



Welcome to the February, 2015 Newsletter!

After the slow season around the holidays, I've noticed an uptick in traffic to the website. The traffic seems to be picking up more than usual – not sure if it's because there's a new found interest in Stingers, or if word is getting out about the website – either way, more traffic brings more people and information to the website.

This past month, a couple of more Stingers were added to the registry – the total is now 713. The new Stingers include a 1988 311 out of La Mesa, CA and a nearly original 1987 312.

An update on the progress of my 1984 312 – the trailer work has been completed. When I first purchased the boat, the strakes along the bottom of the boat crossed over the bunks. The bunks were removed and correctly fitted. In addition, new bunks were added and new jacks – two for the front of the trailer. Next, the boat goes off to have engine work done. My goal when I bought the boat at the beginning of last year was to have the boat in the water this year – I'm crossing my fingers!

Until next month,
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Stingers Perpetually for Sale

In running the website for over 5 years, I've run into a couple of Stingers that never seem to sell. I've always wondered why this is. I've have a couple of theories why this might be.

My first theory as to why a boat may not sell is that either it's in really bad condition, or it's not complete. For example, the following 1987 390 has been for sale Lake of the Ozarks, MO for years:



The listing on it says the owner has all of the parts except transom assemblies and motors. It's a lot of work to put together a boat like this from its parts – more so that there is very little factory information on these boats. Perhaps this is why it is still on the market.

Another fact that supports this theory – there have been a few owners who have tried to give away their boats – boats in rough shape. The owners try to give them away for months, with no takers. Some of these boats eventually get parted

out or discarded – as happened in the case of the following 390 that ended up in the landfill:



Even a free boat can be too much for some.

My second theory is that some boats have been modified to the point that they do not appeal to prospective buyers. Case in point is a 1983 390 out of Perkasio, PA:



This particular 390 seems to be in very good condition. But the color scheme on it, with pink outrides, and pink motors may not appeal to prospective buyers.

Of course, a third theory is that owners of their boats are not willing to negotiate on price. There are Stingers I see listed over and over again, month after month, year after year – they look to be in relatively good shape, but the asking price is above average. I'm sure a lot of owners have put money into their boats, and are looking to get as much back as they can – but I can't help to think that negotiating a little on a boat that has been for sale might produce a sale. Whatever the reason, it's always good to see a boat that's been for sale for years finally get sold.

Stingers for Sale

Below is a list of Stingers that have come up for sale during the previous month. The information for each boat in this section accompanied the owner's original advertisement. If you are interested in one of the boats for sale, and need more information, please contact me at ccstinger@gmail.com.



Model: 1988 311
Location: La Mesa, CA
Asking Price: \$27,500

31 FEET LONG CENTER CONSOLE FISHING BOAT SOLID HULL IN GREAT SHAPE NO CRACKS BLEMISHES OR SOFT SPOTS, NONE LIKE IT, BRAND NEW CUSHIONS, BRAND NEW WIRING BATTERIES SWITCHES GAUGES FUSES FRESH BOTTOM PAINT. TRIPLE AXLE ALUMINUM TRAILER VERY LIGHT STURDY. TWO YAMAHA 200HP OUTBOARDS FULLY SERVICED TOP TO BOTTOM STAINLESS STEEL PROPS hull trailer and motors all 1988.



