

1966 Austin Healey 3000 MK III BJ8

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Restoration completed 1/2010 by Tom Rocke of Healey Lane Restorations, Riverside California

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❖ 2-Stage Dupont Chroma base paint process used for this unique Healey Gold color	❖ All new interior; Harvest Beige leather covered seats and matching English wool carpet kit
❖ Rebuilt Engine, Transmission, and Overdrive using all new parts	❖ All new chrome and cad plated components
❖ Grade 5 original fasteners, nuts and bolts	❖ New tires, correct size for car, 185X80R15
❖ New chrome wire wheels, 60 spokes with original brass chromed knockoffs	❖ New windshield glass, new door glass, and window rubber
❖ New brakes, brake lines, master cylinder	❖ New suspension
❖ New steering components, seals and joints	❖ New shocks in front, new spring components in rear
❖ New clutch and master cylinder	❖ Complete new rubber kit installed
❖ New Steel exhaust system	❖ Original heavy gauge rechromed bumpers
❖ New Radiator	❖ Walnut dash with Rebuild original gauges, calibrated and certified by Palo Alto Speedometer
❖ New wood steering wheel	❖ New convertible black soft top with fitted Harvest Beige hood bag
❖ New cloth covered wiring harness	❖ All new Lighting components, gauge bulbs, halogen headlights, brake lights, turn signals
❖ New gas tank	❖ New trunk kit installed, with wire wheel spare tire and tire cover
❖ New battery	❖ Full photo Documented restoration
❖ British Heritage Trust Certificate	❖

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Additional information

1966 Austin Healey BJ8 MKIII Phase II

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Short Description:

1966 Healey Gold Austin Healey BJ8 MK III Phase II with Harvest Beige leather interior. Restoration completed for this auction by Tom and Randee Rocke.

Long Description:

In 1966 British Motor Car Corporation, mandated by the Department of Transportation safety regulations, released the last phase of the Mark III 3000 BJ8. Christian the phase II with the last cars being produced in 1967 hailed the end of the Austin Healey. The phase II boosted another 5 horsepower, larger brake lights, amber turn signals, a single post shoulder harness, stiffer springs both front and rear and higher bumper height. Of the phase II approximately 200 of this cars were duped as anniversary editions, all finished in Gold Beige, later called Healey Gold. One of the rarest and most desired Healey is the phase II, yet rarer is the anniversary edition cast in gold. It is the icon of the "Big Healey".

This car painted in Healey Gold is a tribute to those few remaining anniversary editions still in existence. Two-stage Dupont Chroma base was used in two separate paint applications to give this color extreme depth and luster. The interior is finished in Harvest Beige leather with matching English wool carpeting giving this tribute car an even more rare and stunning look.

All new: engine, transmission, overdrive, fuel system, springs, front suspension, brakes, lines, cables, chrome wheels, road speed tires (185x15), steel exhaust system, shocks, door mechanisms and handles, walnut dash, rebuilt original gauges, new wood steering wheel, new interior, new convertible hood with hood bag, new windshield, door glass and rubber. Look closely at the detail and comprehensive restoration of this motorcar. The most complete and extensive restoration money can buy. Restoration completed for this auction by Tom and Randee Rocke of Healey Lane, Riverside California. British Heritage Trust certificate as well as full photo documented restoration is presented with this car.