

**Consumer Guide** 

Quality matters.



## The Bufftech® Advantage.

Long-lasting beauty, superior performance and the best protection you can get — that's the Bufftech Advantage. Beautifully frame your outdoor Living Spaces<sup>®</sup> with a built to last Bufftech privacy fence. The difference is in the details.

 Siding:
 CedarBoards Double 6" Clapboard In Timber Blend.

 Trim:
 Vinyl Carpentry® and Restoration Millwork®.

 Railing:
 Panorama® in White with Steel Balusters in Antique Bronze Finish

 Fence:
 Chesterfield CertaGrain Texture in Timber Blend.

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Not all fence product warranties are the same. For example, many vinyl manufacturers offer a limited lifetime warranty but do not cover labor costs to remove and replace a defective fence. By selecting Bufftech<sup>®</sup> fence, you will gain peace of mind knowing that **you and your home are protected for a lifetime.** 

	CERTAINTEED BUFFTECH FENCE	Vinyl Fence Competitor	Wood Fence Competitor
Length Warranty	LIFETIME	Lifetime	12 years
Color Fade Warranty	LIFETIME	None	None
Transferrable Warranty	YES	No	No
Labor Warranty	YES	No	No

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\*Refer to the Bufftech Lifetime Limited Warranty to review the terms of coverage.

# Invest in quality for a lifetime.

Not all vinyl privacy fence is the same. Bufftech<sup>®</sup> continues this longstanding tradition with its superior vinyl fence line, proudly made in the U.S.A. A building industry leader for over 100 years, CertainTeed stands behind the Bufftech line with the exceptional SureStart<sup>™</sup> Protection for performance, including labor; lifetime limited transferable warranty; and ColorLast<sup>®</sup> fade protection for colors and stain blends.









Chesterfield with CertaGrain® Texture in Frontier Blend.

# Enhance your curb appeal.

Curb appeal extends beyond the walls of your home—an attractive fence is important to your home's value. CertainTeed is the undisputed leader in color and texture and sets the standard for the latest innovations in sophisticated styling and accessories.







With its natural look, textured fence becomes a key feature of landscaping and helps add value to the home. Good landscaping can add up to **28% to the overall value of a house.** 

## 28% more value

Source: Quote from landscape economist John Harris as found in article "Gorgeous Landscaping for Your House Means More than Just Looks," by Lisa Kaplan Gordon

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#### Contrary to what you might think, vinyl fence is actually less expensive than wood fence. Although investing in a vinyl fence

may cost you more initially, this is where your expense ends. Backed by a limited lifetime warranty and five-year SureStart<sup>™</sup> parts and labor warranty, you can enjoy your vinyl fence for many worry-free years.



Cost includes fence price averaged over 20 years plus maintenance and repair costs. Cost is expressed as a percentage.





# Enjoy a lifetime of easy living.

When you choose Bufftech<sup>®</sup> you choose peace of mind, knowing that you've made a smart investment with performance features like CertainTeed's lifetime limited warranty. CertainTeed is a reputable brand of vinyl fence; and vinyl is a sustainable material that lasts longer than wood, saving you money in replacement and maintenance costs.







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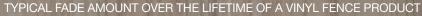
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# Innovative textures and colors.

With it's proprietary texture process and unique shades and stain blends, CertainTeed is the leader in color and texture. Choose from subtle tones, deep tones and rich blends—many colors with the highest color fade protection available anywhere.

### 14 Colors

WHITE						
MISSION IVORY	ALMOND	GREY SMOOTH	NATURAL CLAY	WEATHERED BLEND	TIMBER BLEND	CANYON
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#### Fade: less is better

Competitive vinyl fence products target the industry standard, which is 7 Hunter units of fade, and offer no fade protection. Bufftech vinyl colors are designed to change by only 1 or 2 Hunter units over the lifetime of the product, and warrants the product to not fade beyond 4 Hunter units.