Model: 1987 312
Location: Stafford, VA
Asking Price: \$13,500

Estate Sale -My late father's pride and joy is now for sale. This 1987 31.5' Chris Craft Scorpion is being sold along with the 3 axle Load Rite trailer. I enjoyed many years on the Potomac River with my Dad and although his "Great Escape V" had been the envy of many it has now sat winterized, garage kept and in recent years stored at my residence. I am not a boater by nature and it is time to let that piece of my Dad and his life go while holding onto the memories. This was a Documented vessel "Certificate of Documentation" and after his passing in March 2011 was not renewed and expired July 31, 2011. The Vessel Name: The Great Escape V, Length: 31.5 Breadth: 8.0 Depth: 5.5 The Load Rite trailer is a 1989 3 axles with a Gross Weight: 15,600 This 31.5' Chris Craft Scorpion Sport Cruiser with radar arch and canvas cock pit cover has been kept out of the water for several years now, the exterior paint is sun faded but in excellent condition. The interior is in great condition and can be brought back to excellent condition with a little TLC and elbow grease. This sale includes two 7.4 cubic inch 454 MerCruiser motors, 1 has a blown head gasket. The Load Rite trailer has cradled this boat for several years, we are now looking for a boating enthusiast to bring this duo back to the waterways where they belong.



Model: 1979 Excalibur 310
Location: Buffalo, NY
Asking Price: \$7,500

I HAVE THE BARE HULL WITH TRAILER TRI AXEL AND NEW INTERIOR STILL HAS FOUNTAIN WING ON IT ASKING 7500.





Model: 1982 260
Location: Waukegan, IL
Asking Price: \$21,000

For Sale: DIXIE NORMOUS
1982 Chris Craft 260 Stinger Built in 1982 in Bradenton, Florida I purchased this Boat in June 2009. This boat had a scratch and/or a ding here and there yet ran and drove quite well. I'm in my mid 70's and have been a boat person all my life, and I might add that I operated a full service boat company for several years. I'm quite capable of handling any mechanical, wood or fiberglass challenges. I'm retired and I have time on my hands, so I applied myself and brought this boat up to my standards. I also have many friends in the boat business so there's very little I or they can't handle. This boat has twin 260HP, 350cu/in engines with Alpha One outdrives. It has a Teak swim platform as well as a 3 blade stainless props. I repaired the dings and scratches on the hull, prepped then painted the hull. I used the original colors for the base cote then clear coated it. Over the years I made several changes (they're listed below) because I had the ability, time and finances. I've always used Mobil 1 15/50 in the engines along with Merc oil filters. All the parts and upgrades I have used on this boat were from Mercruiser. At present the exterior of this boat is as new as are all the cushions and seats. I never got to the cabin which could use some updating. Upgrades and Enhancements that I have done to this boat. Paint entire exterior using original colors. 2010 Recovered and replaced the foam in all cushions and seats 2010 Installed remote oil filter up grade (for easy access.) 2010 Installed new exhaust manifolds & risers (center type risers.) 2011 Installed through the transom exhaust system (using 4" polished stainless) 2011 Complete ignition upgrade to Thunderbolt IV 2011 All new shift and throttle cables 2012 New Quicksilver controls 2012 Install onboard marine battery charger 2013 Install new trim and tilt sensors 2013 Complete Drive service on both drives 2014 Rebuild both Carbs. 2014 Installed new pedestals on front seats Added batteries (boat now has 4 batteries.) Installed battery quick disconnect switches Installed crossover switches for emergency starting



Model: 1982 312
Location: Destin, FL
Asking Price: \$7,500

This is a classic example of Murray Boat (aka Chris Craft) 80's version of the sport 'cigarette'. This boat is all original. . .twin Mercruiser 300HP (454 cid) V8's, with pre TRS outdrives that are known to be all but bulletproof, velvet drive transmission (still goes in an out of gear like butter) and all original instrument panel, original cleaver props. Teak is in excellent condition. Does not have through hull exhaust so no waking the world when you cruise, can hear the whine of those big V-8's instead. . .a beautiful noise for those that appreciate a big blocks in sync. No serious dings or cracks, paint is in good condition. Engines had a partial top end overhaul in 2010; new risers, alternators, seawater pumps, refreshed oil pan's, refurbished cooling plumbing and new water distribution manifold plus NEW transom. Now for the 'others', last time the boat ran was in 2010 during the poker run and haven't had it in the waters since. Port engine has a outdrive lift leak. Stbd engine has an electrical problem that needs troubleshooting. Engines ran fine for the poker run, electrical issue is causing it not to crank. Trailer is in fair condition goes with boat in sale. Original Chris Craft emblems are mostly in good shape, some have corrosion. Interior flooring is new with rebuilt steps. Original interior other than that. Overall this boat is sound, will need some work, but if you appreciate a classic it is a labor of love. Engines are completely original and ran smooth in 2010. Selling because I dont' have a truck anymore and no time to work on it anymore, this is a classic boat and hard to find one in overall this good condition. If I were to prioritize work to get on the water, troubleshoot electrical issue on stb engine (I have pics of where I think the problem is), fix port engine trim, tune up and carb rebuild. . .start and push the throttles forward! Additional photo's for serious inquiries, I have tons of pics that highlight every inch of the boat. Price is reasonable for such a rare find!





