



CHRIS-CRAFT STINGERS

Welcome to the April, 2013 Newsletter!

Welcome to the April, 2013 edition of the chriscraftstingers.com newsletter.

The registry now contains 554 Stingers – 3 more than last month. Activity on the website continues to pick up, and a number of boats have been sold. I strive to keep the “For Sale” section of the website as up-to-date as possible. I routinely send out emails to verify the boats are still, in fact, for sale. If you are interested in listing your boat on the site, feel free to contact me at ccstinger@gmail.com.

I continue to look for Stingers that might not be in the registry. I search the Internet, look through for-sale sections in periodicals, and keep an open eye when driving through areas I have not been before. If you happen to come across a Stinger, feel free to forward the information on it to me. If I don't have it in the registry I will add it. If I already have it I might be able to tell you a little about it.

Until next month,
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First Stinger?

This past month I received an email with the following text: “First Stinger?” The subject line of the email was “Excalibur by Chris-Craft 1979”. Needless to say, I was intrigued.

The history of the early Stingers is not very clear. Chris-Craft got into building deep-v offshore boats in the

late 1970s through a licensing deal with Excalibur. Excalibur, at the time, was building a 31' hull. At some point, Chris-Craft started building the 31' Excaliburs which would eventually become the 312 Stingers.



In the registry, one can find some examples of Excaliburs built by Chris-Craft. They can be identified by their hull numbers – their hull numbers start with CC, the builder code for Chris-Craft. Up until now, I've known about the Excaliburs built by Excalibur, and I've known about the Excaliburs built by Chris-Craft. The email I received last month was about to add another piece to the puzzle.

In researching the history of the Stingers, I've talked to one person who mentioned that there might be Excaliburs out there with Chris-Craft badging, but that were built by Excalibur. Following up with the sender of the email I received last month, I was able to determine that his boat is one of these boats. The boat has a hull number that starts with NAP which is the builder code for Excalibur. This boat, however, had Chris-Craft badging.



With this information, a clearer picture comes into focus regarding the lineage of the 312 Stingers. Excalibur was building a 31' hull. At some point, through a deal with Chris-Craft, they started building Excaliburs for Chris-Craft. Then, Chris-Craft started building Excaliburs themselves. Finally, the Excalibur model was renamed to Stinger.

As to answering the question first posed to me in the email: is this the first Stinger? I'm sorry to say, I'm not sure. The hull number for the boat follows a slightly different pattern than Chris-Craft's hull numbers. The number 361 shows up where I would expect the number of hulls built to show up – if 361 is correct, that would mean Excalibur built 361 31' hulls. But I find that hard to believe as Excalibur was a smaller boat builder. And, of course, I can't be sure this is the first Excalibur with Chris-Craft badging that Excalibur built. The only way to really confirm would be to find both the last Excalibur built without Chris-Craft badging and the first Excalibur built with Chris-Craft badging – assuming it still exists!

If you are interested in seeing more full-size pictures of this unique boat, search for BeeSting on the galleries page.

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: 1982 312
Location: Colfax (Sacramento), CA
Asking Price: \$25,000

Selling my 35 foot Go Fast Boat 1982 Chris Craft Stinger 312 SL. TWIN Engines! Reliable, low hour (under 140 hrs) fuel Injected Mercruiser 502 engines (about 500 hp each). Well cared for and in incredible condition New Interior, just re-done in blue and white with Eddie Marine Billet Aluminum Seat Bolsters! I have moved and don't have the desire to store it and with new twin boys, we not use it much. Its time for someone else to enjoy her. 3 sets of props (mirage 25p and 27p, 25p cleavers) Triple axle trailer, just serviced. Just under 80 mph on GPS. \$25,000 Serious only and absolutely NO SOLICITORS!



Model: 1983 312
Location: Loretto, MN
Asking Price: \$9,000

Boat is apart. Twin 330 Horse Mercruiser 454's Velvet drive transmissions and TRS outdrives. On a steel galvanized trailer. Boat is white and blue and would need a complete interior. I have the old interior but needs to be redone. One of the 454's is freshly rebuilt. Stainless steel props. This would be a great performance boat when done. I just don't have the time to do it.



