

SCREAMING YELLOW



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My love affair with the Mustang started when I was a young boy of 10 (although I didn't realize it at the time) when my mom brought home a Candy Apple Red 1966 Mustang. Although that particular car is long-gone, I remember it like it was only yesterday. She only drove the car for a few short years, but she loved every minute she had it.

Fast forward to 2005; the love affair was rekindled when I literally stumbled upon my own "first" Mustang—a 2000 Coupe that I thought was simply too good to give up. Like all of us, the original plan was to keep the car and bring into show shape. That all changed when the car you see in these pictures came into my life, again quite by accident. I have long dreamed of owning a convertible, and a 40th Anniversary Edition was the one Mustang that I would give up my Dark Green coupe for. A bonus to this was the price, it was absolutely too good to pass up.

The Mustang is a daily driver right now, and turns heads almost every where I go. Needless to say, I do all I can do to keep her clean and tidy. She won a couple of trophies at a local Mustang show, which made me extremely proud. Our "Screaming Yellow" 2000 has a

Black convertible top. It is one of 1,309 sold in this configuration. The "mods" on the car at this point are minimal and primarily confined to appearance.

My wife and I had joined the Mustangs Across America road trip for a short time. The car performed wonderfully and the trip itself was an experience that we will both remember for a long time. We hope to make the 50th anniversary drive in 2014.

As time and money allow, I have great plans for this car, starting with a fresh coat of "Screaming Yellow" paint. I can confidently say that this is going to be "Mystang" for a long time to come.

MODIFICATIONS

- Cold air intake
- K&N filter
- Cat back dual exhaust
- Dyna-Flow mufflers
- Body-color custom door panel inserts with the running pony
- Billet aluminum pedals
- Stainless letter inserts in the rear bumper

