

# ALUMINUM DROP DOWN LADDER RACK

**EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM**

***weather guard®***

If you have to climb your van before you climb your ladders, you need the new EZ-GLIDE™ System from WEATHER GUARD® Van Equipment. This aluminum drop down ladder rack is the easiest rack you'll ever use. Its hydraulic action assists with raising and lowering your ladders with just a flip of a lever.

We have paid a great deal of attention to detail in designing this ladder rack to match your needs and expectations. This modular lightweight aluminum design eliminates the problem of unsightly rust associated with ordinary steel ladder racks. The WEATHER GUARD® EZ-GLIDE™ System is designed to fit most full size vans, mini vans, hi-cubes, and Sprinter vans. The distinctive RED TIPS\* are your assurance of our WEATHER GUARD® Equipment quality promise. Check out these innovative features.

## Create-A-System

- Removable ladder stops give you the ability to add kits, or accessories to match your needs.
- Ladder stops also serve as a basic ladder rack.

## Non-Rusting

- Stainless steel fasteners and non-metallic bushings resist bi-metal corrosion.
- Lightweight aluminum design eliminates unsightly rust.

## Fasten and Secure

- Interlocking ladder supports ensure ladders stay in place when stowed.
- Secure ladders with the padlock locking feature.
- Includes a ladder pad to minimize abrasion



## Ergonomic Drive Arm

- Simple to use. Just grab hold and walk with drive arm to activate.
- Extra strength rotation point provides maximum durability.

\*The RED TIPS are a U.S. registered trademark of Knaack Mfg. Co.

## Optional Accessories

- Velcro straps ensure ladders are secure for a smooth quiet ride.
- Mirror, mirror holder, and warning light attach easily to rack.

## EZ-GLIDE™ System Hydraulic Arm

- Standard high endurance hydraulic assist adjusts to speed of descent.
- Reduces down time from back related injuries.

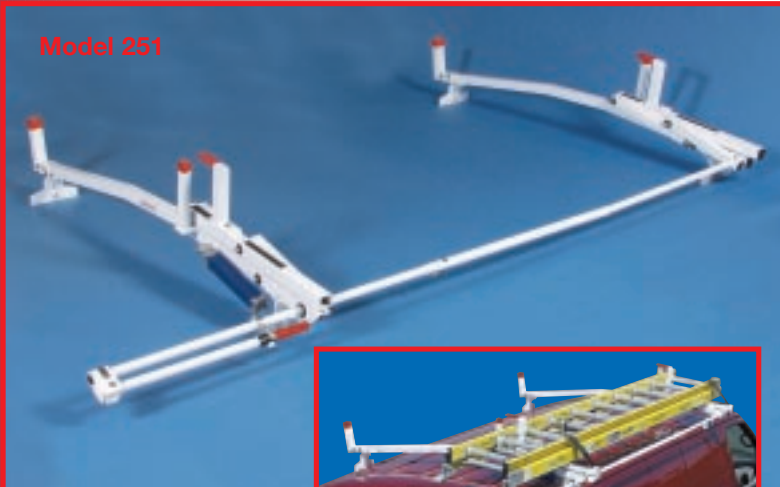
## STEP LADDERS

Models 252, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 281, 283, 285, 287 will accept a 6' and 8' step ladder with a bottom width not exceeding 27". Repositioning of the ladder stops is required if the bottom width of the ladder is between 25" and 27½". An accessory cross member may be required depending on the distance between the front and rear cross members.

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## *weather guard* EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM

Create a modular system solution to meet your storage requirements. Choose from our full size van/mini van packages and add a drivers side kit or any accessory to meet your storage needs. Already have a WEATHER GUARD® Quick Clamp rack? Not a problem, just choose from one of our retrofit kits and convert your ladder rack into an EZ-GLIDE™ System. Own a hi-cube or Sprinter Van? Again, no problem, choose from one of our many fine offerings suited for these vehicles. WEATHER GUARD® Equipment has made choosing and adapting easy. Just another innovative feature offered by WEATHER GUARD® Truck and Van Equipment.



Model 251

EZ-GLIDE™ System includes the passenger side drop down rack (model 251).

### FULL SIZE VAN/MINI VAN EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM RACKS

These packages are designed to fit full size vans, Chevrolet Astro, and GMC Safari mini van. Each of these racks come standard with a passenger side drop down system and a basic ladder rack on the driver's side. Weight capacity for drop down rack only is 75 lbs.

#### Model 251 .....Ship Wt. 62 lbs.

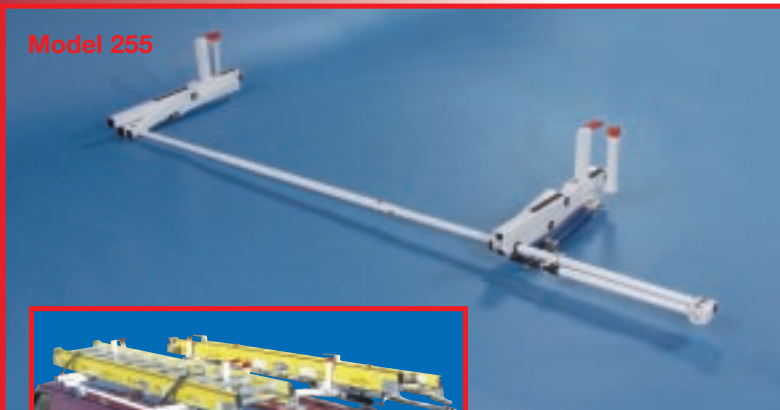
Fits Ford Full Size Van, Dodge Full Size Van. Mounts to the rain gutters.

