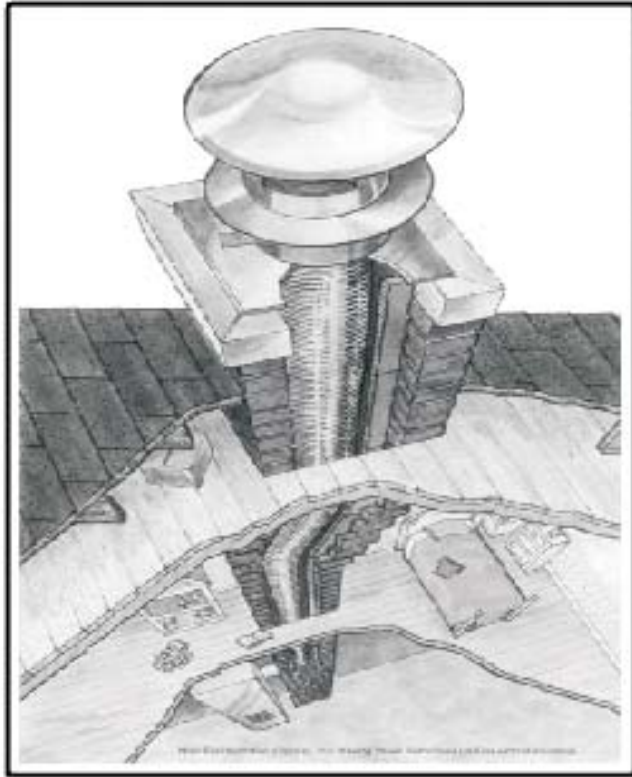




Tip Of The WEEK

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METAL FLUE LINER



A metal flue liner is designed to reduce the flue opening, therefore, increasing the draft. An 80%+ gas furnace with a draft induced blower is so efficient that it does not lose enough heat for flue gases to adequately rise to the top of the chimney on its own. The furnace manufacturer recommends a metal flue liner be installed in all standard brick chimneys to increase draft and prevent corrosion.

To identify whether a flue liner has been installed you can look at the flue pipe off of the furnace and the water heater to make sure they are connected before they enter the chimney and look at the chimney from the exterior for a metal liner and cap protruding from the top.



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