TV on its mount, use the provided HDMI cable to connect the DVD player to one of the TV's HDMI ports. Connect the TV's power cable. Then hook the TV onto its wall mount as detailed in the mount's instructions. Lastly, connect the DVD player's audio outputs to your sound system. **DO NOT attempt to use the TV's built-in speakers**, as they won't have the power needed to give your guests a good scare, may distort, and will clip off the first half-second of sound, making it look out of sync with the video. So be sure to mute the TV speakers.

If possible, it's ideal to run the HDMI and power cable on the inside of the wall by drilling a hole just large enough to get the cables through into the wall behind the mirror, running them out of another hole located near the floor where they won't be readily noticed. Alternatively, you can hang fabric from the bottom of the frame to hide the cables.

### PEEL OFF THE PROTECTIVE FILM

Each mirror is shipped with a protective film covering the front and back of the two-way mirror acrylic to protect it during shipping. Be sure to peel this thin plastic film off of the mirror on both sides to reveal the clear surface. The back side of the mirror surface is quite delicate, so take care to avoid scratching it. To clean the mirror, don't use Windex, as it may damage the surface. Instead, use dishwashing liquid and water, with more water than soap. Dry gently with a soft cloth.

### MUTE THE TV SPEAKERS AND ADJUST THE IMAGE BRIGHTNESS

Power up the TV and use the TV's remote to mute the volume, then adjust the image as follows:

1. Press the MENU button on the remote. The on-screen menu is displayed.
2. Use the Arrow buttons on the remote to highlight Picture and press OK.
3. Use the Up/Down Arrow buttons on the remote to highlight Picture Mode, then use the Left/Right Arrow buttons to change the picture mode to Vivid mode
4. Press the OK button, then the Exit button

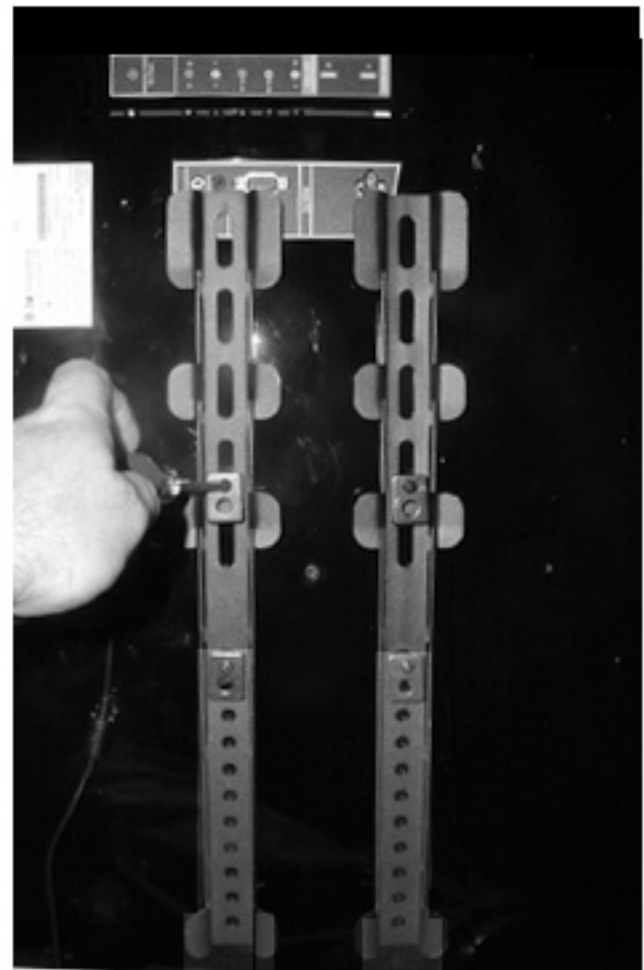
### ATTACHING THE MIRROR FRAME

On the back of the frame, locate the pre-drilled holes marked A and B and attach the included metal hanging brackets using the accompanying screws and a long Phillips head screwdriver. You'll need to go in at an angle. You can bend the brackets temporarily if you need to in order to get a better shot at the screws. Now simply hook the brackets over the front of the television so that the mirror completely hides the television.

### PLAYING THE VIDEO

Choose the amount of time between scares using the "Loop Menu" that appears when you first start the DVD. The video can also be triggered manually via the DVD player's remote, or, with the addition of the Control Freak (sold separately) you can automatically trigger it when someone steps on a switch mat or activates a PIR sensor. To integrate the Control Freak, simply connect the two leads from your switch mat to the two right-most terminals on the green terminal block labeled "Triggers". Next, peel the backing off of the adhesive pad on the clear plastic IR LED holder and attach it to the front panel of the DVD player, below and to the right of the Eject button. Lastly, connect the LED cable to the controller's input jack labeled "DVD". See the following page to see how to disable the DVD player's screensaver.