### ColorLast<sup>®</sup> fade protection



CertainTeed guarantees the performance of Bufftech's darker colors and stain blends with our proprietary ColorLast<sup>®</sup> fade protection, a state-of-the-art acrylic formulation that provides superior protection from the harsh rays of the sun.



# Extraordinary quality and performance.

A vinyl fence is one of the largest investments you'll make to enhance the beauty and value of your home. While you may find a less expensive option, consider what you're really getting for your money. Take a closer look at what sets Bufftech<sup>®</sup> apart from other vinyl fences.

## High-quality raw materials

Bufftech fence is a high-quality product that's consistent from panel to panel, picket to picket because it is made with carefully selected ingredients designed to increase durability and long-term performance. Bufftech uses a high percentage of titanium dioxide, a critical additive that protects vinyl from potentially harmful UV rays, in all of its vinyl fence products. Lower-cost vinyl products often use less TiO<sub>2</sub> because of the added expense. Without it, vinyl fence can become cracked and brittle due to weathering.

## Steel reinforced rails

Bufftech vinyl fence products feature a steel reinforced bottom rail for a stronger, more rigid fence, which reduces the chances of sagging or bowing. —

### Heavyweight pickets

Bufftech's heavyweight pickets provide superior impact strength and resist the warping and oil canning found in flat panel fence. For added rigidity, each privacy picket fits together with a tongue and groove connection.

### Routed rails and posts

Bufftech vinyl fence systems feature precision-routed rails for safe, secure picket attachment and easy assembly. Bufftech's routed fence posts provide a secure connection that allows for thermal expansion season after season.



Brackets are visible and more vulnerable to the elements.



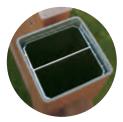
Routed posts allow clean and concealed connections.

## Concealed fasteners

All Bufftech vinyl fence systems feature concealed fasteners for a sleek, clean finish. Pickets are installed without unsightly brackets, screws or glue that can compromise the safety and security of the fence.

# The best gates in the industry.

Bufftech<sup>®</sup> privacy fence gates are built to last, so you can rest assured your fence will endure whatever life throws at it.



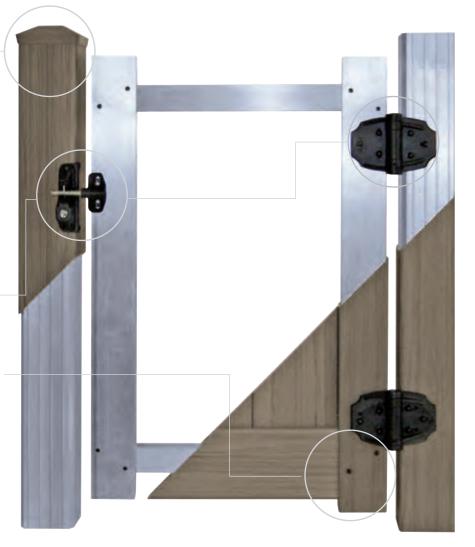
Heavy-duty internal aluminum frame offers outstanding strength.

Aluminum post insert for added durability.

