

How to Set Up Your VW Camper Tent

Can be attached to camper—then staked fast, when terrain permits. Otherwise, stake corners first and erect it on its own location. Has front and back roll-up doors, and 3 large screened and zippered windows.

- 1 Unpack tent and frame rods. Unfold and lay out tent flat, plastic floor down. If erecting independently of camper, stake corners first (loops L, Fig. 1). If joining to camper lift top edges till you locate smaller, storm-flapped passage door, then lay tent out about 9" from camper so storm-flapped door is **right by** camper door.

Lay out metal frame members as shown in Fig. 1. There are 2 center gables (G), 4 round corner sleeve rods (R) and 4 telescoped end supports (T).

- 2 Begin by putting the 2 gables (G) thru center loops (A) on long edges of top (Fig. 2 ①). Then run straight ends of curved rods (R) thru **both** corner loops B, at each corner ② and then thru side loops (C) till they join gable ends (G). Slide on far as will go, then line up buttons with holes (see Fig. 5) and pull back out till long edges of roof are taut and corner loops are tight. Be sure buttons seat. ③ Extend end rods (T) until buttons seat in first hole. Insert small ends into curved rods (R). Insert plastic feet on larger ends into canvas pockets (P) at tent corners. T-rods **cross** to opposite corners.

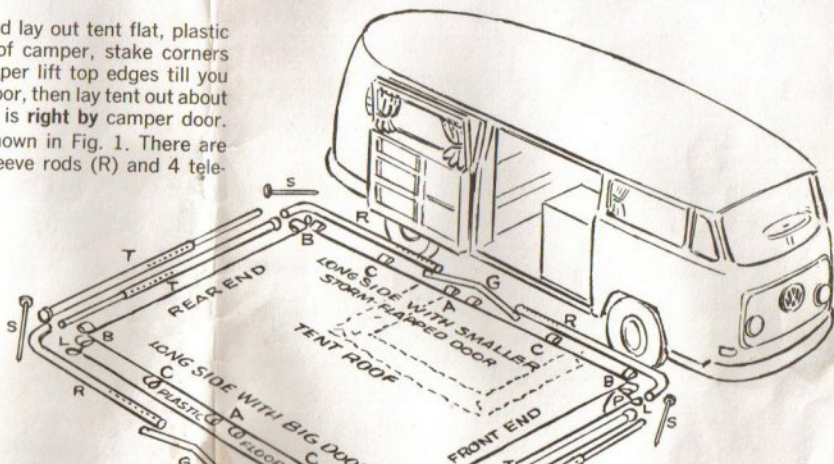


Fig. 1

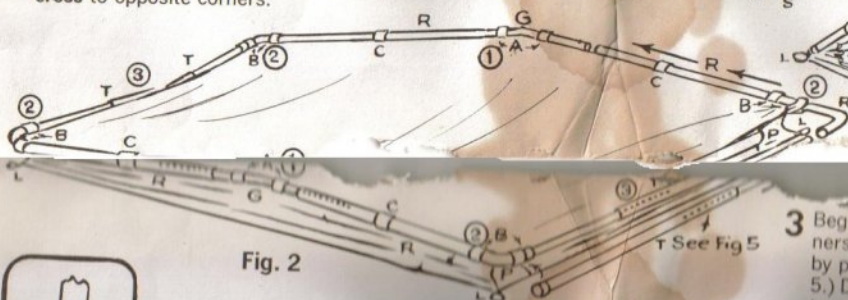


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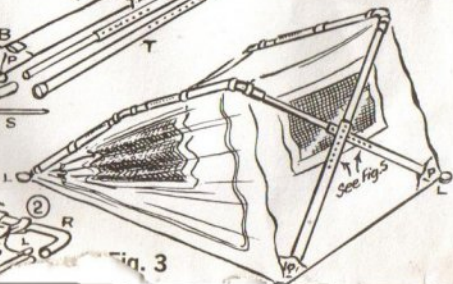


Fig. 3

- 3 Begin erection of tent by lifting **both** front corners, increasing tension of support rods (T) by pulling out as you go. (See Fig. 3 and Fig. 5.) Don't apply full tension—yet. Now do same to rear corners, this time extending rods (T) to full tension. Finish extension of front T-rod. (Better yet—2 people can erect **both** ends at once.)

Adjust tent position to fit camper door (see Fig. 6) and stake corners. Now you have Fig. 4 (ready to move in).

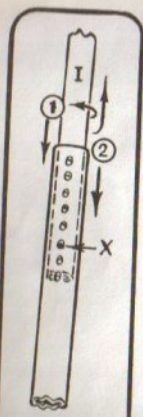


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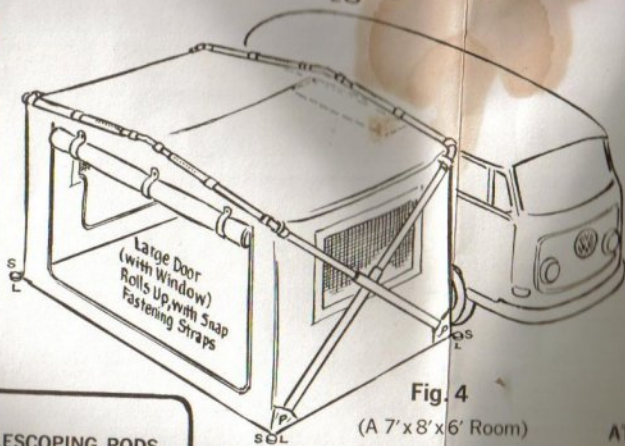


Fig. 4

(A 7' x 8' x 6' Room)

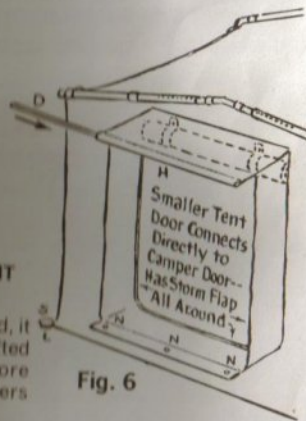


Fig. 6

TO SHIFT TELESCOPING RODS

To release tension (shorten), 1) Press button X, twist (rotate) inner rod (1) slightly, and **push in** until button is opposite desired hole, twist back, and seat button into hole. To extend (increase tension), 2) Simply **pull** rods apart, 'til button X clicks into hole desired in outer (sleeve) rod O. No twisting needed.

TO TAKE DOWN

Detach from camper door, zip all doors and windows closed **except one** window (for air escape). Release buttons on crossed end supports and reverse erection process.

ATTACHING TENT TO CAMPER

When tent is erected, it can be easily shifted for exact fit before staking floor corners (S, L).

1. Put solid rod (D) thru wide hem (H) in top of storm flap. Lay it in the rain trough above camper door.
2. Button 3 snap-fasteners (N) to 3 snaps provided under threshold of the open camper door. You're in business!