



## Welcome to the May, 2017 Newsletter

This past month 4 more Stingers were added to the registry, bringing the total up to 836. In addition, a 1986 Stinger 314S was added to the "For Sale" section of the website.

For this month's newsletter, there are two articles – the first is a followup to last month's article regarding the Knytex Stinger. The second article is about another special Stinger, this time a 1984 390 called Black Magic that has an interesting link to the actor John Candy.

Until next month,  
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## Kyntex Stinger - Followup

Last month's newsletter featured an article about the Kyntex Stinger, a 1984 312 Competition Series Stinger that is the only known factory racing Stinger. The article detailed the history of the boat through 2015. The last known sighting of the boat was in 2015, on the water, in Lake of the Ozarks, MO.

After the last month's article was written, the boat re-surfaced for auction on eBay. According to the seller, the boat was repossessed by the bank that held the loan on it. The seller bought it directly from the

bank. The boat had a registration sticker on it good through 2019.

The auction for the boat ended on April 24, 2017. After 22 bids, the final bid was \$4,050 for the boat. The reserve price for the boat was not met.

The pictures posted of the boat show that the boat needs some work. The starboard outdrive has been removed from the boat (it comes with the boat). In addition, the cockpit and cabin need some TLC.

The auction for the boat is just the latest chapter in the sometimes sad history of this boat. I'd love to see the boat restored back to factory original, but it would take a lot of time, money and effort.

## Black Magic

In October 2015, I came across a 1984 390 for sale in Port Dover, Ontario, Canada. It was an interesting looking boat, but what really drew my attention was that the listing ended with the sentence "Once owned by John Candy." Could it really be *the* John Candy who owned this boat?

John Candy was a character actor best know for rolls in movies such as *Planes, Trains and Automobiles* and *Uncle Buck* (two of my favorite movies).

Candy was born in Toronto in 1950. At the age of 27 he joined the comedy group "Second City" in Toronto. After a few years in the group, he had gained a reputation for his humor. In 1979, he starred in his first movie, Steven Spielberg's *1941*. He would go on to act in such movies as *The Blues Brothers*, *Stripes*, *Spaceballs*, and *The Great Outdoors*. Candy passed away in March 1994 due to a heart attack.

When I saw the listing for the boat, I was excited. It's an interesting looking 390 in that it is, true to its name, black.



Other than what little information the listing had, I didn't know much more about the boat.

That changed this past month when I received an email from Tom Dmonkos. According to Tom, a good friend of his owned the boat after Candy. His friend owned the boat for over 24 years! Tom goes on to describe the boat: "it is all black with gold trim, and all the nameplates etc are gold plated not chrome like the other boats." In

addition, the boat was one of the few 390s that came with factory air conditioning.

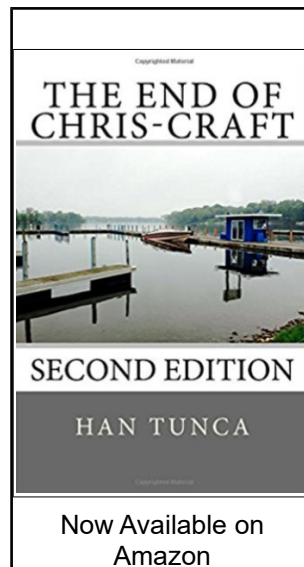
As for Candy owning the boat – according to Tom, Candy special-ordered the boat from Chris-Craft and had it for a year before selling it.

The boat itself, from the listing, seems to be in good shape. The asking price on the listing was originally set at \$42,900, and later lowered to \$32,900.

If you are interested in seeing more pictures of this boat, head over to the galleries section of the website and search for “Black Magic”.

### **The End of Chris Craft – Second Edition**

Just a quick note to say that the second edition of my book, *The End of Chris-Craft*, is now available on Amazon. The second edition has new information about Chris-Craft, and it correct mistakes from the first edition.



## 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 please contact me at [ccstinger@gmail.com](mailto:ccstinger@gmail.com).



Model: 1986 314  
Location: Belvidere, IL  
Asking Price: \$21,000

UP FOR SALE IS A 1986 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 314S CIGARETTE BOAT. IT IS CURRENTLY SHRINK WRAPPED TO KEEP THE WEATHER OFF HER. INCLUDED IS A TRIPLE AXLE TRAILER THAT HAS BEEN SANDBLASTED AND PRIMED. READY FOR REPAINT. TIRES ARE EDGY BUT SHOULD HOLD AIR. THIS BOAT IS SET UP FOR 2 OUTBOARDS PREFERABLY ABOVE 150HP. WAS TOLD IT HAD SOME REWIRING.