Model: 1984 260
Location: Miramichi, New Brunswick, Canada
Asking Price: \$12,000

28 foot stinger, completely redone from top to bottom! 454 with approx 550 horsepower, custom candy red paint job, thru hull exhaust, fresh engine and drive unit! price is firm!!!



Model: 1984 312
Location: White Lake, MI
Asking Price: \$14,999

UNIQUE AND AN EYE CATCHING 32-foot CHRIS CRAFT Stinger! Beige in color with red and black beauty stripes. Motors clean with excellent maintenance. Dual 454 Mercruisers (370 HP w 960 hours). Exterior Vinyl mint. The original cranberry interior is in excellent condition and sleeps 4 in cabin; not smokers and no animals. Camper canvas added to extend the Michigan boating season. Portapotty included. Handles well in the big water and ready for another trip! Fresh water boat. Road worthy trailer included.



Model: 1984 390
Location: Wheeling, WV
Asking Price: \$25,000

1984 Chris Craft 390X, Boat is in decent shape. comes with yard trailer. Twin 400 HP 454s with TRS Drives. New electronic ignition conversions. Engines run excellent, and have always been well maintained. Exterior is in nice shape, as are the drives.. Interior needs some minor refinishing due to sun faded vinyl, and leaking bow rail mounting holes.



Model: 1984 390
Location: Stuart, FL
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: 1984 390
Location: Duluth, MN
Asking Price: \$26,900

1984 Chris Craft 390 Stinger Boat for sale. Length overall with swim platform is 42'. Has two 454's with new velvet transmission, TRS drives, all new bearings and seals and Kieffer trim tabs. On triple axle Eagle trailer. Turn-key Miami Vice cruiser!



Model: 1985 260
Location: Lusby, MD
Asking Price: \$65,000

Too much to list - Complete Restoration, New Twin Merc 383 stroker packages with Bravo out-drives (all New, still under warranty(3yr warranty) and avail extended warranty. Complete drive-train put in last year. has trailer and kept on a boat lift, "all" work professionally done by Marina/certified mechanic. Not a handyman special. Have all receipts and documentation top to bottom. Comes with Slip fees paid for the rest of the year, full use and on remote controlled lift. ***Gauge cluster is the only thing on the boat that has not been upgraded, updated or replaced yet on entire boat*** Call for details Job Change, Moving to PA



Model: 1985 260
Location: Miami, FL
Asking Price: \$2,995

The legendary CHRIS CRAFT - 1985 STINGER - 26 ft. from the Miami Vice era, Best built boat in U.S. history with over 100 years of boat building. Certify Marine tech. private project boat, ready for re-power, have two Alpha Out-drives, all controls and gages, hall in fantastic condition, for sale with a aluminum trailer CASH If you need details , go to www.chriscraftstingers.com



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: 1986 222
Location: Point Edward, 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 holley, 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: 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 222
 Location: Key West, FL
 Asking Price: \$8,500

FRESH WATER COOLED GM 350CI --EFI (GM TBI) --ESI DISTRIBUTOR --ALUMN IMCO POWER FLO MANIFOLDS --SS RISERS - THRU HULL SS TIPS --KILL SWITCH --DUAL BATT - BILLET BOX HOLDERS NEWLY UPHOLSTERED (2009) ELECTRIC HATCH CUSION & REAR SEATS --FERRARI RED & WHITE-- --MARINE STAR BOARD ENG. COMPART. --TRANSOM MOUNTED SKI TOW POST --DOCKING LIGHTS --REMOVABLE SKY LIGHT CUDDY HATCH --FULL COVER & TRAVEL TONNEAU --COAST GUARD EQUIPPED OMC KING COBRA -- SS PROP -----SKEG, PROTECTED----- ALUMN MAGIC LOADER DUAL AXLE TRL.



