

1995 Silhouette



by Oldsmobile

— YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE
TO GIVE UP DRIVING
PLEASURE SIMPLY BECAUSE
YOUR FAMILY IS GROWING.

If you think driving pleasure is something you have to give up when your family needs the space of a minivan, we invite you to experience the Silhouette. — Riding with the 7 passenger seating and unusual cargo capacity of a minivan, Silhouettes offer you the ride and comfort of a refined sedan. Inside, it's well-equipped with comfort and convenience features. On the road, Silhouette responds with smooth, powerful performance: a 3000 V6 engine gives it more standard horsepower and torque than any other minivan. And when you drive Silhouette, you'll feel a reassuring sense of security, thanks to its advanced safety features. — For 1995, Oldsmobile offers you a better way to buy a Silhouette. We won't have to go through the hassle of comparing a lot of confusing models and option packages. Because Silhouette gives you the simple choice of one well-equipped version. Series 2 comes complete with our most popular features as standard equipment, while Series 3 adds extras you wouldn't expect to find on a minivan. — Whatever you choose, you'll get a lot of minivan for your money. Now, that's a pleasure.

Silhouette gives you ROOM and VERSATILITY, without making you sacrifice driving ENJOYMENT.





Venture in Driftnote Reality.

The Safety Factors

A FAMILY VEHICLE SHOULD GIVE YOU A REASSURING SENSE OF SECURITY, WHICH IS WHY VENTURE IS ENGINEERED TO HELP YOU PREVENT AN ACCIDENT. CHEVROLET'S 3600 V6 ENGINE RESPONDS WITH POWER ON DEMAND. FOUR WHEEL ANTI-LOCK BRAKES AND POWER RACK-AND-PINION STEERING HELP YOU NAVIGATE CONTROL, WHILE FRONT WHEEL DRIVE AND AVAILABLE TRACTION CONTROL GIVE YOU SUPERIOR STABILITY. OF COURSE, IF A COLLISION OCCURS, VENTURE IS ENGINEERED TO HELP PROTECT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. A DRIVER SIDE AIR BAG IS STANDARD. THE CHASSIS STRUCTURE INCLUDES FRONT AND REAR CRUSH ZONES AND SIDE DOOR BEAMS TO HELP ABSORB AND GUIDE CRASH ENERGY AWAY FROM THE PASSENGER CABIN. AND THE INTERIOR IS DESIGNED WITH FLAME RETARDANT FABRICS, IMPACT ABSORBING PADDED SURFACES AND AVAILABLE INTEGRATED CHILD SAFETY SEATS.

Venture is designed to help you PREVENT an accident and to help PROTECT you when a collision is unavoidable.



A computer-controlled anti-lock braking system (ABS) helps the driver maintain steering control by maximizing the chance of wheel lockup and skidding when braking.



A driver-side air bag is standard on every Venture. Remember you should always wear your safety belt, even with an air bag.



Integrated, triple air belt child safety seats are a convenient way to help protect small children. (Available on Series I and Series II.)

Its overhead console includes a compass, map light and wireless temperature display, plus storage compartments for your gear. Air vents, sunglasses and other items.



The car opens Silhouette's power sliding door from the driver's seat. From the rear seat and over the rear window, it's a safety precaution: the door will open only when Silhouette is in Park, and the power function can be deactivated if you wish to operate the door manually. Chevrolet's air Series L, standard on Series II.



Silhouette's available auxiliary rear climate control system allows your rear seat passengers to adjust airflow to their preference.

Silhouette's power windows include a driver's one-touch feature for quick and secure the driver to fully lower the window.

