**Subject:** Huge Write Down Equals Lower Prices | Barn Found 1963 Z06/Tanker Race Car | Bloomington Gold **Date:** March 3rd, 2011 (Thurday no later than Friday)

ProTeam's One Time Write Down = Big Savings Information wanted on AW Joslin's Z06 Race Car ProTeam/eBay Partnership Bloomington Gold Registration is now open Comparison Shopping Corvettes Wanted Money Back Guarantee Testimonials Join NCRS The Corvette Black Book NCRS Specifications Guides The Chase

**Market Based Pricing...** is now back at ProTeam due to a one time year end (2010) write-down of inventory costs to mirror current market replacement. This was an almost one million dollar adjustment that would put most businesses "out of business" but our accounting and banking partners agreed that this was needed to put us on a competitive footing with those who were not stuck with much inventory at the beginning and during the "Great Recession". Beth has redone the prices at ProTeam's website and the window of opportunity is now open for our astute clients. If you have been grazing the <u>ProTeam site</u> and thought a car was just beyond your reach, check it again. We can almost guarantee a change that will have you think again about buying your first or next Corvette from ProTeam. **Special note:** Rare is still rare... and you will see little change as it relates to single, double, and triple digit production Corvettes. Visit <u>ProTeamCorvette.com</u> if you're in the market for a Corvette or email <u>terry@proteamcorvette.com</u>.

**Information Wanted...** on the A.W. Joslin 1963 Z06/Tanker Race Car, VIN #30837S106669. Silver/Red 4.11 posi, radio and heater delete. Had a roll bar pre 1972. Trim Tag = E2 - Body 3621 - 63837 - 941A - 490C Some interesting facts, names and places:

1) Built day after Delmo Johnson's Z06

- 2) Built 3 to 4 days prior to Micky Thompson's Z06
- 3) Zone 1 Dealer # 368/NCRS Shipping Data Report
- 4) Lee Mac Gillivray Chevrolet Inc., Haslett, Michigan
- 5) Raced by Josh (A.W.) Joslin at VIR #15 May 1963
- 6) Raced by Dick Lang and Walter Joslin #51 at the Road America 500/Elkhart Lake, Sept. 7-8, 1963
- 7) A.W. Joslin won the A production SCCA central divisional championship in 1962
- 8) Delivered Silver but may have been raced Maroon?
- 9) Central Michigan car: Haslett, MI, Greenville, MI, Sheridan, MI, Lansing area
- 10) Paul Jorgensen (1972 2010)
- 11) Dick Russel (1969 1971)
- 12) Does anyone remember this car?
- 13) Does anyone remember Josh (A.W. Joslin)?

14) Does anyone remember where this car was raced?

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**Bloomington Gold and SURVIVOR Collector Car...** Registration is now open for the 2011 Bloomington Gold and SURVIVOR Collector Car events. This year, these two world-class events will be once again held at Pheasant Run Resort and Spa in St. Charles, Illinois on June 23 - 26. New this year will be 2 hour in-depth seminars. In addition, The Great Hall, in its second year, will be honoring 10 of the most influential people and organizations and 10 of the most influential and historic Corvettes that shaped the Corvette Sport as we know it today. To register on-line for Bloomington Gold or for the SURVIVOR Collector Car event, go to <u>BloomingtonGold.com</u> or call the office at 309-888-4477.

**Comparison Shopping...** is not easy as not all Corvettes were created equal and not all Corvettes are restored equally... **What is important to you?** 

A) just price?

- B) VIN tag and attachments?
- C) body/trim tag?
- D) engine stamp pad?
- E) body repairs?
- F) documentation?
- G) Bloomington/NCRS awards?
- H) transmission?
- I) rear end?
- J) color combination?

Legitimate cars with legitimate components and legitimate documentation are becoming harder to find. Did you know that there is a database of Corvette VIN numbers (over 400) that are not legitimate and most information came from inspections of these cars at collector car auctions or judged events?

How does one compare the value of a black 1967 with a blue 1967 when GM made so few black Corvettes in 1967? Did you know that option combinations make certain legitimate Corvettes very hard to find and desirable?

Who does your due diligence and pre-purchase inspections? Are they qualified? Do they know the difference between real and memorex? How do you compare one Corvette on eBay or an auction TV show (if you're not there) with another? Comments, email: <u>terry@proteamcorvette.com</u>

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- A) 1958-'60 Corvette in any condition
- B) 1963 Split Window Coupes, prefer very nice
- C) 1967 Maroon 435 hp Coupe with OM. Must be NCRS or Bloomington.
- D) Barn Cars and Projects
- E) Whole Collections

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