Model: 1987 222
 Location: Elk Grove Village, IL
 Asking Price: \$7,200

REDUCED THOUSANDS 22ft. Chris Craft Stinger 222 (Baja Style) 70mph+ Full tank of gas-TURN KEY READY- buy today and BOAT TODAY! This well maintained Chris Craft 222 Stinger 22Ft. race boat runs FAST and LOUD!! * Third Owner *New Mercury Roller Motor in 1999 (from Mercury Racing) with 420hp (it is not a rebuilt motor or after market build) Approx. 200 hours. \$10,000 in parts and labor since 2006: (all receipts available)(67 hrs since work done) *New Eddie Marine Thunder Exhaust in 2007 *Alpha SS Drive with heavy duty parts in 2006 (this is not a standard alpha) *Thunderbolt 4 Ignition in 2007 *Mirage 3 blade stainless steel prop *additional work done includes: bellows, u-joint, gimbal bearing, belts, hoses, impeller, fuel pump, cap, rotor, spark plugs and wires, coil, radiator for power steering, battery, replaced wood under cushions on sun deck. Description: This deep v-hull is a smaller version of Chris Craft's 28ft. offshore racing boat *Bolster seating- Center helm (steering) with split shifter. VDO Gauges, docking lights *Bennett trim tabs. Race fairing. Motorized engine hatch. Automatic and manual bilge pump. All cabin, navigation and warning lights work. *Seats 5 adults, (Sleeps 2 adults in cabin- not common on a 22ft boat) *No rips, stains, or tears inside or out on vinyl, snap in carpet (No pets, No smoking) *Kenwood CD player. 400watt ADS amp 12 inch subs *Halon automatic fire system and additional fire extinguisher. life vests, flare, and type IV (Makes you Coastguard Approved). *Matching Oklahoma two axle trailer, custom wheels, surge braking system, new lights, newer tires. *Cockpit and Mooring Cover. Bumpers, anchor, bow and stern ropes, cooler, noodles, swim ways loungeer **** THIS BOAT COMES WITH EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO ENJOY BEING ON THE WATER ****REDUCED THOUSANDS** make reasonable offer.





Model: 1987 260
Location: Apollo Beach, FL
Asking Price: \$14,999

This is a very clean 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 260 on a 1995 Performance Trailer. This boat has been maintained with an open checkbook and it shows. The 350's have approx. only 40 hours on them, high rise Edelbrock intakes that are near new. This boat cruises at 3000 rpms or 35-38 mph with a top end of near 70 mph. It has a CD player, bolster seats, huge sundeck, refrigerator, swim platform with ladder, 2 stainless steel props. This one is ready for the water. It does come with a custom cover, however, it is age delicate and could be replaced. Really nice boat - Must see to appreciate it!



Model: 1987 312 Fittipaldi
Location: Dodge Center, MN
Asking Price: \$17,000

A great go fast boat that will impress everyone when flying by. Red in color with white and red accents interior that are stunning for the 30 yr old vessel. Grey interior for the aft cabin w/toilet, sink and older radio with room to spare. Radar arch with Lowrance depth finder for finding fish or that shoal. Twin 454 Chevrolet engines and out-drives that will push the boat to speeds of 60 and more. Triple axel aluminum trailer included that is very easy to pull and maneuver.



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 4bbl. 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: 1988 260
Location: Covington, LA
Asking Price: \$10,500

88 Chris Craft Stinger with 2- 330hpr 350 V8's We have redone all the exterior upholstery and 90% of the interior. New stereo and VHS Port engine has 50 hrs stbd has 300 hrs Remaining issues Stbd engine has a leaking exhaust manifold that needs to be addressed. I am connecting the stereo and VHS before it sells. I have also been reinforcing the swim deck. This boat is well worth the money and leaves plenty of room to make money on this boat if that is your choice. I have all documentation from new and from the original owner. Worth the time to look and see if it's your ticket to the Prop Stop.



Model: 1988 311
Location: Seminole, FL
Asking Price: \$9,999

1988 CHRIS-CRAFT 311 STINGER, THIS BOAT IS A STEAL AT THIS PRICE!!ITS POWERED BY TWIN 225 MERC'S 1997 MOTORS...ONE RUNS LIKE A TOP THE OTHER HAS A MIS TO IT..RUNS A LITTLE RUFF..1988 Chris Craft - Center Console - Twin 225 Outboard Merc's (1997 Motors) - Live wells- Arch Canopy w/ Black T-top - Triple Axle Trailer - Red Anodized Steering Wheel & instrument controls. Inside cabin is carpeted. Boat is in very good condition and has custom cover for boat. MAKE ME A REASONABLE OFFER WE WILL SHIP ANY WHERE IN THE WORLD CALL FOR A QUOTE!