Model: 1982 312
Location: Monroe, MI
Asking Price: \$13,500

1982 312 Chris Craft Stinger, twin 454's 330hp each, trs drives. Boat's in decent shape, we put about 4K in the engines in 2011, all new gaskets, hardware, cast aluminum headers, exhaust tips, valve job. Gages are liquid filled about 5 years old. Trailer is aluminum I-Beam, all stainless hardware and disc brakes. The main problem is the gas tank developed a slow leak and needs to be repaired. It's a 150 gallon under the deck tank. Distributors have pertronix electronic ignitions installed.



Model: 1984 230
Location: Culpeper, VA
Asking Price: \$6,200

Selling my 1984 Chris Craft Stinger 230XL. Boat is in great mechanical shape and is turn key. Built in an era when Chris Craft was the boat to have and some of the best built boats you could buy. Selling because unfortunately it just doesn't have the room my growing family wants so we are looking to upgrade. I had plans to keep this boat and restore it but plans changed. The Good: Has pretty much had anything that would go bad on a boat this old replaced within the last 2 years. Boat has all new stringers and floors. Custom cockpit seating and upholstery. 350 small block Chevy. Motor has: New 350 Shortblock World Products Cylinder Heads Edelbrock EPS intake manifold with ARP hardware Edelbrock Performer 600cfm carb just rebuilt MSD billet distributor Eddie Marine EMI Thunder exhaust (these headers are close to 2k new!) Runs fantastic. Depending on load it will run in the mid-upper 50's and I think with a couple more tweaks you could be at 60mph. Consumes almost no fuel so you can have fun and won't hurt you too bad at the pump. The Bad: Paint The only bad part on the boat would be the paint. At one point in its life someone decided to clear over the faded gelcoat. Now the clear is failing and has patches flaking off on the sides. I have successfully brought back the original gelcoat in a few areas that had flaked off but in reality it needs to be all stripped off. It is just a time consuming process that I have just not had time to finish. The great thing with this boat is its an excellent running vessel that you can enjoy now and work on the appearance as time allows. I guarantee it is one of the best riding/handling boat of its size that you will ever ride on. Even with its less than appealing paint I get compliments and questions everywhere I go. I know I missed a lot so please contact me with any other questions. I will be taking more pictures over the next few days as time allows. Asking \$6,200 obo. Willing to negotiate but please be reasonable, this boat could be worth a lot more if paint restored.



Model: 1984 260
Location: Mims, FL
Asking Price: \$4,800

For Sale is this 1984 26' Chris Craft Stinger Boat and Trailer. Boat has been parked for 5yr. Trailer is included. Boat is one of the highest performing hulls ever built by Chris Craft. Twin 260hp engines. As Is Condition.



Model: 1984 312
Location: Lake Norman, NC
Asking Price: \$8,800

31' Chris-Craft Stinger, Sport Boat 1984. 454 420's, TRS drives, props, One engine is perfect, the other had a rattle. Mechanic removed the intake and found it to be bad. Motor is good but will require a new intake or this one repair. All parts included. NO TRAILER. Transport and world wide delivery available. Boat is a repo and sold as is.



