



Yesterday's Chevrolet San Fernando Valley Region



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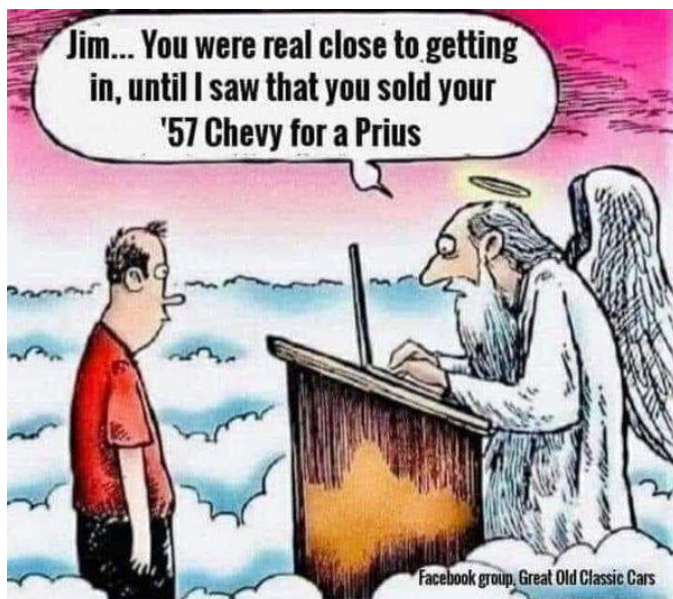
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NO regular Meeting or on-line meeting in December. On behalf of the editorial staff, me. I want to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy Chanukah. 2020 has been a TOUGH year for friends to be together. I am optimistic that by late spring or early summer life will return to almost normal. I am optimistic we will be able to host our November car show. I hope we can do our July BBQ.

Chevrolet Trivia

What was the first year that Chevrolet used stainless belt moldings on a vehicle?

Look for the answer at the bottom of this newsletter



Why is it called a rumble seat?

Like so many other terms in our "Where did the term... come from?" series, the rumble seat actually stems from the era of horse-drawn carriages. ... Back then, a rumble seat (or jump seat) was merely an uncovered seat-frame attached to the back of a horse carriage that was intended for slaves or servants

Is your fuel stabilizer actually hurting your car?

From Hagerty magazine. Read and also click on the video.

www.hagerty.com/media/maintenance-and-tech/is-your-fuel-stabilizer-actually-hurting-your-car/?utm_source=SFMC&utm_medium=email&utm_content=20_November_4_Newsletter_NewDD

From the director

Since we won't be meeting in December, I just want to send out season's greetings to one and all. Be well, and let's see what the new year brings. Remember, we are all in this together.

So stay safe and wear a mask!

After 48 years of ownership in have sold my '33. Does it make me happy? No, does it make me sad? No. About 2 years ago in the G&D A member, Kent Schoneman, in Kansas put a request in the Cars Wanted section. He was

looking for a '33 standard sports coupe. On 11/8/2018 I sent him this email.



Kent, Are you looking for a stock '33 coupe or hot rodded? I own a '33 standard sports coupe. HONESTLY, I haven't thought of selling it but who knows? Maybe we will talk.

Steve

About a year ago, he came to Orange County on vacation. He and a friend came to my home to look over and drive the '33. He expressed liking the car and would get back to me after he got home. A few weeks later he called me to say he liked the car but he had to sell one of his own to make room for it. It gets cold in Kansas and he parks his cars in a heat protected garage. In the 1st week of November, he called me and asked if I would sell him the car for the price we talked about, after a long pause I said yes. As I type this it's still in my garage awaiting the call from his shipper to come and pick it up. I have seen his cars and know how he takes care of them.

After a two year back and forth I now wait for a call to send "her" off to a new home. Kent wants to see his grand children in the rumble seat 😊

The call came. he '33 is on it's way to Kansas



Farewell good friend ... much happiness in your new home.

This is it's new home



It has some nice friends, The 2 '30's cars are hot rods his new '33 will remain stock



In its new home



Two of Kent's grand children in his new '33

December birthday's

Carolyn Ragan 6th
Paul Bromley 9th
Norm Guimond 9th

Anniversary

Desire & Andy Spilkoman 20th
Francoise & Norm Guimond 30th

To you all make it special day!!

Chevrolet Trivia Answer

The 1932 Chevrolet Deluxe 1/2 Ton Panel Truck was the first vehicle to feature stainless steel belt moldings on the body. The use of stainless moldings became very popular later on Chevrolet passenger cars.

Next Meeting @ park

Too be determined when all is normal again

Balboa Park

*17015 Burbank Blvd., Encino, CA 91316
7:30 – 9:00 PM*