**High-quality gate hardware,** including self-closing hinges and safe, secure latches.

**Stainless steel gate fasteners** prevent corrosion.

Gates tested to **withstand 300 lb. loads.** 



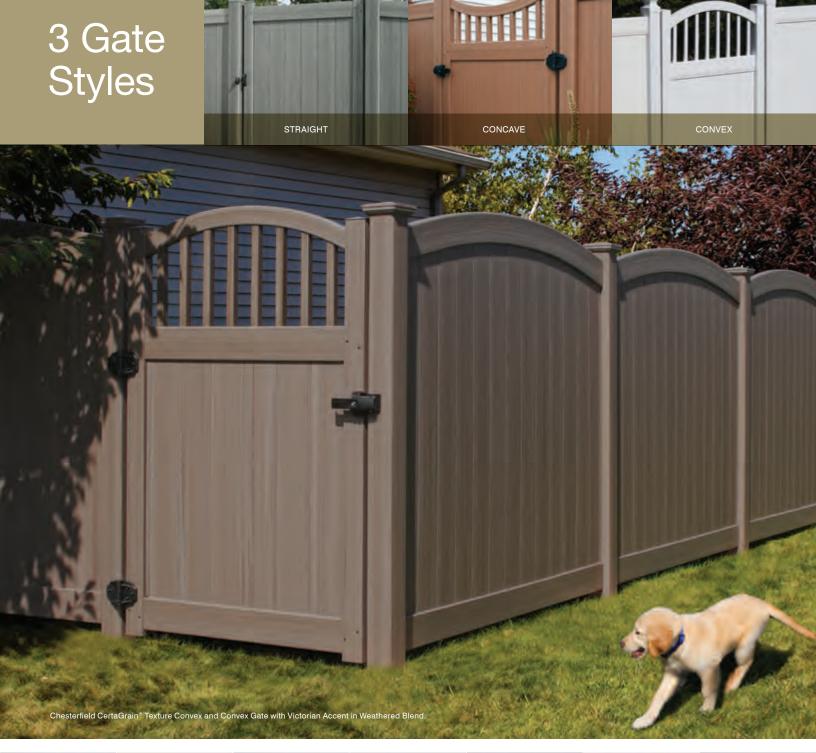
## Distinctive details to cap it off.

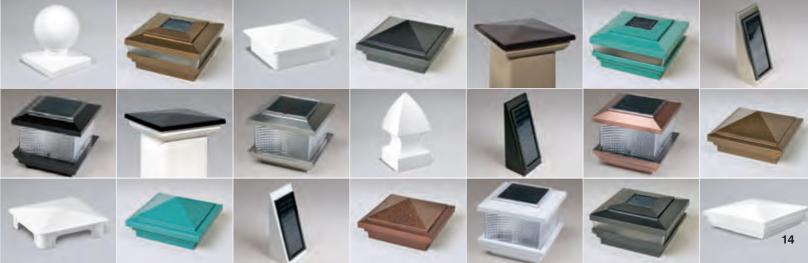
Bufftech gives you many distinctive options to cap your fence whether it is PVC post caps, aluminum post cap covers, decorative post caps, solar post caps or solar wedge lights. Please refer to the Bufftech Full Line brochure for the entire selection of colors and sizes.











## Peace of mind.

### The best protection in the business



Lifetime Limited Warranty Bufftech's warranty is transferable to future homeowners at no additional cost.



#### Proprietary ColorLast® fade protection

Guarantees dark colors and stain blends won't fade more than 4 Hunter units. See details on page 10.



Exclusive SureStart<sup>™</sup> protection Covers warranted repair and replacement costs—including labor—for the first five years after installation.

### Engineered to exacting standards



WindZone<sup>™</sup> performance Means our fence has a dynamic wind load testing up to 115 mph.

Class A rating for flame spread.

This means PVC does not readily

ignite. It is categorized as being



#### Swimming pool application Meets ASTM requirements and complies with local codes for swimming pool applications. Check with your local building code official as local codes my vary.

## "self-extinguishing."

#### CertainTeed: A trusted brand



#### Made in the U.S.A.

For more than 100 years, homeowners and building professionals alike have relied on CertainTeed as a trusted source of innovative, high-quality building products. Bufftech<sup>®</sup> fence is proudly made in the U.S.A.



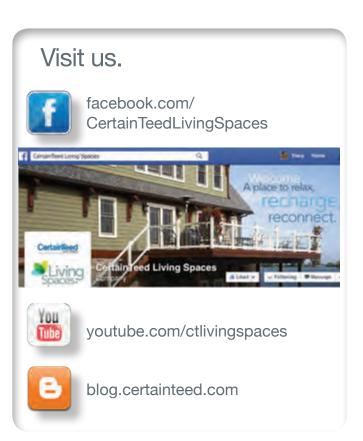
#### Sustainable

CertainTeed respects the environment through the responsible development of sustainable building products and systems. Visit our website, www.certainteed.com, for a complete listing of third-party testing information.

