



# Hotline Guide

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The Nutz & Boltz weekly *Auto Motive Hotline* brings new car-care and lasting vehicle tips, the latest safety & travel info, answers to automotive questions, and helpful info about other vehicular concerns.



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👤 *Doc Dré & Mike Truba* ([www.AutoChic.com](http://www.AutoChic.com) 800 351 0605) > Why using an AutoChic car cover will help you save time, money, and make your vehicle safer to drive in winter weather.

🕒 *Motor Minute* > Tire age alone doesn't determine when tires are unsafe.

📞 Bump— "Janiva Magness Blues"

**BREAK** :15 Fritz Car Care 410-727-7531; International Auto Repair 410-944-6850; Walt Eger's Service 410-519-8445

📞 Bump— Henley The Genie: "Inside Job"

✉️ *E-Mail letter from William (Encinitas CA):* 1995 Mitsubishi Montero > The window-washer stopped working during a (rare) San Diego rainstorm. The washer fluid had turned to goo. I cleaned it out and only the driver's side works. Should I replace all of the tubing?

👤 *Doc Dré & Billy Cox* (Fritz Car Care Ctr) > Dealing with plugged washer nozzles and suggestions for different liquids to refill the reservoir.

🕒 *Motor Minute* > Better headlights can reduce pedestrian deaths, according to new research by the University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute.

📞 Bump— Chicago

**BREAK** :30 Olympic Parts 410-737-3100

📞 Bump— Chris Kenner: "Hey Baby"

📞 *Jim (Edgewater, MD):* '88 Camry 2.0 > Discussion of reasons for high NOx emissions causing it to fail the emissions test.

🕒 *Motor Minute* > Why Saudi Arabia population statistics have such a dramatic effect on our lives.

📞 Bump— Taj Mahal

**BREAK** :45 MotorWatch 410-374-0900 & 1-800-888-0091, Redline Oil 800-624-7958

📞 Bump— Joe Crocker: "trust In Me"

🚑 *Safety Minute* > Texas speed limit on some rural highways was raised by the Texas Transportation Commission to 80 mph.

?? *Know It All* > Extending your vehicle's oil change and draining intervals can hurt the fuel economy. True or False?

🔧 *Car Care Tip* > Parking brakes (a.k.a. "emergency brake") need to be used regularly for several reasons.

✉️ *Mailbag letter from James (Alvin TX)* > What about a product called Restore Engine Restorer & Lubricant? They claim it "fills and seals micro-leaks on the cylinder walls." How does a mere detergent do that? It doesn't say (on purpose?) but does the oil have to be drained after? Also their compression graphs look like miracles beyond belief!? My 1995 Town Car has 100K miles and uses no oil. I've used Mobil-1, changing is at 8-10K intervals and the filter every 5K.

🎵 *Motoring Musical Memory* > 1956 Ford TV commercial.

🎵 *Motoring Musical Memory* > Firesign Theatre: "How can You Be In 2 Places At Once?"

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🚑 *Eagle Bear's Safety Minute* posted this week on the website: "[Safety seats prevent child fatalities, study confirms](#)"