Floating Corner Shelves

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I made the two lowest shelves 9" deep but kept the rest at 7 3/4" deep.

I did not include moulding on the material list. You can buy some directly off the shelf or even leave the shelves square and just fill in the edges (with joint compound) and paint.

The shelves are 2" tall.
Cut List

The pieces colored the same are identical to each other.

The pieces are lined out a little funny on the 1/4" plywood in order to get everything to fit on one sheet.

If you want to make your own moulding from 2x4s then you will need two more 2x4s.
Make the Shelves

Attach all the cross braces to the 2x4s. These measurements are the same for the 7 3/4" shelves and the 9" Shelves.

Make sure the straight edge from cutting the 2x4 is facing out.

Use a countersink bit to first pre drill the hole then use a 3" screw to attach it.

Attach the top of the shelves using 1 1/4" brad nails.
Install the Shelves

First locate your studs then install the long left shelf first. Use drywall anchors if you don't have enough studs to support the shelf.

Attach the front 2x4 edge, again with the straight edge facing out, using a counter sink then 3" screws. Then repeat the steps to attach the right shorter shelf.

Use 1 1/4" brad nails again to now attach the bottom of the shelves and the moulding (if you add moulding).
Finished!

I think these shelves would be great for just about any room in the house. They are quick and easy but also very sturdy. If you make some I would love to see photos.

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