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Vehicle Appraisal

NAME **Cybele White**

Date: 09/08/2017

Phone: **503-629-1**

Address **1972 Gilham Rd**

City / State / Zip code **Eugene, OR 97404**

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Year	1980	Body Style	3 Door G Wagon
Make	Mercedes	Color	Green
Model	280 GE	License No.	J GGP
Vehicle ID No. (VIN)	46023217007319	Mileage	50,559

On _09/06/2017_, I personally inspected and evaluated the vehicle described above for the purpose of providing an estimation of the vehicles cash value today. I inspected the vehicles exterior, interior, chassis and engine department. A mechanical inspection was conducted where possible. The evaluation is based upon authenticity, preservation / restoration, maintenance and / or replacement costs. When I use the phrase "stock" below that does not mean it is original. It means it is proper for this make & model and it is not custom.

Equipment / Options

Engine Compartment

Engine: Stock, 6 cylinder, 168CI, 2.8L, 154HP

Carburetion: Stock, Gas, Indirect Injection

Accessories: Power Steering, Power Brakes

Cooling: Stock: Heavy Duty Radiator, Clutch Fan, V-Belts, Rubber Hoses..

Fire wall: Stock in very good condition Fender wells: Stock in very good condition

Hood, Hinges: Stock hood & hinges with rod.

Chassis 4 Wheel Drive

Transmission: Stock, Manual Transmission 4 speed.

Axels: Stock front & rear axels.

Brakes: Stock, Disc/Drum.

Suspension: Stock, front & rear with new shocks.

Exhaust: Stock, Single.

Wheels: Custom black alloy with Mercedes center cap, 18".

Tires: Yokahama GE Olander AT 285/60R/18

Other: Heavy Duty Tow Hitch, Undercoating, rear mud flaps.

Body

Paint: Agavengruen/Cactus Green.
Graphics: Stock, 280 GE badging & custom Oregon Ducks decals.
Bumpers: Stock front & rear black aluminum.
Grille: Stock painted black.
Head Lights: Stock round with black frames.
Tail Lights: Stock lenses & black trim.
Front Signals: Clear lenses black trim.
Doors: Stock - good gaps
Fenders: Stock
Mirrors: Stock dual.
Glass: Stock windshield, side & rear windows, all tinted.
Door Handles: Stock push button
Other: Roof Rack, rear Sport tire carrier - original & custom brackets.

Interior... Premium Padded

Seats: Stock, Cloth / leather manual operation bucket gray & white plaid front seats & 2nd row seat. Matching bench seat that folds down.
Door Panels: Stock, leather/plastic with storage & arm rest with speakers.
Dash: Stock, metal & vinyl padded with original clusters.
Console: Stock, with floor shifter, 4wd control & emergency brake handle. Cup holders & change box.
Floor Covering: Stock carpet & mats.
Trim and Weather Stripping: Stock
Gauges: Stock Fuel & Temp. 150MPH speedometer & clock. All in original cluster.
Steering Wheel: Stock leather.
Wiring, Fuse Panels and Breakers: Stock with some updates
Radio: Kenwood premium audio system.
Other: Aftermarket GPS dash mounted.

COMMENTS

ENGINE COMPARTMENT

Fine... Very clean and correctly detail. It is a GASOLINE engine version. The inner fender panels and fire wall are stock, painted and rust free. The hinges work properly. The motor & accessories are properly painted. The 6 Cylinder engine is believed to be the original numbers matching engine to this vehicle. Electronic Fuel Injection with no issues. For cooling it has the heavy duty Radiator system with clutch fan, V-belts and rubber hoses that cools this vehicle just fine. The electronic Ignition is stock with no issues on this set up. There are no visible fluid leaks. Starts easy and runs well.

CHASSIS

Very Good.... Original heavy duty front & rear suspension and coil springs that is clean & rust free. New Heavy Duty shocks on all 4 corners. Undercoating protection. Original 4 speed manual transmission with new clutch/master & slave cylinders. Original axle's recently rebuilt no issues. Aftermarket 18" custom wheels with Mercedes center caps. The wheels are wrapped with new tires. Stock single exhaust that is properly aligned with no issues. Stock Disc/Drum brakes that stop well. The suspension has no issues and travels down the road fine.

