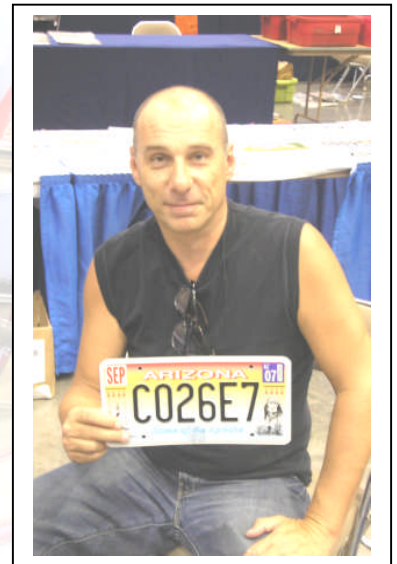


Arizona License Plate Society

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

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How did you start collecting plates? Was there someone who was your mentor?

I started collecting license plates on my first vacation in the U.S. At this time I looked for US Car parts from the 1950's and I saw my first license plate on one of the old cars. The junkyard guy told me to take as many as I wanted for free. That was in 1991.

How did you hear about the Arizona Regional?

I learned of the Arizona meets through Bob Taylor.

What plates do you collect and which are your favorites? Where do you get most of your plates?

I am collecting all new U.S. graphic plates.

Do you have tips for newer members on the best places to acquire plates?

Sure – maybe on www.license-plate-store.com or at any ALPCA meets (and at ALPS meets)

How often do you make it to Arizona License Plate Society events?

I make about 3-4 meets per year.

Which plate in your collection has the best story?

Two years ago I went on vacation in Missouri. At a 1950's restaurant I talked with a guy about 1950's cars. I told him I'm collecting license plates and he said, "Here, you can have my plate." It was a Missouri "Saint Louis Zoo" plate with a lion on it.

How many plates are in your collection? What types? What do you wish you had more of?

I have about 280 plates in my collection. I wish I could get more NY, SC, MD, and NC Special Issues.

Do you display your plates?

No – I do not display my plates.

What other non-license plate hobbies do you have?

I am interested in US cars like street rods and Harley Davidson motorcycles.

Let's hear about you! Please contact Clark Wothe if you would like to be featured in the ALPS Member Spotlight!

