

Brian Hockney - 1997 XK8

I have not been a member of a car club previously. This was recommended by a number of friends of mine.

I have always been interested in old cars. My father was a car dealer, with agencies with Toyota and Honda.

I own a 1997 XK8 Jaguar. I have previously owned a 1927 Chevrolet buckboard, and a 1985 Maserati and a 1980 Mercedes 450SL.

My XK8 was initially sold new in Sydney. I bought the car from a business man in Victor Harbor who in turn bought it from an old farmer in the Fleurieu Peninsula. The car had spent some time sitting in a paddock and deteriorating. I have restored the XK8 and it has now travelled about 170,000km.

Cheers.
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