BODY

Fine.... body and paint. Body is extremely straight with excellent door, engine compartment lid and panel fit. All steel body & hood. No noticeable dents, cracks or any issues in the body. The paint is a custom paint job that looks like it was applied professionally. The stock front & rear bumpers are refurbished in black. The original grill is painted. The original headlights & framework is in very good condition with the addition of some front custom lighting. The rear lights & front signal/running lights are updated and the lenses are not faded and the frame work is very good. The glass is all stock appearing with no scratch's or chips. The black aluminum trim, window framework and black handles & emblems are all there and are in very good condition. The roof has a Roof Rack that is in very good condition.

INTERIOR

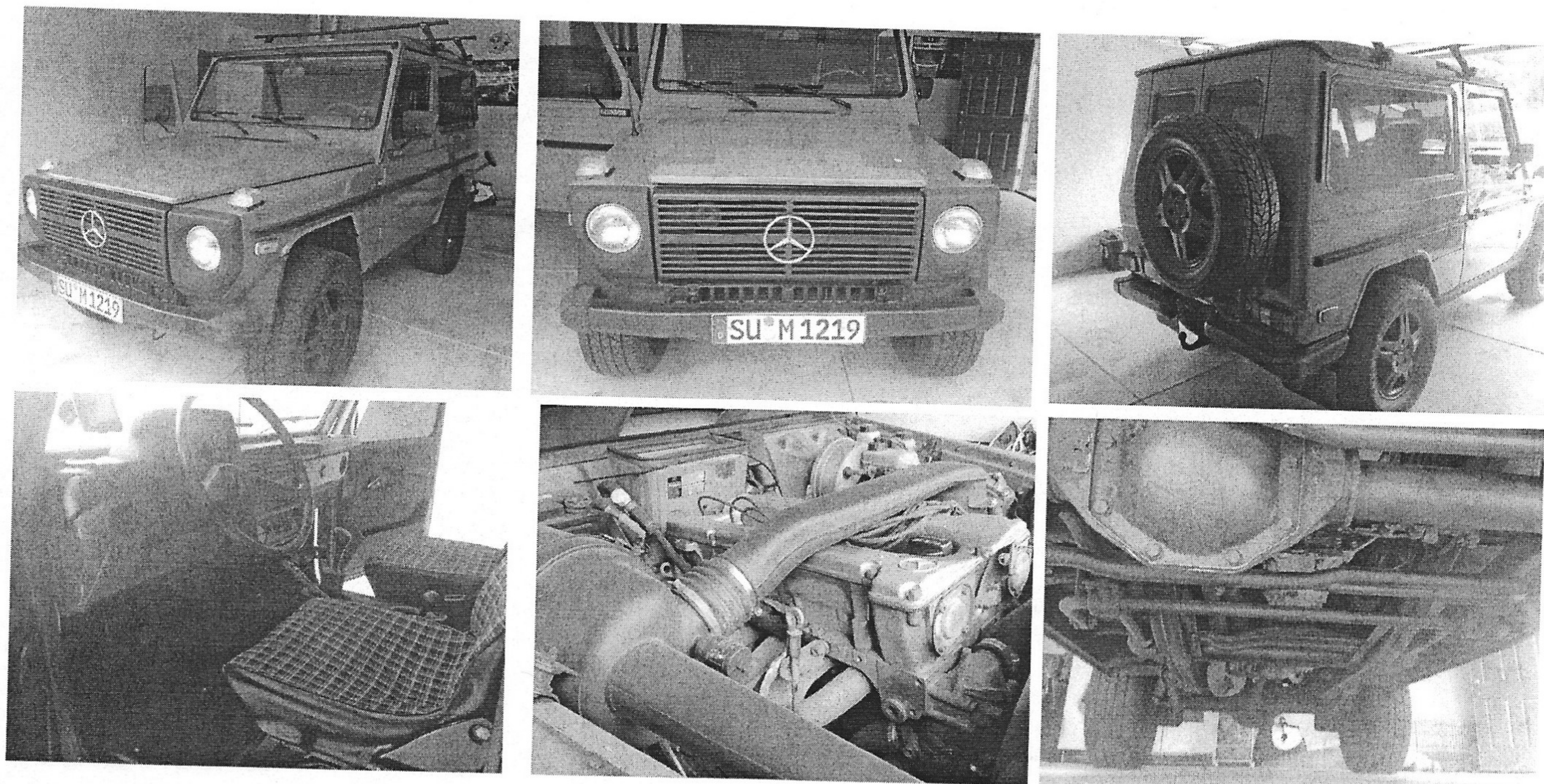
Fine..... extremely clean and properly detailed. Stock padded dash with original clusters, gauges & switches. The seats are cloth & leather and show no wear. The door panels are in very good condition. The console is very good condition. The weather stripping is original and does not leak. The original gauges and warning lights are mounted in the original dash cluster and all work. The Sound System works and puts out a great sound. The flooring has no issues and some of the floor pans have been replaced. Equipped with the floor shifter. The steering wheel is in very good condition.