Model: 1988 311
Location: South Shore, MA
Asking Price: \$20,000

1988 31 1/2' Chris Craft Stinger Center Console Performance Fisherman 2X Merc 200 HP engines, 1997; engines have less than 500 hours since new; always professionally maintained Stainless props Cuddy cabin with head and 7' V berth huge fish box, large live well white gel coat is absolutely mint, blue stripes have scratches Newer VHF, Brand new CD Stereo w 4 spkr Brand new fish finder and redundant depth sounder 164 gal. fuel tank Full mooring cockpit cover Upholstered cockpit has some new cushions Anchor, rode, fenders, dock lines Tri axle aluminum Float On trailer with BRAND NEW galv rims HUGE cockpit affords lots of room for fishing or family Boat is fast and a real head-turner and has always been maintained to the highest standard selling as I am looking at moving up \$20,000 or may trade for a Wellcraft St. Tropez or Trojan 10M



Model: 1988 312
Location: Pueblo, CO
Asking Price: \$21,500

33ft Chris Craft Stinger 312 1988 Twin Ford 460 7.5L V8 engines, only 360 hours on both, runs like a striped ape. 65mph on Pueblo Reservoir Great condition, everything works great, has freshwater sink, icebox, couch and table that turns into a bed with another bed up front, Sleeps 3 people 4000 Watt stereo with 15 speakers Meticulously maintained its whole life. Willing to trade for a Cabin Cruiser or House Boat. Can add cash to deal if your trade is worth more



Model: 1988 313
Location: Tarpon Springs, FL
Asking Price: \$39,999

1988 Chris-Craft 31.6 Stinger, By far the best Chris Craft Stinger you will ever find! I bought the boat 7 years ago and completely re-did the boat top to bottom, front to back. Everything works on the boat and runs like new. I live in Texas and only use the boat 4 days a year. Boat has Garmin 320C color GPS with SWFL blue chip and a Garmin 182C color fish finder. 6 disk CD stereo. Both T/225 Suzuki EFI engines were rebuilt with the outdrives being replaced with new out-drives and stainless steel Rapture counter rotating props. This boat is fast and beautiful and ready to fish or ride. The boat is professionally cared for by The Landing at Tarpon Springs. Has a custom canvas top covering the whole boat and comes with an all aluminum tri-axle trailer with new tires and wheels, brakes and lights. This boat is a must see if you want a classic, well built Chris Craft fishing boat. \$39999.



Model: 1988 313
Location: Houma, LA
Asking Price: \$21,000

1988 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 313. TOTAL REFURBISHED IN 2010. NEW AWL GRIP PAINT, RAYMARINE (RADAR, CHART PLOTTER, GPS, DEEP SOUNDER/FISH FINDER & AUTO POLIT. MARINE RADIO, RICHIE COMPASS, SONY STEARO W/ 400 WATT AMP. 4 UNDERWATER LIGHTS THUR HULL, DOCKING LIGHTS & SPREADER LIGHTS TWIN 2 STROKE 1990 MODELS VX 76 DEGREE 250 HP W/ ALL EVEN COMPRESSION, 450 HRS. YAHAMA FUEL MANAGEMENT GAUGE. 180 GAL. FUEL TANK. 2 LIVE WELL BAIT TANKS, 3 LARGE ICE CREST WELLS. WASH DOWN STATION. AUTOMATIC TRIM TABS. CABIN SLEEP 2 FORWARD ANCHOR WELL ALWAYS WAREHOUSED Magic Tile Alum. triple axle trailer w brakes & all new wheels & tires. VISIT WEB SITE

www.chriscraftstinger.com (Oh! Baby) 1988 313 for history.



Model: 1988 375
Location: Osage Beach, MO
Asking Price: \$37,500

Pump out head, frig, hot water heater, shower, shore power, cockpit cover, full cover, new isinglass, bimini top, sink in galley & bathroom. 1995 Fast Load triple axle trailer with EOH brakes & spare. Cruise speed is 50. 24 pitch Bravo I props. Boat produced in Bellingham, WA February 1988. Dyno sheets available. Make all offers - delivery available.



Model: 1988 375
Location: Grand Rapids, MI
Asking Price:

This boat is in excellent condition! Very clean and turn key!! Need sold!



