



Danbury Mint Offers Replica of Chip Miller's 1957 Corvette - Proceeds Will Fund Research of Amyloidosis

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Miller had donated the full-size Corvette to a benefit auction at Corvettes at Carlisle, Aug. 27-29, 2004, which sold for \$134,000, all donated to the Chip Miller Charitable Foundation. The foundation supports research and awareness of the rare cell disorder Amyloidosis. Miller died of complications relating to primary Amyloidosis in March 2004.

The Danbury Mint will donate a portion of the proceeds from every replica sold to the Chip Miller Charitable Foundation. According to officials at the Danbury Mint, Chip had helped develop many of their Corvette models as one of their premier Corvette experts. The Danbury Mint is proud to celebrate Chip's life and enthusiasm for automobiles by producing this model, which the mint calls an exquisitely detailed replica. With its signature Aztec Copper paint job and its 200-hp engine, this replica is flawlessly reproduced, an ad for the model states.

Danbury Mint estimates that the replica will be available in May 2005. To reserve one of these unique die-cast replicas, call 1(888) 854-7108. The models will cost \$115 plus \$7.80 shipping and service.

For more information on the Chip Miller Charitable Foundation, call (717) 243-7855, or visit www.chipmiller.org or www.carsatcarlisle.com.

Carlisle Events, host of at least 10 collector car, truck and motorcycle events each year, attracts more than half a million people to its 82-acre fairgrounds in Carlisle, Pa., each year. Included in the annual schedule are two huge automotive swap meets and individual specialty shows featuring Corvettes, Fords, GMs, Chryslers, trucks, motorcycles, sport compacts and imports. Founded in 1974 by friends Bill Miller and Chip Miller, the Cars at Carlisle shows attract automotive enthusiasts from around the world.

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