Comfort & Convenience

WHEN YOU'RE BEHIND THE WHEEL OF A SILHOUETTE, YOU WON'T FORGET YOU'RE DRIVING A MINIVAN. THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S SOON A PLEASURE TO DRIVE. WITH STANDARD EQUIPMENT LIKE A POWERFUL 200-VA ENGINE, SILHOUETTE 4-SPEED AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, POWER STEERING AND CRUISE CONTROL, SILHOUETTE DEFINITELY HAS THE FEEL OF A LUXURY SEDAN. IT'S ALSO WELL-EQUIPPED WITH AMENITIES, INCLUDING REMOTE-CONTROL REVERSE ENTRY, AIR CONDITIONING AND AN AMPLIA CASSETTE STEREO. BUT MAKE NO MISTAKE, SILHOUETTE IS A MINIVAN. SEVEN PEOPLE CAN FIT COMFORTABLY IN ITS COMFORED BUCKET SEAT, AND IT GIVES YOU THE AERIS CONVENIENCE OF A JOCKABLE CHAIR. CHAIR CONSOLE STORAGE COMPARTMENT, AS WELL AS CUPHOLDERS, STORAGE SPACES AND READING LAMPS FOR FRONT AND REAR PASSENGERS. PLUS, SILHOUETTE OFFERS SOMETHING YOU WON'T FIND ON COMPETITORS: MINIMING A POWER SLIDING SIDE DOOR THAT NOT ONLY MAKES IT EASIER TO GET IN AND OUT, BUT ALSO HELPS CLOSE THE DOOR WHEN YOU'RE HARRASD ON AN INCHING. (AVAILABLE ON SERIES L, STANDARD ON SERIES L.)

Silhouette gives you the CONVENIENCE of a minivan with the COMFORT of a luxury sedan.



Silhouette Series II with seating area trimmed in Medium Gray leather.

Versatility

OLDOMOBILE'S MODULAR MAX SEATS LET YOU REARRANGE THE INTERIOR TO FIT ALMOST ANY COMBINATION OF PASSENGERS AND CARGO. ALL THE REAR SECKET SEATS ARE EASY TO FOLD INTO TRAY TABLES OR FLAT CARGO SURFACES. OR YOU CAN REMOVE THEM COMPLETELY — EACH WEIGHS ONLY 34 POUNDS AND NO TOOLS ARE REQUIRED. BUT OLDOMOBILE'S VERSATILITY DOESN'T STOP THERE. IT ALSO GIVES YOU THE EXTRA CARGO CAPACITY OF A ROOFTOP LUGGAGE CARRIER, AND THE AVAILABLE TOWING PACKAGE LETS YOU TOW 3,000 POUNDS!* WHEN A MINIVAN GIVES YOU THIS TYPE OF FLEXIBILITY, REST ASSURED IT CAN KEEP UP WITH YOUR FAMILY'S CHANGING NEEDS.

*Includes passenger, trailer, wind, and equipment. Checklists on items 317.



Oldsmobile can carry more people.

Or even 112 cubic feet of cargo.



Or any combination in between.



Oldsmobile's removable modular seats give your FAMILY the VERSATILITY you demand of a MINIVAN.



Oldsmobile's power sliding doors can be opened from up to 11 feet away with the remote-control, hands-free system. Oldsmobile Series II shown in Medium Atlantic Blue Metallic.

Oldsmobile introduces a simpler, BETTER way for you to buy a minivan.

After all, it's your MONEY.



*Subaru's new modular seats give you EXACT the
VERSATILITY you demand of a MINIVAN.
Shown with an integrated child safety seat (second row, passenger side).*

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Minivan by Oldsmobile Model

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YOU SHOULD FEEL AS
GOOD ABOUT BUYING
YOUR NEW MINIVAN AS
YOU DO DRIVING IT.

Buying a new minivan SHOULD be fun. But we know that cutting through options and haggling over prices can make it a frustrating experience. So not long ago, we began to explore a new, simpler way to buy an Oldsmobile. First, we simplified the selection process by making our most popular options standard equipment on most models. To simplify our pricing, we removed the confusing discounts and rebates. But we left in the savings. The response was so encouraging, we've gone a step further for 1993. This year, every Oldsmobile model is available in just one or two versions that are so well-equipped, there is only a handful of options to consider. And we've simplified pricing across the board, enabling your Oldsmobile retailer to skip the haggling and quote you the best possible price right up front. Simply put, our new way of doing business means Oldsmobile now offers you even more minivans for your money... and a more enjoyable way to buy it. And that's certainly something you can feel good about.