Model: 1988 313
Location: Mt Sinai, NY
Asking Price: \$19,500

Center Console with Cuddy cabin. Two Mercury racing 225 3.0 liter outboards on a bracket and solid transom. Hardtop, with canvas. GPS and depth finder, fish finder. Three axle trailer with surge brakes.



Model: 1988? 311
Location: South Windsor, CT
Asking Price: \$7,800

1985 Chris Craft 31 Stinger / No MOTORS / Outboard Set up w/ Cuddy Cabin Fresh Paint / Good Interior \$ 4500 for boat only OR \$ 7800 with Trailer 2011 Venture 2 Axle Alum Trailer w/ Paperwork No Trades



Model: 1987 222
Location: Yucatan, Mexico
Asking Price: \$9,000

Chris Craft Stinger 200hp (new Monoblock 09) Almost Free! Rush has past, I am no longer in a rush to sale her. First serious Buyer will be very happy!! A TRUE EXAMPLE OF MY LOSE YOUR GAIN, I HAVE PRICED IT VERY REASONABLY, BOAT MONOBLOCK (POWERHEAD) WAS REPLACED IN 2009 AT A COST OF \$5000!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! MORE PHOTOS WILL BE ADDED IN THE DAYS TO COME OF THE POWERHEAD!!! WHICH IS LIKE NEW!!!! Up for sale is my Chris Craft 222 Stinger 1987 boat and trailer trailer has good tires, all match, great aluminum rims, fresh brakes, lines, etc, Comes complete with trailer, 1998 optimax efi 200hp out board mercury efi optimax, with less then 100 hours since new power head was installed new hydraulic steering system 2011 comes with trailer, anchors, lines, life vests, towable, everything I have 4 blade trophy prop, new prop kit, boat has been used in cancun for the last year or so, runs great, very powerful, over 80 in the ocean, and 100km in the laguna, great boat, easy to use, comes with new marine battery from costco, and all support materials. cuddy unfinished, ready for your final color choices, bulge pump, and on and on. call set up a viewing the white paint on the boat has begun to flake, revealing the gel coated gray under coat i have priced the boat as follows; 3000 for motor with very fresh powerhead from 2009, and 4 blade trophy prop 500 and steering system, controls 1500 for boat, trailer, life vests., flares, flare guns, waterproof case for personals, 2 portable 12 gallon gas tanks, new battery 2012 costco marine, battery box, battery selector, THIS IS NOT A JUNK BOAT, THIS ISNT A TRASH BOAT, THIS IS A VERY POWERFUL SPEED BOAT, NEED GONE ASAP! ORIGINALLY THIS WAS A 454 INBOARD, WHICH WOULD HAVE HAD NO BUSINESS IN THE OCEAN, IN 2005 THE MOTOR WAS REMOVED AND A OUTBOARD PLATE WAS INSTALLED, GIVING THE BOAT THE MUCH NEEDED ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FISHING. 100 PERCENT SEA WORTHY, TAKES ON ZERO WATER



Model: 1987 390
Location: Laurie, MO
Asking Price: \$9,000

Hull only and Triple axle trailer(Not shown) Hull has been rehabbed. I have all parts except transom assemblies and motors. Thanks.



Model: 1987 222
Location: West Chester, PA
Asking Price: \$2,000

I'm selling my 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 222. Has cuddy interior and no cockpit interior. 350 engine with very low hours. Alpha 1 out drive. Trailer. Very rare model. 222 only made in 1986 and 87. Great project boat. \$2000 OBO. Serious inquires only.



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: 1987 202
Location: Mine Hill, NJ
Asking Price: \$500

This 1987 20' Chris Craft stinger is definitely a project. It is the hull and the interior but has no motor or outdrive. The interior will need to be totally redone including some of the wood. The hull shines up nice when buffed, but has some stress cracks and gouges. There is a stringer in the engine compartment that looks as if it might have been replaced at one point and the fiberglass around it seems a little loose. This could be a very nice boat w/ some work. Bring a trailer as the boat sits on blocks and no trailer is included. I do have a clean title for the boat.



