

'31 5-Window
Wescott Body
Owned by Dave Welt
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Wescott Quality Fiberglass, Steel Reinforced

Wescott uses high quality, hand laminated fiberglass and extensive steel reinforcement to make a strong, straight and clean fitting body. Most of the original body lines have been retained. All doors and deck lid come installed, and open and close solidly.

Modifications:

The top has the original opening filled and is chopped 2". (Drip rails are installed.) The original small reveals on the back of the top above the trunk lid have been removed. The cowl top is filled and is molded with the rest of the body. (Radiator rod brackets are installed.)

Doors

Outside Handles (stock type) or Smooth (no outside handle)

Doors are fitted and installed on the body with hinges, latches, and striker plates. Bear jaw type door latches are used. Inside handle mounts, for 1932-38 square shaft type handles, are installed. A lockout linkage allows inside handle to be locked out.

Garnish moldings for the door window bottoms, the door tops, the quarter windows, the back window, and the windshield sides are included with the body.

The body is available with a smooth (no outside handle setup) or at extra cost, setup for outside handles. The setup for outside handles includes mounts and linkage for the handles and key locks on both doors. Doors can be locked or unlocked from the inside or outside of the body. Key locks are included, outside handles are not included, (non locking) original or reproduction handles may be used.

Hidden hinges are standard. Wescott hidden hinges are specially designed for our 1931 5-Window body and only protrude minimally (about 1/4") inside the door posts at the bottom only. Many hidden hinge applications cause the door to droop when open. The drop of the back of the door with our hinge design is only about 1" at full opening.

Easy Window Installation

The internal design of the doors allow snap in installation of the stock type window felt. Provisions are also made inside the doors for installing stock type window regulators or Juliano's cable drive electric window mechanism. We will (for extra charge) install powered windows with tempered glass.

Dash

A 1932 style flat dash is installed in the body.



Trunk Lid

The deck lid is fitted and mounted as a trunk lid with the hinges, latch, striker, and rubber bumpers installed. A remote operated type deck latch is installed. The remote latch does not include operating cables or linkage. Trunk hinges are Wescott designed high lift style for ease of opening and adjustment. All drip channels are installed on the body around the deck lid opening.

Windshield

The steel reinforcing under the dash is designed to double as a defroster plenum. The body is designed to accept a chopped original type windshield frame. Swing arm studs are installed on the body. The windshield header structure is designed for the Specialty Power Windows cable drive wiper motor kit, mounting the motor behind the seat. We will (for extra charge) supply and install this kit.

Recessed Firewall

The Wescott recessed firewall is molded using a fire retardant resin. This recessed firewall is a minimum recess design for small block Chevy V8's, with a 1 1/2" recess on the left side, 2 1/2" on the right side, and 4" in the center. This will leave more legroom than any other recessed firewall and still allow a HEI distributor to be used.

Prices:

1931 Five Window Coupe Body with 2" Chop

1931 Coupe body	15300.00
Outside door handle linkage & key locks	add: 200.00

Model A Fender Package

1 pr	Front fenders (fiberglass)	
1 pr	Side splash aprons (fiberglass)	
1 pr	Rear fenders (fiberglass)	
PACKAGE TOTAL		list: 1392.00 when ordered with body: 1450.00

1931 Coupe Power Door Window Package

(specify glass color: green, gray, or clear)		
1 pr	Door window glass	350.00
1	Window felt kit	50.00
1 pr	Power window regulators	450.00
1	Install in doors	100.00
PACKAGE TOTAL		(installed only with body order) 950.00

1931 Coupe Quarter Window Tempered Glass

1 pr	specify glass color: green, gray, or clear	225.00
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1931 Coupe Power Back Window Package

(specify glass color: green, gray, or clear)		
1	Rear window electric kit	275.00
1	Glass (for power window)	180.00
1	Install in body	100.00
PACKAGE TOTAL		(installed only with body order) 575.00

1931 Coupe Fixed Back Window Tempered Glass

1	specify color (green, gray, or clear)	125.00
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Coupe Power Wiper Package

1	Wiper motor (2 speed + intermittent).	350.00
1	Install wiper in body	100.00
PACKAGE TOTAL:		(installation only with body order) 425.00