#### Model 252 .....Ship Wt. 62 lbs.

Fits '96 and Newer Chevrolet Express Van, '96 and Newer GMC Savana Van. Mounts to the rain gutters.

#### Model 253 .....Ship Wt. 67 lbs.

Fits Chevrolet Astro and GMC Safari Mini Van. Bolts through the roof.



Model 255

EZ-GLIDE™ System rack shown with the addition of a driver's side drop down kit (model 251 with model 255).

### DRIVER'S SIDE DROP DOWN KIT

The driver's side drop down kit is universal and fits the EZ-GLIDE™ System racks by unbolting the driver side end posts and bolting the kit in place. Weight capacity for drop down rack kit only is 75 lbs.

#### For Full Size Vans/Mini Vans:

#### Model 255 .....45 lbs.

Fits with model 251, 252, 253

#### For Sprinter Vans:

#### Model 286 .....63 lbs.

Fits with model 280

#### Model 287 .....54 lbs.

Fits with model 285



Model 254

EZ-GLIDE™ System rack shown with the addition of a driver's side clamp kit (model 251 with model 254).

### DRIVER'S SIDE CLAMP KIT

The driver's side clamp kit is universal and fits the EZ-GLIDE™ System racks by unbolting the driver side end posts and bolting the kit in place.

#### Model 254 .....14 lbs.

Fits with model 251, 252, 253

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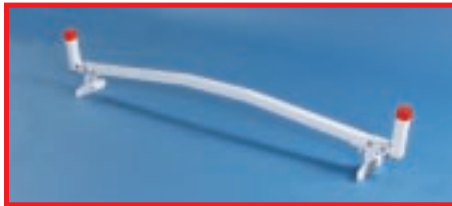
## RETROFIT KITS FOR WEATHER GUARD® QUICK CLAMP RACKS

Convert your WEATHER GUARD® Model 234 or 236 into an EZ-GLIDE™ System. These kits come in either driver's side or passenger side drop down models. The kits replace the upright stands and the long top rail. Weight capacity for drop down rack only is 75 lbs.

**Model 256.....Passenger Side Retrofit Kit.....Ship Wt. 47 lbs.**

**Model 257.....Driver Side Retrofit Kit.....Ship Wt. 47 lbs.**

Fits with Model 234-3 and Model 236-3 Quick Clamp Racks.



## EXTRA CROSS MEMBERS

When you have the need for an extra cross member, just order one of the following. The cross members are easy to add to our full size van/mini van racks and are vehicle specific.

**Model 2511 ..Accy. Cross Member Fits Model 251 ....Ship Wt. 14 lbs.**

**Model 2521 ..Accy. Cross Member Fits Model 252 ....Ship Wt. 14 lbs.**

**Model 2531 ..Accy. Cross Member Fits Model 253 ....Ship Wt. 13 lbs.**



Model 280 EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM Rack mounted on Sprinter van with rear slide down system.

## SPRINTER VAN EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM RACKS

Designed to fit the passenger side only of Sprinter Vans. This unique rack offers the same EZ-GLIDE™ System as our full size van/mini vans racks. High roof model uses a rear slide down system to help lower the ladder into an easy to reach position after the rack has been lowered to the drop down position. Weight capacity for drop down rack only is 75 lbs (see previous page for drivers side drop down kits).

**Model 280....Fits Sprinter High Roof Van-Passenger Side ..Ship Wt. 80 lbs.**

(Includes rear slide down system)

**Model 285....Fits Sprinter Standard Roof-Passenger Side..Ship Wt. 70 lbs.**

(Does not include rear slide down system)

## 8' AND 10' HIGH CUBE EZ-GLIDE™ SYSTEM RACKS

Designed to work with 8' & 10' hi-cube vans with flat roofs. 10' hi-cube model uses a rear slide down system to help lower the ladder into an easy to reach position after the rack has been lowered to the drop down position. Weight capacity for drop down rack only is 75 lbs. (Depending upon application, customer supplied reinforcing may be required.)

**Model 281 .....For 8' High Cube Vans-Passenger Side .....Ship Wt. 66 lbs.**

(Does not include rear slide down system)

**Model 283.....For 8' High Cube Vans-Driver Side.....Ship Wt. 66 lbs.**

(Does not include rear slide down system)

**Model 282 ....For 10' High Cube Vans-Passenger Side .....Ship Wt. 75 lbs.**

(Includes rear slide down system)

**Model 284 .....For 10' High Cube Vans-Driver Side .....Ship Wt. 75 lbs.**

(Includes rear slide down system)



Model 282 EZ-GLIDE™ System Rack mounted on a 10' high cube van with rear slide down system.



## WARNING LIGHT HOLDER

- All aluminum design.
- Easily mounts to cross member.
- Elevates light 6.5" above cross member.

**Model 2501 ....Ship Wt. 3 lbs.**

Fits All EZ-Glide™ System full size and mini van racks.



## MIRROR HOLDER

- Extends mirror to achieve improved vision when backing up.
- Combine with model 2504.

**Model 2502 ....Ship Wt. 3 lbs.**

Fits All EZ-Glide™ System full size and mini van racks

## MIRROR

- Improves vision when backing up.

**Model 2504 ....Ship Wt. 2 lbs.**

Use with Model 2502



## VELCRO STRAPS

- Secures ladder in stored position.
- Reduces rattling while transporting.
- Sold in pairs.

**Model 2503 ....Ship Wt. 1 lbs.**

Fits All EZ-Glide™ System Racks