Your tree arrives with red plastic socket guards, so the glass bulbs do not shatter during shipping. There are 40 bulbs for your tree and 6 extra, replacement bulbs included.

One at a time please locate the red socket guards and replace them with the glass bulbs. The socket guards can be removed by unscrewing the guard the same way you would change a lightbulb. Once you have located and replaced all the red socket guards your tree is ready to be illuminated.

We recommend removing the glass bulbs and using the socket guards for off-season storage.

WARNING: Please take care to ensure C7 glass bulbs and pre-strung mini bulbs are not plugged together to avoid overloading the fuse.