**Tools you may need:**

- Ladder
- Measuring Tape
- Skill Saw
- Non-Ferrous Nails
- Hammer

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**Designed to protect you from Costly Attic Moisture Problems...Naturally.**

Ventilate warm moist air up and out of the attic through the generous louver panels and stop worrying about wood rot, mildew, peeling paint, and musty odors. Stephenson Cupolas even help prevent ice dams in rain gutters by evacuating under-roof moisture. Install and forget—no ventilator fans to wear out, no electrical wiring to install and maintain.

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**How to Install Functional Cupolas**

Before installing the cupola, protect interior and exterior wood surfaces with an oil-base sealer and topcoat.

1. Saw out the roof opening for the cupola, being careful not to cut rafters or the roof ridge. Screening can be stapled over the opening to keep out insects.

2. Lay two pieces of scrap wood at the roof’s peak and mark them where they cross.
How to Install *Functional Cupolas continued*

3. Use the marked pieces as a template for notching the cupola base so that it fits the roof.

4. Secure the base to the roof with non-ferrous nails driven at an angle.

5. Secure the cupola roof.

6. Attach weathervane. Paint or stain the cupola.
How to Install *Decorative Cupolas or Windowed Cupolas*

1. Lay two pieces of scrap wood at the roof’s peak and mark them where they cross. Drill holes to secure cupola to 2 x 4 pieces screwed to roof (see step 3).

2. Use the marked pieces as a template for notching the cupola base so that it fits the roof.

3. Place caulked pieces of 2 x 4 to be snug against the inside walls of the cupola base. Screw them into the roof. After base is installed, caulk where base and roof meet on angle sides.
How to Install Decorative Cupolas continued

4. Attach the base to the 2 x 4’s. Once the base is secured to the roof, attach the mid section to the base using screws. See illustration on previous page

5. Secure the cupola roof.

6. Attach weathervane. Paint or stain the cupola.