# Make a smart investment

PERFORMANCE FEATURES	Bufftech	
Lifetime limited warranty		
Transferable warranty		
5-year labor warranty		
Dark color fade warranty		
Made in the USA		
Never needs painting or staining		
Won't chip, peel, crack or splinter		
Won't rot or support mold growth		
Impervious to termites/wood-boring insects		
Lead free		
No harmful chemicals		
High-quality raw materials		
Concealed fasteners		
Heavyweight pickets		
Wide choice of colors		
Woodgrain and stucco textures		
Steel reinforced rails		
Routed rails and posts		
Class A rating for flame spread		
Recycled content		
Self-extinguishing		
Easy to assemble		
Building code compliant		
Meets ASTM standards		

#### Connect and explore



#### Download our app.

#### CertainTeed CurbAppeal<sup>™</sup>

Download this free iPad<sup>®</sup> app to help with CertainTeed product selection or to inspire ideas for your home's exterior.



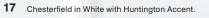




















## Chesterfield CertaGrain Texture in Sierra Blend with S Curve.

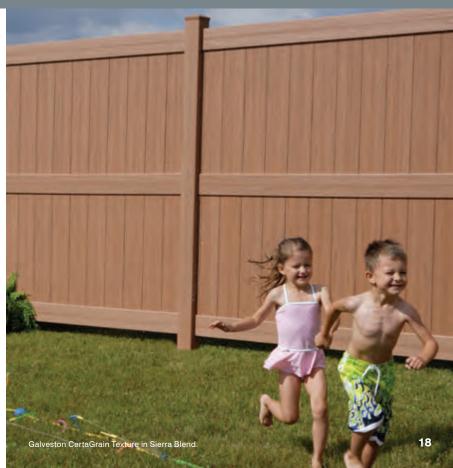
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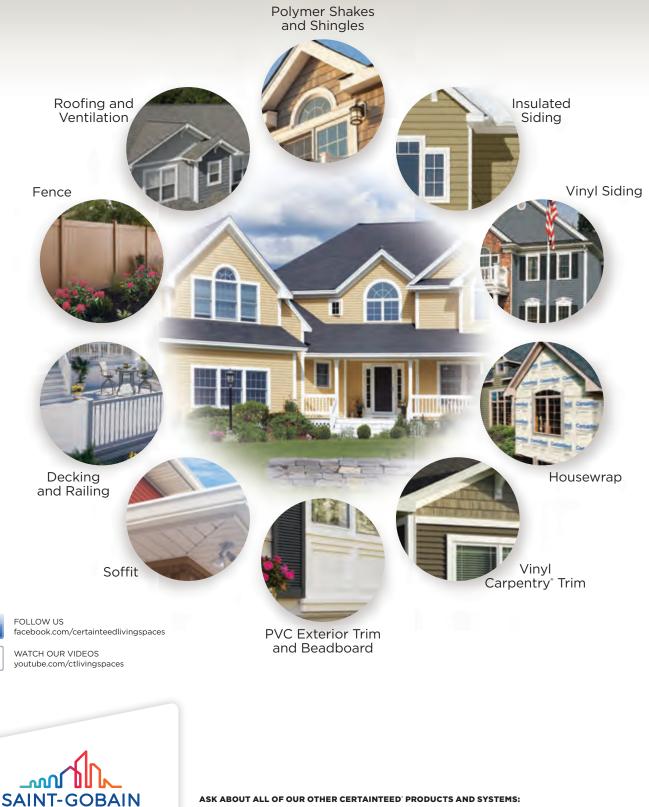
## Happily ever after.

When you choose Bufftech<sup>®</sup> fence for your home, you open a wide world of color and style options to express your personal design preferences. Add that to the industry-leading quality and low-maintenance performance of Bufftech and you rest assured knowing that your family will enjoy the beautiful sanctuary you have created for years to come.





#### CertainTeed products are designed to work together and complement each other in color and style to give your home a beautiful finished look.



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