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 coat 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: Monroe, MI  
Asking Price: \$6,000

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. Distributors have pertronix electronic ignitions installed. Gauges are liquid filled about 8 years old. Trailer is aluminum I-Beam, all stainless hardware and disc brakes. The boat's been stored for about 4 years now so it needs a good cleaning. The interior is original and needs to be redone. 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. The hull, stringers, transom are all solid and everything was working good when we discovered the fuel leak. I'm selling the boat AS-IS, I won't be able to start it there's no gas and the batteries are dead. Price is Firm.



Model: 1984 260  
Location: Willsboro, NY  
Asking Price: \$4,000

1984 Chris Craft stinger model 260 SL. Twin Mercruiser 260 HP engines. Both engines run very good but one needs a new carburetor. Twin Alpha One drives with stainless steel cleaver propellers. Boat needs work but is usable in current condition. Currently winterized and shrink wrapped but can be seen. Was not used this season. Some cosmetic fiberglass work needed and upholstery needs work. Interior overhead fabric damaged in one spot. No trailer but currently sitting on a yard trailer that may be available. Fun boat to drive. 50 + MPH. Low retail from NADA is \$5610.00. More pictures available.



Model: 1984 260  
Location: Medford, NY  
Asking Price: \$2,900

26ft Chris-Craft Stinger 1984 with two Mercruiser 350cu.in. 260hp motors I/o's Drives are off boat. The boat is blocked up. No trailer. Needs work but is a beast of a boat that will do 60mph. Come and look at it and make an offer.



Model: 1984 312  
Location: Carrollton, TX  
Asking Price: \$15,900

1984 Stinger 312 SL Where to start, bought this boat and I completely reworked it, all that's left is the cuddy cabin, but figure the new owners could design it the way they wish. There isn't much that isn't new or rebuilt. New: mechanics GM 502 BB engines not even 2 hrs \$14,400 Holley 850 double pumpers Power Tech 4 blade Stainless props \$1,150 Flexplates \$350 Transmissions new bearings and seals \$500 Gimble Transom assembly \$600. 4 new batteries \$600 2 new fuel pumps \$350 2 new starters \$375 2 new alternators \$300 2 new distributors \$275 2 new bilge pumps \$125 Bennet auto tab controller \$375 New power steering assembly \$350 New belts All new hoses Exterior: All upper surfaces LineX'd \$4,700 Skinwraps on sides \$3,700 New rub rail \$400 Swim deck \$1,950 Tinted windows \$100 Black powder coated windshield frames \$400 Custom cockpit cover \$1,500 Interior: All new upholstery \$1,500 Racing seats \$750 Gussi steering wheel \$125 Trailer: Aluminum I Beam 8 new tires \$1,000 Winch \$125 New Surge brakes \$450 As you see I have spent a bunch on this boat it starts and runs perfect. Not even broken in yet. I'm located in Carrollton/Dallas, Tx serious inquiries only, will deliver for a fee. \$48,500 Obo



Model: 1984 390  
Location: San Antonio, TX  
Asking Price: \$49,500

Likely the finest original 1984 Stinger 390X in existence, particularly in the rare factory beige/brown/yellow/orange color scheme. Continues to have original hardware, colors, graphics, stereo, refrigerator, gauges, outdrives, engines, and MYCO trailer. Engines rebuilt Fall 2014, only 20 hours operation since. Trailer improved with disc brakes (were drum), new springs, master cylinder hitch assembly, tongue jack, line lock for backing, chains and more. Cabin now has Teak floor and brushed stainless fridge door. Cockpit updated with amplifier, Rockford-Foggate speakers, stainless counter/sink top, Teak floor and trim, new upholstery, new gauge bezels and powder coated surrounds and more. Engines extremely well cared for and start/run well. Outdrives received new bellows and carrier bearings Fall 2014 as well. Fresh cockpit, deck and bottom Awlgrip Awlcraft 2000 paint with professionally applied silicone anti-skid finish. Most of this boat's life was in Portland, Oregon in fresh waters of the Columbia River. Always high-and-dry or trailered. Currently in Southern California. This boat is a joy to own/operate, and particularly rewarding when answering to compliments, questions and admiration where ever you take it! Mionli Vice is truly an important part of American boating history, that is gaining value and more notoriety every day. It can be yours!