Model: 1984 390
Location: La Mirada, CA
Asking Price: \$55,000

One of the finest 390s in existence, particularly in the rare beige/brown/yellow/orange color scheme. All original engines and out-drives; right down to the clever props! Also original hardware, color, stereo, refrigerator, gauges and graphics. Still tops out at 60mph with light load. Engines recently rebuilt.



Model: 1985 260
Location: McGregor, MI
Asking Price: \$9,900

26' 1985 Chris Craft Stinger for sale. 2 260HP motors. Comes with trailer. This boat is in good condition with newer upholstery. The exterior color is red/white and the cuddy is gray. There is a newer stereo system, small sink with storage area and porta potti below, a bimini top and cockpit cover. I can email extra photos if needed.



Model: 1985 314
Location: Madison, WI
Asking Price: \$17,500

1985 Chris-Craft stinger 31 foot twin 250 hp 2000 Mercury saltwater outboards two-stroke fuel injected 21 and 23 pitch props sets. custom stereo JL audio 2 10 inch subwoofers component speakers 2 amps. 5 batteries with Perko switches. Garmin touchscreen GPS system with fishfinder 7". 1999 triple axle aluminum trailer with breaks and led lights, full snap on canvas. Lots of extra parts and everything you need to go to lake with current registration.



Model: 1985 Excalibur 314
Location: St Marks, FL
Asking Price: \$21,000

1985 Chris-Craft Stinger 314 S. Twin Yamaha 225's with 500 hrs. Just completed 100 hr maintenance. Includes Garmin GPSMAP 720s, Clarion AM/FM/CD Stereo, Uniden VHF marine radio with new antenna, full canvas boat cover, trim tabs, fuel management system, new Carling rocker switch panel. Classic boat in great shape!



Model: 1985 390
Location: St Clair Shores, MI
Asking Price: \$27,500

1985 Chris Craft Stinger 39'. This is the original Miami Vice boat. 2 - 465hp 502ci Mercruiser engines with Gil Exhaust (these were bought as brand new dropins from Mercruiser) approximately 400 hours on both TRS Drives Hydraulic trim tabs 4 Blade stainless props (A perfectly matched prop for the boat) cruise 35 top speed 56-60 Drives were gone through last season Interior professionally redone at the beginning of this season Brand new 3m scotchprint vinyl wrap done at the beginning of the season Brand new sound system installed at the beginning of this season (not cheap junk either) Comes with a boat slip at emerald city marina for the remainder of the season The boat is currently in the water and used every weekend. Test rides available for serious buyers. This is a turn key boat that needs nothing to use daily. The boat cuts the water and is super smooth even when the water is choppy. There are no problems with getting the boat on plane either, and is one of the best smoothest offshores I've ever been on.



Model: 1986 222
Location: Port Carling, ON, Canada
Asking Price: \$15,500

immaculate, stored inside and as original as possible 22' Chris craft Stinger 222 center console powerboat. 30 hours on rebuilt small block merc engine done by Rudy Held performance, 10.1 flat top pistons, aluminum heads and intake, 750cfm holly, MSD ignition system, marine cam with 272 duration, roller rockers, chrome dress up kit. rebuilt out-drive with 19" Stainless prop (spare included), runs out at 58mph. Length 22'2". Beam 94". Power hatch with mirrored panels in engine compartment. seats 3 up front and 2 at rear. Has new custom made 65gal fuel tank. excellent on gas and a "must see eye catcher". Custom tandem axle matching trailer, led lites. SERIOUS INQUIRIES ONLY.