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PT Cruiser. 1998. MSRP \$19,999.

Uncomparable Value

ALONG WITH VERSATILITY, CHRYSLER OFFERS THE COMFORT, CONVENIENCE AND SAFETY FEATURES YOU'RE LOOKING FOR IN A MINIVAN — ALL STANDARD. ECHOLETTE SERIES I INCLUDES A 3000 V6 ENGINE, 4-SPEED AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, DRIVER-SIDE AIR BAG, ANTI-LOCK BRAKES, POWER REAR AND FRONT SEATING, AIR CONDITIONING, POWER WINDOWS AND DOOR LOCKS, CRUISE CONTROL, TILT-WHEEL STEERING, REMOTE-CONTROL KEYLESS ENTRY, 44/74M STORGE WITH CASETTE, OVERHEAD CONSOLE, 400/70P LUGGAGE CARRIER AND DEEP-TINT GLASS. SERIES II ADDS LEATHER-TRIMMED SEATING, 4-WAY POWER DRIVER'S SEAT, REMOTE-CONTROL POWER SLIDING SIDE DOOR AND STEERING WHEEL TOUCH CONTROLS. SO WHY SETTLE FOR LESS?



We invite you to COMRADE your van with other minivan.

We don't think you'll find a better VALUE anywhere.

Chrysler's 3000 V6 engine delivers 210 hp and 227 lb-ft of torque. For 1998, this engine has been selected as one of the most reliable and spacious minivans ever.



With the steering wheel touch controls, you can adjust the audio system without taking your hands off the wheel or your eyes off the road. (Standard on Series II.)

WE WANT YOU TO BE SATISFIED WITH YOUR NEW OLDSMOBILE LONG AFTER THE SALE.

In addition to a comprehensive warranty, we also offer courtesy transportation, provide 24-hour roadside assistance and even guarantee your satisfaction. Which may not sound so important right now, but you'll appreciate them should the need ever arise. Just ask one of our owners.

You've locked your keys in your minivan. Which means you and your kids are also locked out of the house. Big problem? Not for Kathy Lind of Oak, Pennsylvania. She called 1-800-442-0125 and in no time had a new set of keys, at no charge.



Kathy went on, "I was worried I wouldn't get assistance quickly. But that was not the way it turned out. Your phone operator was so friendly and efficient. She reached a locksmith who was there in a short time. Thanks for working so hard to do a great job." (Edited for length and clarity only. Complete letter on file.)

As an Oldsmobile owner, you'll get the Oldsmobile Edge:

Bumper-to-Bumper Warranty

Every part of your Oldsmobile is covered under our warranty, except tires (they have their own warranty), for three years or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first. And you won't have to pay a deductible.

24-Hour Roadside Assistance

We'll be there to help you 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, during the warranty period. All you need to do is call our toll-free number. There are also 24-hour emergency facilities ready to help you.

Courtesy Transportation

When you drop off your Oldsmobile for same-day warranty service, we'll give you a free one-way shuttle up to 50 miles. For overnight service, we'll give you a loaner or reimburse you up to \$30 a day for transportation.

Guaranteed Satisfaction

If you're not satisfied with your new Oldsmobile, you can bring it back within 30 days or 1,000 miles, whichever comes first, and receive full credit toward the purchase or trade-in of another new Oldsmobile.

THE GM CARD

Every time you use the so-called "Big GM MasterCard," GM will credit 3% of your purchase toward buying or leasing a new Oldsmobile. It could mean saving thousands, even thousands, of dollars. Call 1-800-800-GM CARD for more information, including annual limits and restrictions.

ACCELERATED EARNINGS NETWORK

Your participating GM dealer for up to 10% in GM Card savings on eligible parts and service transactions. Call 1-800-842-0040 for more information.