Crank your sound system up for a good loud startle and get ready to terrify!

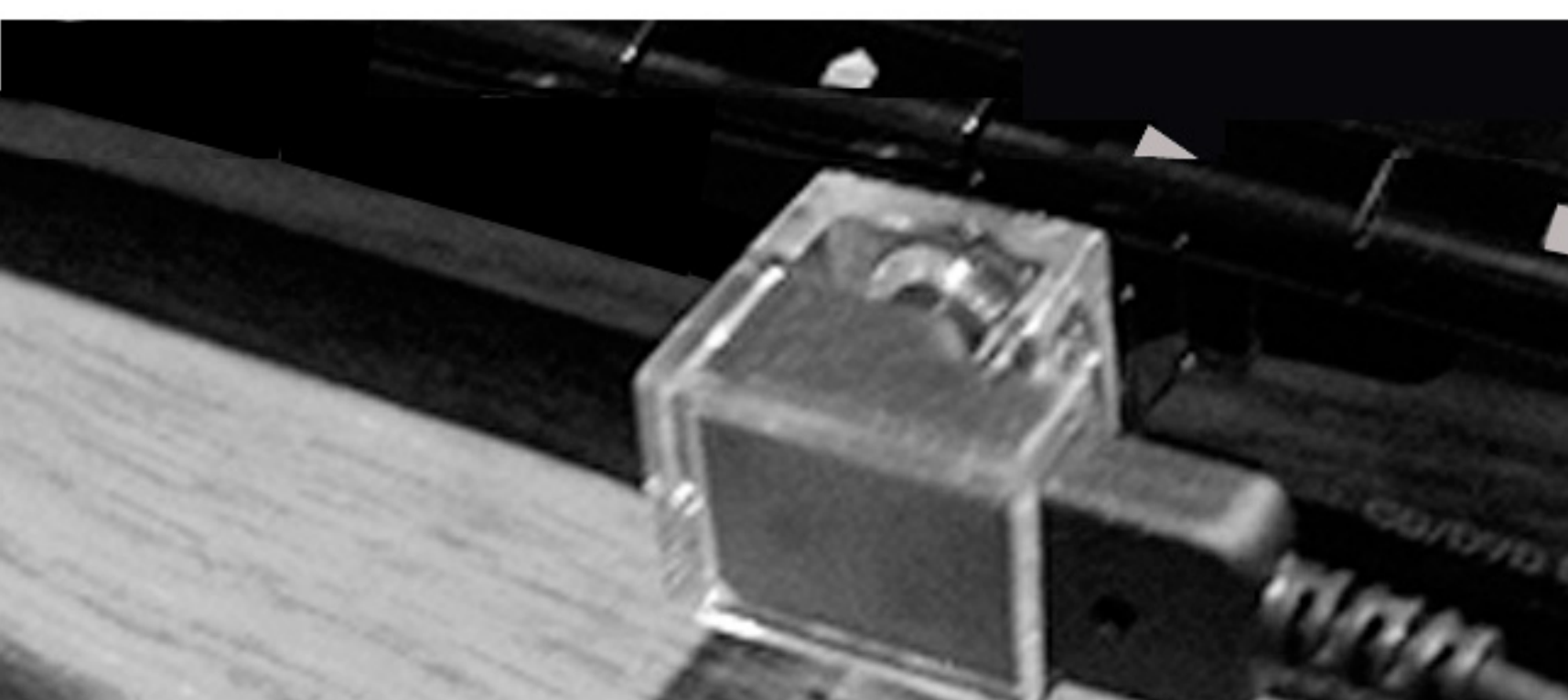