Model: 1986? 314
Location: Miami, FL
Asking Price: \$6,000

good boat nice beautiful boat without trailer 2 YAMAHA 250 1990 ALUMINUM BRACKET STAINLESS MARINE just bracket and motors worth what i want. possible trade for smaller boat or atv or Harley Davidson let me know what u got. same company that made Miami Vice boat



Model: 1988 312
Location: Harrison Township, MI
Asking Price: \$19,900

1988 Chris Craft Stinger Electronics & Navigation: -STANDARD HORIZON VHF RADIO -DATA MARINE DEPTH SOUNDER -KEIKHAEFER ENGINE CONTROLS -VDO ENGINE ALARMS -VDO DASH GAUGES -RITCHIE COMPASS -MARINE TEC FUME DETECTOR Options/Remarks: THIS IS A FRESH WATER SINCE NEW CLASSIC OFFSHORE WITH FACTORY ORIGINAL UPGRATED BRAVO ONE OUT DRIVES. SHE HAS BEEN SHED KEPT FOR THE PAST 20 YEARS UNDER COVER & IS IN NEED OF A NEW HOME. THE BOAT IS ONSIDE FOR COMPLETE INSPECTION AT OUR HARRISON TWP LOCATION. -SHORE POWER W/ BATTERY CHARGER -T-BAR -V-BERTH -WET BAR WITH SINK CABIN -REMOVABLE CARPET RUNNERS -REMOVABLE CARPET -PORTA POTTY -COCKPIT BOLSTER SEAT -FULL MOORING COVER -COCKPIT COVER -BATTERY SWITCH -TRIM TABS -SST PROPS



Model: 1987 390
Location: Toledo, OH
Asking Price: \$40,000

A BEAUTIFUL 1987 39 FT. CHRIS CRAFT STINGER WITH TRI AXL. TRL. 2 NEW CRATE ENG. WITH 1080 HP EVERYTHING IS NEW WITH PAPERS IF YOU EVER WANTED TO GET INTO THE OFF SHORE STYLE OF BOATING THEN THIS IS A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME. FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CALL 419 262 0201 ASAP BECAUSE WHEN THE SNOW COMES AND WE STORE IT ,IT WILL BE TOO LATE AND THE SPRING PRICE WILL PROBABLY BE AROUND 50K 60K WHERE IT SHOULD BE. NOT SELLING BECAUSE WE HAVE TO, BUT JUST NOT AN OFF SHORE STYLE BOATER (MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH AGE) BOAT HAS ABOUT 15 HRS. ON IT AND IT RUNS ABOUT 65 MPH HANDLES THE LAKE JUST FINE ENGINES ECT COST ABOUT 30K TRI AXLE TRL COST 7K PAINT JOB AROUND 20K CANVAS 1K NEW 4 BLADE 26" PROPS 2K SO YOU DO THE MATH AND GIVE ME A CALL ONLY ASAP @ 419 262 0201 THANKS FOR LISTENING



Model: 1983 390
Location: Ft Lauderdale, FL
Asking Price: \$59,000

Accommodations Air Conditioning Large Fwd Berth Port & Starboard Sofa's Enclosed Head Electric Head w/Sink & Fresh water Galley Refrigerator Sink w/Fresh Water Port Galley Sette Cabinet Electronics Uniden Depth Finder Compass Electrical Dockside Power Power Cord Batteries Battery Charger Navigation Lights Cabin Lights Deck & Hull Double Helm Seat Large Aft Sun Deck w/Grab Rail Cockpit Wet Bar w/Ice Maker Aft Cockpit L-Shape Seating (4) Fwd Deck Hatches Cockpit Cover Cockpit Teak Flooring Mechanical 2009 SMOH Current Hours 200 545 H.P. Dyno Sheets Available 454 .030 4.25 Stroker Eagle Cranks Eagle i Beam Rods SRP Pistons Hydraulic Roller cams RECT Port Heads 10'1 850 Demon's Holley Carbs Electric Fuel Pumps TRS Drives Rebuilt Borg Warner 72's Transmissions Trim Tabs Hydraulic Steering Bilge Blower Bilge Pumps