SMARTLEASE

SmartLease lets qualified customers pay for the portion of the vehicle they use, rather than paying for the entire vehicle in job world with traditional financing. You'll also enjoy lower up-front costs and lower monthly payments. Plus, you'll be able to drive a new vehicle more often or drive a higher-priced model. Ask your Oldsmobile dealer for more information.

FOR OCCUPANT PROTECTION:

- Driver-side lap/shoulder belt with automatic pretensioner
- Manual lap/shoulder safety belts, overhead bar seat positions
- Manual belt safety kits, second-row center seat position
- Energy-absorbing steering column
- Energy-absorbing instrument panel
- Reinforced wind shield glass, window frames
- Tempered safety glass, side and rear windows
- Head-curtain side-impact
- Side-impact beams
- Head restraint, adjustable driver and right front passenger
- Dual air bags
- Roll-over safety (rollover protection)
- Safety door locks and door restraint components
- Sliding door child-safety lock
- Diagnostic drive, locking system
- Tires and tire tread wear
- Pressure lock indicator cap

FOR CRASH AVOIDANCE:

- Side mirror lamps and reflectors
- Parking lamps
- Keep-behind courtesy flashes
- Back-up lamps
- Center high-mounted stoplamp
- Directional signal control
- Windshield defogger, outside rear-view mirrors
- Side-impact protection system
- Headlamp washers
- Brake system with dual master cylinder plus warning light
- Anti-lock brakes
- Power steering assist
- Dual-wire hood latch (from springs)
- Two-glass front (front windshield) wipers, wiper arms and blades
- Safety seat belt use
- Tire lock bolts to thread most nuts/bolts
- Headlamp beam and defogger controls
- Antirust/anti-rust coating
- Double door body lining over moldings
- Electric rear window defogger
- Door warning light/indicator

FOR THEFT DETERRENCE:

- Theft-deterrent steering column lock
- Remote trunk lock system
- Theft-deterrent immobilizer system
- Laser-activated VIN plate
- Modified body parts (where applicable)
- Theft-deterrent key locking system

IMPORTANT WORDS ABOUT THIS CATALOG:

We have tried to make this catalog as comprehensive and factual as possible. We reserve the right, however, to make changes at any time, without notice, in price, color, material, equipment, specifications, models and availability. Your sales information may have been updated since the time of printing. Please check with your Oldsmobile dealer for complete details.

• A WORD ABOUT ENGINES:

Oldsmobiles are equipped with engines produced by different operating units of General Motors, its subsidiaries or suppliers to GM worldwide.

• A WORD ABOUT ASSEMBLY:

Oldsmobiles are assembled by different operating units of General Motors, its subsidiaries or suppliers to GM worldwide. Oldsmobile incorporates thousands of components produced by different operating units of GM, its subsidiaries or suppliers to GM worldwide. No component had to be necessary to produce Oldsmobiles and different or differently sourced components share originally identical. All such components have been approved for use in Oldsmobiles and will provide the quality performance associated with the Oldsmobile name. There are no options that are available when your vehicle is assembled, so suggest that you verify that your vehicle includes the equipment you ordered or, if there are changes, that they are acceptable to you.

• A WORD ABOUT UPDATED SERVICE INFORMATION:

Oldsmobile regularly sends its owners useful service bulletins about Oldsmobile products. Oldsmobile monitors product performance in the field. We then prepare bulletins for servicing our products better. When you see get these bulletins, we ask your dealer to get additional information, call toll free 1-800-331-4223.

• A WORD ABOUT CORROSION PROTECTION:

Oldsmobiles are designed and built to resist corrosion. All body steel components are galvanized against rust, although some corrosion for use parts are 100,000 miles, whichever comes first. There is also an additional five-year/50,000-mile warranty on the exterior body panels.

• A WORD ABOUT WARRANTIES:

The GM 3-year/36,000-mile bumper-to-bumper warranty covers repairs for any new Oldsmobile, including labor and parts, in normal use unless it occurred in an accident or accident occurring during the warranty period. The complete vehicle lease plan, which are covered by their manufacturer's will be covered for three years or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first, with no deductible charge. See your Oldsmobile dealer for terms of these limited warranties.