Model: 1986 312
Location: Indianapolis, IN
Asking Price: \$17,000

1986 Chris-Craft 312 Stinger. Twin 454 Mercruisers 420 HP each, new starboard side engine with 7 hrs, port side 600 hrs but not running. TRS drives with new props. Older repaint & upholstery, 1200 watt inverter in cabin with 110 volt outlets, small sink, refrigerator, porta potty. Very roomy cabin that can sleep 5 if needed, 4 very comfortably. Everything works as should in cabin, CD player with 2 speakers in cabin & 2 outside. Road cover, cockpit cover, bimini top. Shore power hook up, a very solid boat for the year. I removed the arch & still have it. Trailer included. Motivated seller, make offer. \$17,000. OBO.



Model: 1986 312
Location: Brookeville, MD
Asking Price: Free to a Good Home

I have a 1986 stinger 312 that I am trying to get rid of. It is only the hull. Interior is stripped and outside is 50 percent sanded down. If you know of anyone interested in this boat let me know. I have to get rid of it ASAP. Not asking anything for it. I don't have a trailer but if someone wants it all they have to do is come get it or unfortunately I am going to throw it away.



Model: 1987 222
Location: Manahawkin, NJ
Asking Price: \$2,500

Selling a 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 222. This is part of an Estate. Boat has been covered on a trailer for over 10 years. As pics show the interior needs to be replaced. Hull, stingers and fiberglass all seem to be in great condition. The motor has work done but not sure what (High rise, Holley double pumper, probably cam). The motor is LOCKED UP. I have the outdrive, just didn't hang on boat. Trailer is included, however am not able to find paperwork for it. Have title for boat.



Model: 1987 222
Location: Dearborn, MO
Asking Price: \$13,500

Classic 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 222 with a 454/400Hp. This is a Mini Offshore Racing Style Boat With cuddy cabin and Tilt Center Steering Wheel With Clear Title. It has a complete tune-up, new starter, new coil, new marine battery, new thermostat, new impeller, new blower, oil changes, new stereo, trailer with new tires/rear tail lights, sundeck upholstery and enough new upholstery to redo it again. It also comes with 4 skivests, 4 Docking buoys, 2 anchors and is primed and ready to go on the lake. I am asking 13,500.00 but I Am Willing To negotiate or Make Possible Trade For Great Condition Low Miles Chevy Conversion van or Handyman Special Home In Decent Neighborhood. Serious inquiries only please.



Model: 1987 312
Location: Salem, VA
Asking Price: \$25,000

For Sale is a Designer Series Chris Craft Fittipaldi Equipe Stinger. It has Twin 454 Mercruiser engines with 365 hrs on one and 359 hrs on other. Has Alpha One Out drives and 14x25 Solas props. It's 37ft. Trailer was custom built by Roadrunner Trailers of Texas. Feel free to e-mail or phone me with any questions. Thanks' for looking. Here is some info about this Boat. This is the Boat that was in the Movie " Tequila Sunrise (1988)" The yellow stripe was added after the movie. It was bought from the producer of the movie. Also, it cost over 60K new.



Model: 1987 390
Location: Hilton Head Island, SC
Asking Price: \$89,500

1987 Chris Craft Stinger 42ft. Mercruiser twin 496 engines, Myco trailer, deck awning, head, 3 batteries and fiberglass hull. We purchased the boat as a hull then totally restored it about 10 years ago. About 6 years ago we installed two new 496 magnum merc cruiser engines with currently about 200 miles. We rewired the entire boat about 3 years ago. This season we replaced the manifolds so the boat has been maintained and is in good working order. I would characterize the finishes of the boat as "worn around the edges" but as hinges and snaps corrode we replace them. The boat has a working head & shower, galley, microwave/ref/sink, TV, stereo/cd/sat system, ipod dock, deck compass, GPS.



