

Rock Holder Construction Plans

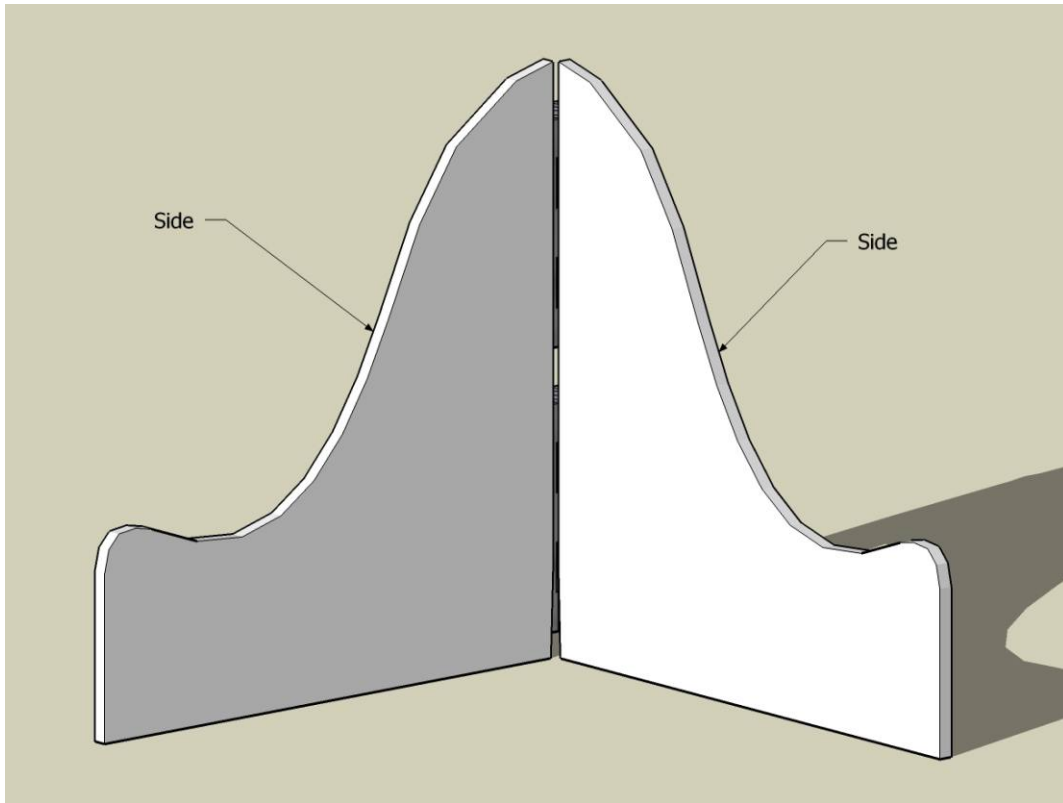


For those of you that handle garden stones and pet memorial stones, here's a handy rock holder to keep help keep them steady for you so you can concentrate on the sand carving. Thanks to Kelly Harris and her husband Mike for coming up with this idea.

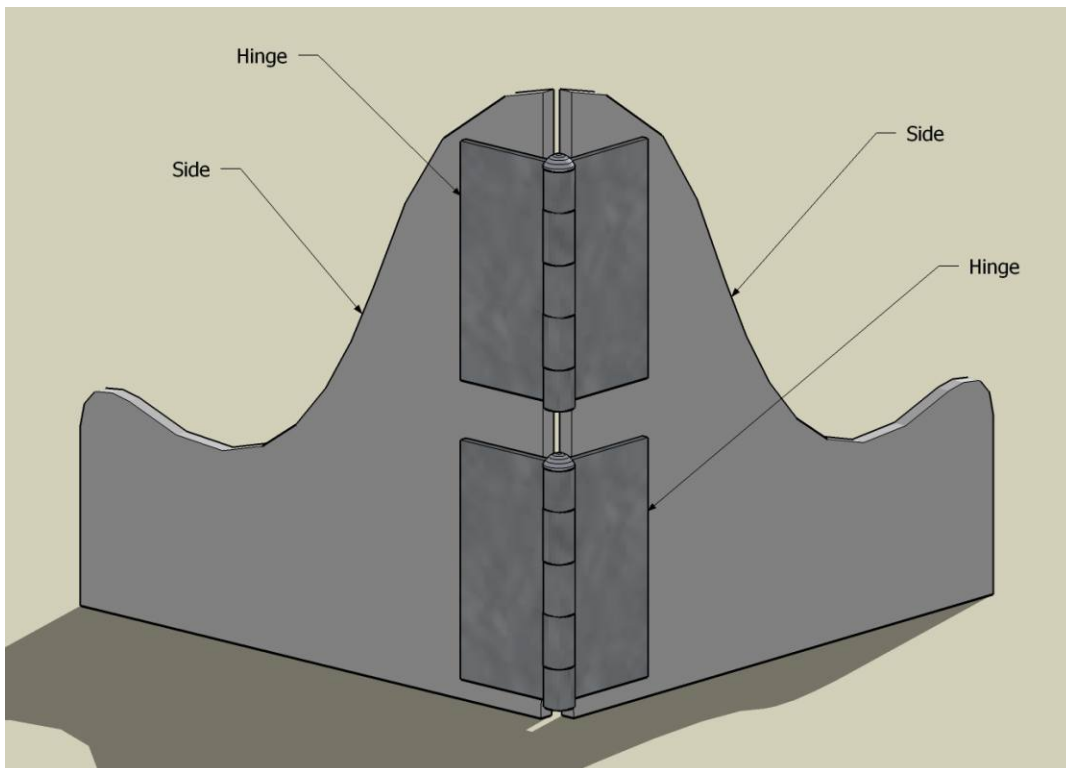
Kelly said:

Whenever I'm sandblasting rocks my left hand and wrist gets very sore trying to hold them upright so I asked hubby to make some sort of stand for me and this is what he came up with. It's pretty ugly as he made it in about 10 or 15 minutes but it works like a charm. He cut 2 pieces of sheet metal for the sides with a plasma cutter and welded 2 hinges connecting them. It works like a plate stand and I can move the sides in and out for different size rocks.

Rock Holder Parts Identification

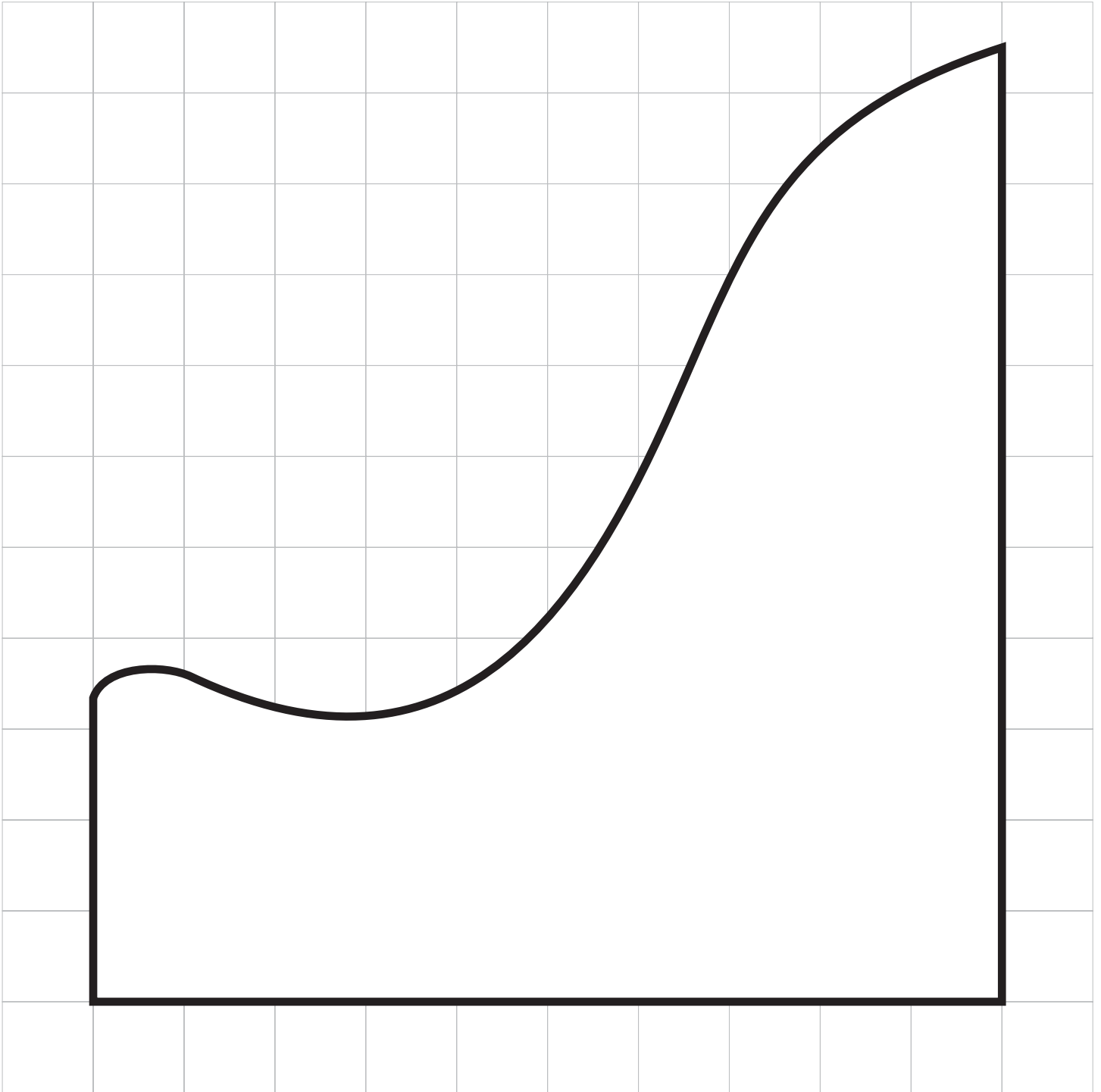


Front View



Back View

Rock Holder Flat Pattern



This pattern can be scaled and cut any size depending upon the rock size you normally handle. To duplicate the size Kelly made, scale the grid up to 1" squares, making the side piece 10" wide by 10-1/2" high.