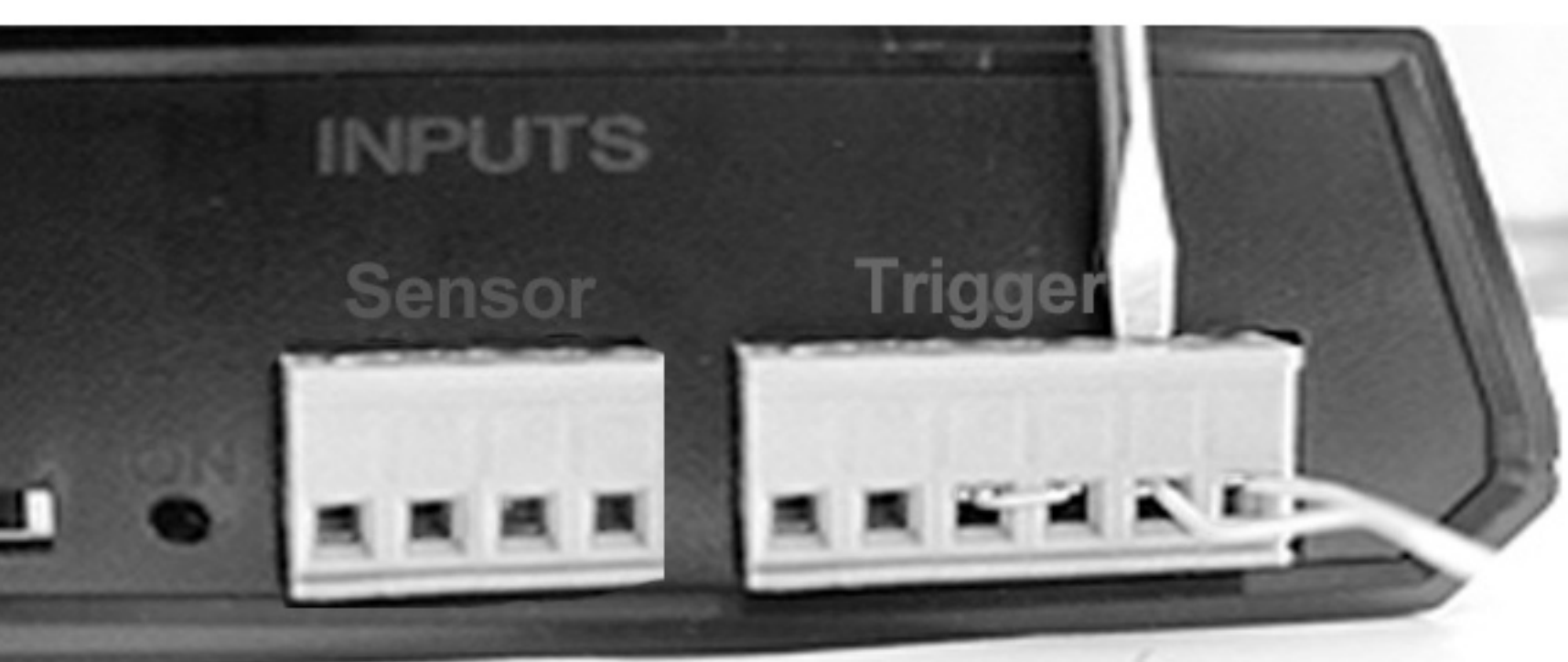
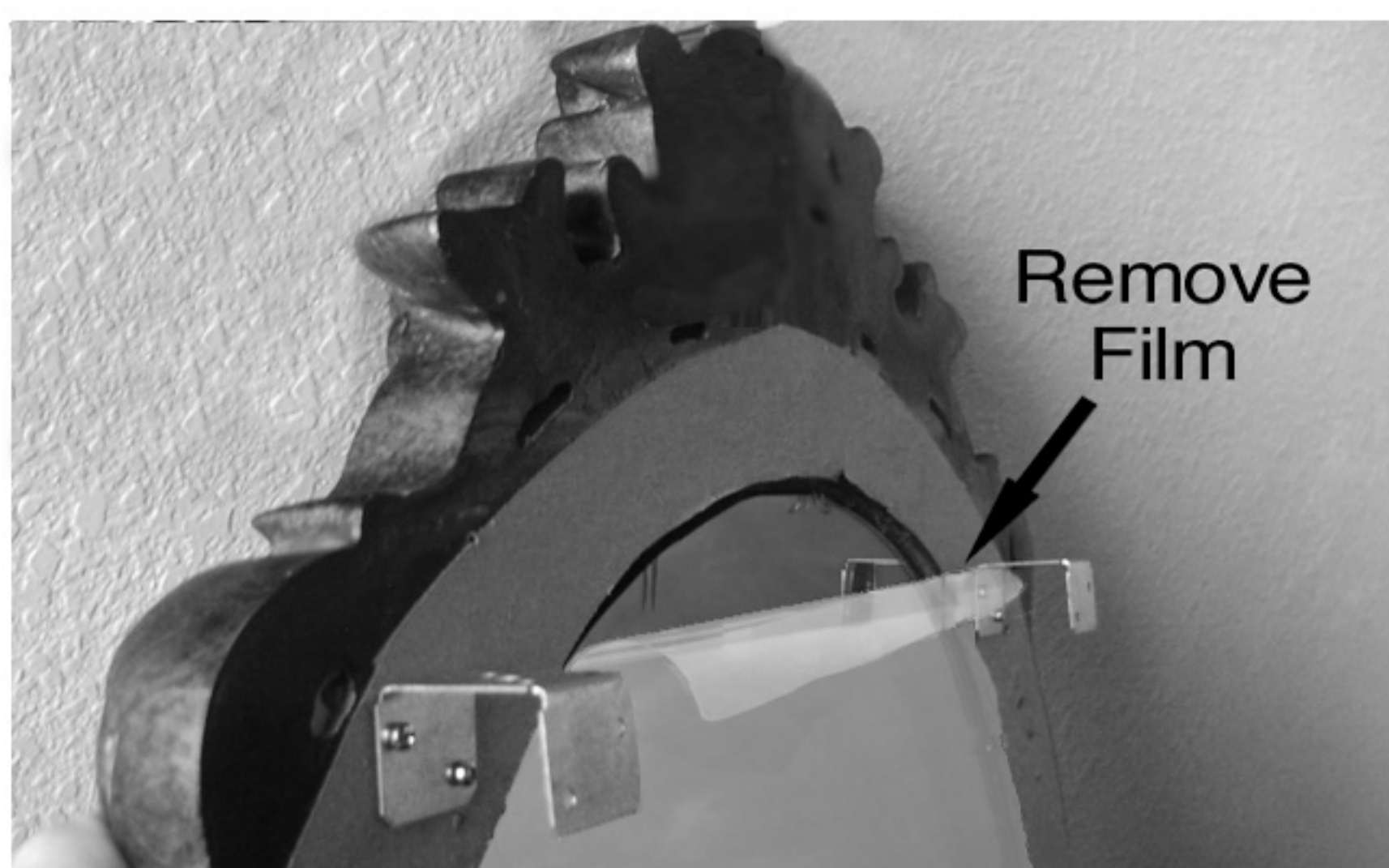