Model: 1988 202
Location: Rochester, NY
Asking Price: \$8,000

I have a super rare 88' Chris Craft Stinger 202 for sale. It has 165 hours on the hull. This boat is like brand new. I literally just finished it. This is the coolest fiberglass speed boat that Chris Craft ever made and was made for the Miami Vice TV series. They were built in very limited quantities and there are only a handful of these left. There is a website dedicated to them, I know of no other boats that have a cult following. I built this one to be better than it was originally. It is an attention grabber. I get compliments on it wherever I am and have had numerous offers on it even before I restored it. I'm selling it because I'm getting married and need the money. I just put well over \$7500 into it this summer alone and have well over 12K into it total. I had planned on using it but sadly it needs to go. Weddings are insanely expensive and I'm finding out the hard way. I replaced the motor and outdrive. It has an OMC 4.3L V-6 and an OMC Cobra outdrive. Next, I gutted the boat completely and installed new marine ply, fiberglass, carpet, custom built seats and engine cover and had everything professionally upholstered. I installed a new GT steering wheel, a Sony marine CD/MP3/satellite radio which sounds awesome, a new bilge pump, new fuel lines, new aluminum swivel/slider/adjustable height seat posts and new Tracker style folding seats. The interior work cost over \$4K alone but was well worth it. It came out awesome. I had a 4-bbl. Rochester carb installed which brings the HP up to 205 and will do over 60MPH. I had the pin striping re-done on the boat and matching Shorelandr trailer. I replaced the tires, lights, and started to strip and repaint the entire trailer. It also has a new deep cycle battery. There are 2 swim platforms molded into the stern that have teak foot boards and they were also refinished and look great. I also just purchased a new trailerable cover for it. I even just filled the tank with ethanol free 93 octane fuel. I'm probably forgetting a lot. If you're interested you must include the words "eighty-eight Chris Craft" to get a response due to spammers. I know it's the wrong time of the year to sell a boat and I could get more for it this spring which is why I priced it where it is. It is well worth the money. Chris Craft builds the very best boats around and this one is better than new.



Model: 1987? 202
Location: Aiken, SC
Asking Price: \$1,500

1987-21' Chris Craft 202 Stinger 1,500 lbs, small hole in bottom, easy to repair. No Trailer, Make an Offer! Price reduced for Faster Sale!!!! Deal of the DAY!!! No Out Board



Model: 1987 202
Location: Ballston Spa, NY
Asking Price: \$3,400

chris craft stinger 20foot v6 omc king cobra drive ss/prop morning cover ..with trailer has new tires lights road ready. water ready.. runs great clean title in hand.. 631/903-9994



Model: 1987 390
Location: Buford, GA
Asking Price: \$24,500

Fast 39' performance boat with a smooth ride and lots of power. Twin 625hp Mercruisers give the Stinger what you want in a boat. Speed and reliability. Deep V hull, stainless steel outdrive tie-bar, raw water strainers with thru hull, Halon, bimini top, twin cabin hatches. Newer tri-axle aluminum trailer available. Over \$75,000 invested, but you can buy both for \$29,500.



Model: 1987 312
Location: Harrison Township, MI
Asking Price: \$19,700

BAD ASS BOAT TRADE FOR FORD 4X4 TRUCK CREW CAB PREF LARIAT BOAT COMES WITH 2006 36 FT CLASSIC ALUM TRAILER. TWIN 454 MAGNUMS 3 SETS OF COVERS, FULL CANVAS NEW REMOTE SPOT LIGHT EXCELLENT CONDITION. IDONT NEED NO ONE TO SELL BOAT PERIOD . NEW CONTROL BOX MANY EXTRAS