SUMMARY COMMENTS

This is a fine 1980 Mercedes Wagon. This vehicle was professionally restored. You won't find one of these in nicer condition. This car has been garaged most of its life. It also has been driven and shows very minor road wear. Runs and drives as well as it looks!

CONDITION GRADE.....2-

(CONDITION GRADE RATINGS: 1 - Excellent, 2 - Fine, 3 - Very Good, 4 - Good, 5 - Fair, 6 - Restorable)



After careful evaluation of this vehicle, based on my expertise and experience and after consulting NADA, HI-Bid International Auction Results and reviewing the internet and after consulting with other professional appraisers and automotive experts, etc. when necessary. I appraise (estimate) this vehicle having a cash value of \$43,264.

I hereby state that I have no financial interest, ownership, or employment in/with any firm engaged neither in the purchase, sale, insurance or transport of motorized vehicles nor in any firm engaged in the repair or restoration of motorized vehicles. I further state that I have received no compensation for this appraisal, from any source, other than my fee of \$200.00. Therefore I have no actual or potential conflict of interest in providing this appraisal.

Signed: Glen Harmison Glen Harmison

CREDENTIALS

1. Authorized to appraise vehicles in the State of Oregon in accordance with ORS 819.230, # V27-014
2. Certified Appraiser in the NW Vehicle Appraisers Network (nationwide association).
3. National Judge for Antique Automobile club of America, (AACA).
4. Judge for Portland Rod and Custom Show.
5. Chief Judge for Dallas Rotary Car Show.
6. My appraisals are accepted by Banks, Credit Unions, Insurance Companies, Museums, IRS and courts of law.
7. My appraisals are accepted by the Antique Automobile Club of America's National Museum.
8. My appraisals and the proper IRS forms are accepted by the IRS for donations to museums and other acceptable charitable organizations, providing tax deductible contributions.
9. 35+ years in the Automotive Industry.
10. Former Factory Sales Representative in the automotive aftermarket, calling on national and regional Auto Parts Stores including sales and product knowledge training to their customers and sales force.
11. Member of the following car clubs: Dallas Cruisers.... President, Dallas Rotary.... Car Show Executive, Antique Automobile Club of America (AACA), Good Guys.
12. All Vehicle Appraisers has been selected for the 2012 Best of Salem Awards in the Automobile Appraisers category by the Salem Award Program committee.

Comps

54,888 1990 <https://www.hemmings.com/classifieds/dealer/mercedes-benz/280ge/1860910.html>

32,909 1985

<https://www.hemmings.com/classifieds/cars-for-sale/mercedes-benz/280ge/1987111.html>

41,995 1995

<http://www.usedcarsfsbo.com/asp/UsedCarsPrices.asp?submitFlag=1&make=Mercedes-Benz&model=G-Class&year=1980&submit1=Search>

Total: $129,792 / 3 = 43,264$