66 Black 2+2 interior Posted by rapdron - 2014/07/04 18:35

I am getting to the point with my 66 Martinique Bronze 2+2 where I need to start thinking about buying an interior kit.

The best way i can describe my original black interior is that it is complete. :(

I will be needing door panels, front and rear seat covers, carpeting and a headliner.

My poor wood wheel is so faded, it looks cream colored.

It definitely needs to be restored.

I also need to recover the head rests

I have seen many different photos of completed interiors, but need some input as to the quality.

I read some posts about 2+2 interiors that suggests the pleats look barely visible.

I have seen PUI, Legendary, Ames & PY as sources for complete interiors.

Anyone used any of these suppliers, and how satisfied were you with the quality of the fit & detail to originals.

My car may never be a show winner, but I do want the nicest interior I can afford without having it custom made. ;)

Every time you drive it, you will look around and hopefully appreciate the quality of the interior. Any help and suggestions will be greatly appreciated ;)

Ron

Re:66 Black 2+2 interior Posted by OldInjun - 2014/07/07 11:15

I've seen many 2+2 replacement interiors where the pressed pleats on the seats lacked the definition/depth of the originals. It ruins the look of the interior. I don't know specific brands that have this problem, but personally I wouldn't buy any without a mailed sample to compare with the original. If you have a long time to talk, try reaching Harry Samuel by phone - 248-258-6269, or email at samuelinteriors@aol.com. He seems to be the expert in the field, with a huge stock of NOS interior vinyl. I've heard rumors that he is finally retired, but his ad is still running in Smoke Signals.

I have a wood grain wheel with the same issue. If you find a way to stain it to look newer, please let us know.

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