Model: 1984 260
Location: NJ
Asking Price: \$25,000

up for sale is my 1984 Chris-Craft stinger totally redone in 2010 boat has new interior paint graphics wiring gauges steering wheel out drives and more the list goes on .this boat has never failed me always gets lots on attention from the looks of it very nice boat turn-key. It has twin merc260 with alpha drives its a 27 foot very nice boat must sell 25000 takes it must sell asap just bought new boat cant keep both must go bring cash take it home



Model: 1986 315
Location: Toledo, OH
Asking Price: \$6,500

1986 31' Chris Craft Stinger for sale. Includes an Aluminum triple axle Magic Tilt bunk trailer. The boat is set up for outboard motors and it has factory set back brackets for increased performance over transom mounted models. Boat was completely rewired over the last year for 12 VDC and 110AC wiring. It has Seastar hydraulic steering and K plane trim tabs. Has Clarion sound system with remote control, 4 speakers plus a subwoofer and two amps driving them. Has pump out head with holding tank. Refridgerator. The boat is rigged for Yamaha motors with most all the rigging being new including Yamaha's fuel management sytem. Interior and cockpit upholstery are in good shape with a couple areas needing attention. Has a nice cockpit cover and has a brand new bimini top as well although the bimini top color does not match very well. This has been a multi year project that I have lost interest in. The boat currently has a pair of 2001 Yamaha 250hp motors on it, but they will be removed unless you want to buy them as well. Email for details on those if you like. Price is fairly firm, but I may take up to half the value in trade on a Polaris Sportsman ATV. This price is for the boat and trailer only, not the motors.



Model: 1984 260
Location: Hartford, KY
Asking Price: \$8,500

1984 Chris craft stinger 26 ft long has nice cuddy cabin 2 406 Chevy motors. Motors have been rebuilt .comes with tandem axle trailer.8500.00 or trade for big cubic big block Chevy motor



Model: 1986 222
Location: Naples, FL
Asking Price: \$5,000

CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 222 CLASSIC GO FAST BOAT 24 FT LONG WITH 3 SEATER COCKPIT AND CENTER DRIVER, HAS TWO FOLDABLE CHAIRS IN BACK , SEATS 5 BUT BOAT ALLOWS 6 PEOPLE ALL BLACK PAINT, NEEDS TO BE TOUCHED UP BOAT RAN GREAT TILL 5 MONTHS AGO ... I TRIED TO START IT RECENTLY AND FOUND OUT IT HAS A LOCKED MOTOR! IITS POWERED BY A 350 SMALL BLOCK. YOU CAN FIND THEM ON SWFL CRAIGSLIST FOR ONLY \$450 THEN U NEED TO INSTALL IT ALL PARTS ON MOTOR ARE STILL GOOD, STARTER IS NEW, MANIFOLDS AND RISERS GOOD CONDITION, HAS STRAIGHT SS PIPES " VERY LOUD" DRIVE IS NEW 2 YEARS OLD WITH 1 YEAR WARRANTY LEFT, ALL BILGE PUMPS, ELECTRONICS AND DRIVE MORKS FINE. I MOVE IN 3 DAYS AND IM TRYING TO SELL IT BEFORE THE MOVE IF NOT I HAVE TO BRING THE BOAT TO MY MECHANIC TO FIX CAUSE I HAVE NO PLACE TO STORE IT AND IT WILL NO LONGER BE FOR SALE .



Model: 1987 202
Location: Ballston Spa, NY
Asking Price: \$4,800

for sale chris-craft stinger 202. has new battery runs strong garage kept. with trailer title in hand for the boat. the trailer will need a homemade reg. trailer has new tires and rims. lights work..there is a v6 in the boat has a good speed prop. its not a race boat like i said v6 and is a great ride. come take look make offer I'm making room.



Model: 1987 415
Location: Washago, ON, Canada
Asking Price: \$43,000

1987 41.6 ft Chris Craft Stinger Rare boat Repowered with twin 572 super charged engines built by Hawk Marine Power Inc. TRS drives, Air condition, heat Tri axle trailer built by Oklahoma Offers - not interested in trades



Model: 1988 202
Location: Paoli, OK
Asking Price: \$1,500

I have a 20ft Chris craft stinger 202. It has the original v6 in it. It needs a few minor things fixed like cables and a new gas line, got a new lower unit for it but needs to be hooked up. Need to sell asap.



