



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.

Motor Watch

🕒 Hotline Program Date: 04.05.08



👤 **Mike Ostrowski** (Reds Automotive Import Service Center) www.reddsauto.com> Problems with the new drive-by-wire throttle control systems.

📞 Bump— Cher: "Jesse James"
BREAK :15 Fritz Car Care 410-727-7531; International Auto Repair 410-944-6850; Walt Eger's Service 410-519-8445

🕒 **Motor Minute**®> Some recent cases of various objects, a cow, bathtub, and flaming squirrel falling onto the highway causing highway fallout.

📞 Bump— Richard Marx

👤 **Bruce Smith** (866-400-2434) www.trucktestdigest.com> author of the *Complete Guide to Trailering Your Boat*, Truck editor for Truck Digest and talk show host with the Truck Test Digest Talk Radio show which reviews pickups, SUVs, and crossover vehicles.

📞 Bump— Roy Orbison: "Only The Lonely"
BREAK :30 Auto Sense 410-761-1599; Admiral Tire & Auto 410-741-0400, Redds Auto 410-268-7789

📞 Bump— Beach Boys: "Fun, Fun, Fun"

📞 **Brian (Ohio)**: 2001 Chevy Truck 8.1 engine> Concerned that no recall notice came for his crankshaft sensor failure problem.

📞 Bump— Sarah McGlauglin: "Blackbird"
BREAK :45 Severna Park Auto Body 410-987-9493, British American Auto Care 410-381-2700, Redline Oil 800-624-7958

📞 Bump— Grease: "We go Together"

🚑 **Safety Minute**> Nearly 80% of nurses working nights reported driving drowsy at least once and 17% actually fell asleep.

🔧 **Car Care Tip**> While tire manufacturers are required to incorporate tire manufacture date codes in the "DOT" number, these codes aren't consumer-friendly.

?? **Know It All**> "If you have used the same oil for the life of the car then the best recommendation is to continue the use the same." *True or False?*

✉ **Mailbag letter from Julien (Long Beach NY)**> "My wife brought our '07 Camry to the Toyota dealer for an oil change. It only has 9000 miles on it. They told her that she needed an engine air filter, cabin air filter, and PCV valve. My owner's manual recommends these services at 30,000 miles. Her total bill was \$182. Do these filters need to be changed at 9000 miles? Was the \$182 bill a fair price to be charged?"

👂 **Sound Byte from the movie soundtrack**: Gallagher: "People don't know how to stop at a stop sign"

🎵 **Motoring Musical Memory**> 1958 Volkswagen TV Commercial

Nutz & Boltz Theme Closing Music

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