Model: 1983 390
Location: Trenton, NJ
Asking Price: \$39,900

This boat must be seen to be appreciated! ... this model, the STINGER - was made very popular as it was featured in the very first season of the MIAMI VICE series in the 80's Dependable and Safe - Conservative 75+ MPH TOP SPEED and 50 MPH @ 3500 RPM Cruise Boat was originally built in 1983 before Murray take over, and has NOTCHED TRANSOM. This boat is in PERFECT condition and has always been well maintained as shown in the pictures below - You will not find a nicer example!!! 10 HOURS ON TWIN BALANCED AND BLUEPRINTED 454 (.60 OVER) 620 HP BLOWN CHEVY MOTORS B&M 250 BLOWERS WITH TWIN 850 CFM NICKERSON CARBS STELLINGS STAINLESS STEEL HEADERS (ELECTRIC AND PLUMBING SET UP FOR CMI MUFFLERS WITH AIR ACTUATION) MOTOR PARTS INCLUDE: EAGLE FORGED CRANKS EAGLE FORGED CONNECTING RODS CRANE HYDRAULIC ROLLER CAM CRANE ROLLER ROCKERS JE PISTONS CANTON HIGH CAP OIL PAN BILLET ALUMINUM OVAL FLAME ARRESTOR ALUMINUM TIMING COVER ALUMINUM VALVE COVERS MERCURY THUNDERBOLT IGNITION FLUID DAMPER BALANCER HARDWARE INCLUDES: ARP ENGINE FASTENERS SS BRAIDED FUEL LINES COMPLETELY RIGGED WITH STAINLESS STEEL FASTENERS THROUGHOUT ENTIRE BOAT Boat was repainted in 1992' with new single piece electric actuated lightweight engine hatch to facilitate easy access to engine compartment - and still has padded sun deck) ADDITIONAL UPGRADES INCLUDE: COCKPIT RE-UPHOLSTERED IN 1998 FRESH TRS DRIVES IN 2000 WITH BROVO 1 SS 4 BLADE PROPS FRESH BORG WARNER TRANSMISSIONS W/ HEAVY DUTY CLUTCH PLATES 2000 HYNAUTIC HYDRAULIC ASSISTED STEERING WITH MERCURY PRIORITY STEERING VALVE (which means boat will have power steering with either motor running) KEIKAFAER TRIM TABS NEW MERCURY HIGH PERFORMANCE KEIKAFAER POWER TRIM AND TAB PUMPS NORDSKOG SPEEDOMETER AND AUTOMETER GAUGES NEW FULL COCKPIT COVER AND FULL CANVAS WINTER COVER INCLUDED The following items are also available to the new owner: TWO TRS PARTS DRIVES - ONE SPARE TRANSMISSION - ALSO..... BEAUTIFUL MYCO TRIPLE AXLE TRAILER WITH TORSION SUSPENSION AND SS DISK BRAKES available for an additional \$9500.00!- (This trailer has been totally rebuilt and painted yellow in 2002' adding a full drive guard and top rail bridging.) Buyers are welcome to survey or inspection with appointment. The boat is kept indoors (out of the weather) in a private warehouse near Trenton NJ and is approximately 45 minutes from the Philadelphia International Airport.



Model: 1985 260
Location: Knoxville, TN
Asking Price: \$18,995

Own the Legend! Here is your chance to own one of the most legendary boats in the history of offshore. This is the 26' version of the Chris Craft Stinger. This particular model is the 260 SL limited. This features upgraded graphics and interior treatments as well as the iconic radar arch. This boat was repowered with completely rebuilt 1994 Mercruiser 5.7 (350) EFI engines in 2005. Get the look and performance of the classic twin engine V-8 offshore boat with the efficiency and reliability of modern electronic fuel injection (throttle body fuel Injection for you techies). Sorry, no accurate reading on the hour meters, but again the engines were completely (Crank, pistons, heads, etc...) rebuilt in 2005. This boat fires up every time, gives great performance, with a smooth ride that most new boats can't match. The cockpit including the stand-up bolster seats, rear bench seat and rear sunpad have also been re-upholstered (in roughly 2008.) The cabin has a beautiful dark grey colored factory embroidered upholstery and mirrored cabin ceiling giving the boat a luxurious and sophisticated look. This boat doesn't suffer from the audacious color schemes typical of boats in this age. The blacks, greys, and slivers of this boat will never look dated and this boat has a timeless appeal. The sound system on this boat rocks! Rockford fosgate amplifier, multiple subs and newer speakers both inside at out. The exterior of the boat shows nicely with no major "dock rash" but when upclose to the boat the graphics to show their age with some "cracking in the vinyl graphics (ie... stickers.)" The boat looks awesome from ten feet away and would be the perfect candidate for a re-wrap or absolutely can be enjoyed as