Model: 1988 260
Location: Hendersonville, TN
Asking Price: \$16,500

26'6 Chris Craft Stinger Less than 800 Hours Twin 350 Mercs Cuddy Cabin Freshwater boat always kept out of the water - covered SUPER CLEAN



Model: 1987 415
Location: St Clair Shore, MI
Asking Price: \$49,900

Just listed! Please inquire about this unique, freshwater Stinger with multiple upgrades, including a repainted hull, recently rebuilt engines, newer vinyl and trailer!



Model: 1984? 260
Location: Kennesaw, GA
Asking Price: \$3,000

1988 chris craft with 2-v8 350 ,,1 motor in great shape the other one needs a new block on it ,, my mechanic said its not going to be a lot .. No seats , So here it is you can have a nice boat for a lot less than what its worth... I already have another boat and a jet ski ,, that's the reason I'm selling this one.. \$\$\$\$ \$3.000 obo\$\$\$\$\$



Model: 1986? 260
Location: Mt Sinai, NY
Asking Price: \$2,900

SCARAB STYLE HULL TWIN 350 MERCURISER ALPHA CRUSADERS WITH 20 HRS, REBUILT OUTDRIVES, 26' ALUMINUM FLOAT ON TRIALER HOME MADE AS GOOD AS THE BEST TRAILERS. THIS BOAT HAS NEW EXTERIOR PAINT NEW MOTORS, EVERYTHING WORKS INCLUDING THE TOILET! THIS BOAT NEEDS MAJOR TLC ON THE INTERIOR ALL THE HEAVY STUFF IS DONE IT IS NOW TIME FOR A WOMENS TOUCH! THE BOAT LOOKS AND RUNS GREAT! CALL ONLY 631-365-2620 HAS MINT TRAILER NO PAPERWORK GOES WITH IT ONE OF THE ENHIBIES AINT TURNING OVER IT IS WORT 8k IN PARTS



Model: 1985 260
Location: Brick, NJ
Asking Price: \$13,000

i have 1985 chris craft stinger limited. With brand new twin stroker 383 450 hp each combined boat makes 900 hpmarine engines with fresh water flush with salt away wash out alpha 1 out drives just totally redone to handle the extra horse power of the stroker motorsand it has gill offshore dry exhaust racing system .it also has drop down bolster seats and blue neons throught the boat and a custom made alumium swim platform the boat has a ton of new parts like mercury racing trim pumps,new starters ,water pumps ,eddelbrock fuel pumps, new hoses, batteries, just rebuilt outdrives ,cleaver props, impellers, tons more to much to list spend \$16,000 in the motor compartment alone the boat comes with a roller trailer with a new winch and new rollers bot was only run 3 hours with new motors on land all work done by a mercruiser master tech boat needs back seat redone but everything else works on the boat just needs a little tlc to have an amazing boat but runs and drives great cash only in person any other offer will be deleted please dont low ball me if you know boats you will know the parts alone are worth more then im asking make me an offer just might take it no stupid offers please close to what im asking will be entertained





Model: 1985 312
Location: Perrysburg, OH
Asking Price: eBay Auction

1985 Chris Craft Stinger 312 SL Limited, One Owner from new, 342 actual hours. Mint Condition Twin 330 big block chevy mercruiser, borg warner transmission with trs drives. Kleaver props, stelling headers (green stamp full race) with shotgun exhaust silencers. All original interior, full gauge package, depth sounder, fuel sniffer, halon fire system, bilge pump, marine radio and antenna, diamond plate aluminum engine compartment, groco sea strainers, 125 gallon fuel tank, mercruiser quicksilver controls, momo steering wheel, aluminum radar arch, rear swim platform. 3 axle roadrunner trailer also in mint condition. When used always kept in dry rack, when not in use kept in heated garage.



Model: 1986 260
Location: Clearwater, FL
Asking Price: \$1,200

salvaged vessel, project vessel with glassed over transom, needs rub rail and refurbish, no motors, has original helm, original gauge panel, steering with original gauges, nice interior, original seats. Missing stern doors, bolsters etc. Vessel only no trailer. 4/5/2013: 1986 26 foot Chris Craft Stinger Vintage Power Boat Condition: used vessel, transom is re-glassed for outboards. No engines. Delivery: Pick-up only