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# SCARY MARY MIRROR FAQ

## (FREQUENTLY ASKED SETUP QUESTIONS)

### QUESTION: THE AUDIO CUTS IN HALF-WAY THROUGH SCARY MARY'S SCREAM. WHAT GIVES?

Answer: If you're asking this question, then you're attempting to play the audio through the television's speakers, which by default have a protection circuit built in that mutes the first moments of sound. **DO NOT USE THE TELEVISION'S SPEAKERS FOR PLAYBACK!** The tiny speakers mounted in most televisions just can't put out sufficient power or low frequencies to provide a good scare. Be sure to connect the DVD player's audio outputs to a decent PA system or amplified speakers. The more powerful the sound system, the more bang for your buck you're going to get from ol' Mary's horrifying scream.

### QUESTION: THE AUDIO DISTORTS/RUMBLES

Answer: See above. The tiny TV speakers are no match for the full spectrum of low to high frequencies incorporated into Scary Mary's dumbfounding scream. Use a good amplified sound system instead, and prepare to do some serious scaring!

### QUESTION: THE SCREEN SAVER KICKS ON AFTER 15 MINUTES OF INACTIVITY. CAN I DISABLE IT?

Answer: Yes! With DVD player stopped, press "DISPLAY" on the DVD player's remote. Use the down arrow button to scroll down to the bottom "SETUP" menu, (toolbox icon), and press enter, (the button in the middle of the circle).  
Scroll down to select "CUSTOM" and hit enter again.  
Scroll down once to SCREEN SETUP and press enter.  
Scroll down once to SCREEN SAVER and press enter.  
Scroll down once to "OFF" and press enter.  
Press the DISPLAY button on the remote again to exit. Your screen saver has now been deactivated.

### QUESTION: CAN I HIDE THE OPTIONAL CONTROLLER'S SWITCH MAT UNDER A THROW RUG?

Answer: Yes! In fact, that's the preferred approach. This makes the switch mat unnoticeable while at the same time protecting the mat for extended use for years to come. Just make sure the carpet, area rug, or throw rug isn't too heavy as to produce false triggers or inhibit the switch mat's performance. Smaller rugs may benefit from having their edges taped down to prevent it from sliding out of place or becoming a trip hazard, etc. PIR sensors are also an option and can be purchased on our website at [www.nightfrights.net/store](http://www.nightfrights.net/store)

### QUESTION: CAN I HOOK UP A PIR SENSOR TO THE CONTROLLER INSTEAD OF A SWITCH MAT?

Answer: Absolutely. For more detailed information on the Control Freak's hookups, lock-out timer settings, and much more, visit [www.nightfrights.com/controller](http://www.nightfrights.com/controller) .

## RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES FOR YOUR SCARY MARY MIRROR!



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