it is. This is a LOT of boat for the money, with an amazing heritage and pedigree and updates in all the important things. The price includes a triple axle trailer. GPS Power Inverter Newer Battery Charger / Maintainer Newer Batteries Dual batteries in the engine compartment and a separate battery for the stereo system VHF Radio Remote Spot Light Flat Screen TV in the Cabin



Model: 1986 260
Location: Dawsonville, GA
Asking Price: \$950

Project hull needing power. No Mercruiser motor parts included. This boat should be restored. Save this boat from being recycled. We can offer just the boat hull with no Mercruiser power for \$950
GENERAL INFORMATION
Insurance Check Insurance Rates Manufacturer Chris-Craft Model Year 1982 Model 260 Stinger Mercruiser Twin Cut Price \$2,900.00* reduced to only \$950
Color Red Stock Number: Stinger
MEASUREMENTS Length (feet) 26
BODY Hull Type Deep Vee Hull Material Fiberglass
ENGINE & DRIVETRAIN Fuel Type Gas Drive Type I/O - Twin OTHER Warranty none



Model: 1987 202
Location: Castleton, VT
Asking Price: \$3,495

This is a 20'2" Chris craft stinger , rare boat ,this one has a v8 mercruiser , boat is in good condition but does need seats covered ,still in the water till Nov 10 ,a lot of fun to drive



Model: 1985? 260
Location: Nashville, TN
Asking Price: \$2,100

1985 26ft stinger, hull in great shape no damage. boat comes with good aluminum continental trailer. comes with outdrives with new gimball bearings etc.(no engines) set up for twin small block chevys. some of the new interior already installed. boat has been store inside allways. just needs cleaned up and your power. 2100.00. have good title cash only



Model: 1988 375
Location: League City, TX
Asking Price: \$20,000

Like new interior, new upholstery on sun deck, Classic grey in color with red and white accents, Roomy cabin and stand up head with shower attachment. Comfortably carries 8 passengers. Garmin GPS included. Twin engine new bravo drives and stainless steel props, Polished triple axle aluminum trailer custom fit to boat. One motor needs some work. Includes full cockpit cover with new snaps. This one is a real looker...don't miss this it turns heads and is a classic.



Model: 1984 260
Location: Vermillion, OH
Asking Price: \$7,900

Beautiful 1984 Chris Craft 260 Stinger, Fresh Water Used Only, Owner is very fussy! Boat has twin 350cid Mercruisers Engines. Boat has been repainted back to original colors, rebuilt 4 barrel carbs, mild street cam, aluminum high rise intakes, 4" exhaust risers, blastic props, stainless steel tie bar, Trailer Included, Pump Out Head, Much More Included



Model: 1986 202
Location: Forked River, NJ
Asking Price:

1986. 21ft Chris Craft Stinger. new engine, 0hrs. Many other new parts. Engine is currently out of boat. Great winter project boat!!! Title in hand, trailer included.



Model: 1984 312
Location: Vancouver, BC, Canada
Asking Price: \$18,800

32 foot cigarette style off shore boat. New hi performance 454 motors gill exhaust with stainless pipes. Stainless props tie bar counter rotating drives. Incredible rough water boat Triaxle trailer with new led lights,brakes,and bearings. Own a" Miami Vice Legend." Other smaller off shore boats available. may accept interesting trade For more information please email with phone number Thanks



Model: 1988 260
Location: Cumming, GA
Asking Price: \$6,000

'83 Chris Craft Stinger 26' sport cuddy powered by twin 260hp Mercruiser engine systems; runs excellent! Amenities include cd player, porta potty, sink, bimini top, and full enclosure. Nice tandem axle steel trailer included.