Model: 1984 390  
Location: La Mirada, CA  
Asking Price: \$14,000

Manufacturer: Chris Craft 390 Stinger 1984 Model: 390 Stinger with Triple Axle Eagle Trailer Name: Necessity Features: Engines Model: Twin Mercruiser 454 GM with New Velvet Transmission 1200 hp with 1000 hours TRS Drives All New Bearings and Seals Kieffer Trim Tabs Refrigerator/freezer Guest Switch Fire Suppression System Depth Finder Bilge Pump Head Length: 39 Draft: 4 Beam: 8.6



Model: 1985 260  
Location: Orlando, FL  
Asking Price: \$7,250

essentially this is a "one" Owner Boat as ownership has remained within same family since it was brand new. Here are the particulars:- 1985 Chris Craft Stinger 260 SL - Twin Mercury 260 I/O with Alpha Drives. - Just shy of 800 HRS on Motors. - Stainless Steel Clever Props. - Hull is rock solid with no cracks. - Cabin is good shape. - Boat has been sitting since 2011 and will need some work because of sitting. - Sale includes Aluminum Trailer rebuilt within past 6 months. - Boat is located in Central Florida. - Boat will definitely require some work, but is well worth it. Asking Price is \$ 7,250 OBO



Model: 1985 312  
Location: Sterling Heights, MI  
Asking Price: \$16,500

This boat has always been stored inside and never left in the water longer then the day. Twin 454's, stelling stainless steel headers, Trs drives, Lowrance GPS, 2 person headset intercom, 382 original hours. Asking 16,500.00



Model: 1986 222  
Location: Powhatan, VA  
Asking Price: \$8,000

1986 Stinger 222, boat is in very good condition. Chevrolet 350 Cu.in. rebuilt in 2014 has low hours. New bellows, trim senders and Gimbal bearing fall 2015. Rebuilt trailer 2015, new brake system , wheel bearings , lights and tires. Two stainless steel Props (Mirage and Chopper). Boat is dry stored now.



Model: 1986 312  
Location: Indianapolis, IN  
Asking Price: \$21,500

1986 Chris-Craft 312 Stinger. Twin 454 Mercruisers rebuilt to factory 420 specs. 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. I can text or e-mail pics. Motivated seller, make offer.. \$21,500.. OBO.



Model: 1987 415  
Location: Marine City, MI  
Asking Price: \$30,000

The boat is kept in my house inside well with hoist. The person i purchased it from purchased it in 1992 its been stored inside on its trailer. 2 502 big blocks risers with dual feed holley carbs and custom headers (not the original engines) very clean engine compartment. Fresh complete tune up, wires ,plugs distributor, coils and so on all high performance parts fall of 2015. I will be making a lot more improvements this spring. I don't have any pics of the cabin now but i will get some when its warmer or upon request. Its all in nice condition. Runs and sounds awesome, windy 2 foot chop 62 mph gps. Turn key boat.



Model: 1987 415  
Location: Pasadena, MD  
Asking Price: \$20,000

1987 Chris-Craft Stinger 415, High performance Cruiser. Runs excellent. Repowered 10 years ago with twin Gen VI 502 ci 435HP V8s. Uses regular gas. TRS drives were also replaced with new TRS drives with nose cones. Gimbal housings were also rebuilt with repower. Gil header system. Hired electronic fuel injection system. Mercathode corrosion inhibitor system. Fresh water cooling. Velvet drives. Teflon Bottom paint, Cabin water heater. Large porta potti. Spacious cabin \$20000. No scams please!



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: Kingston, NY  
Asking Price: \$4,500

Boat Hull is pretty clean, Imron paint two years prior to me buying her in 2013 (per previous owner), set up for SBC twins and alpha drives, off-color repaint spot, stbd side above rub rail. DOES NOT INCLUDE ENGINES, but includes drives, bennet tabs, all cables, rigging and harnesses in place. has drop down bolsters with adjustable headrests, but the upholstery is SHOT. the top edges are all split from sun and exposure ( prior to me owning it), no back seat and no sunpad cushions. cabin cushions are intact and upholstery is good. through-hull exhaust and integral swim platform. Chris Craft also puts the HIN on the hull itself so you can run it with the platform removed. Includes Boatmaster aluminum double axle trailer, needs new brakes, tires good, 6 lug wheels. I'm open to offers and possible trades (work van?) ( big Blocks?). she needs some work but I also restore these and i know what a great boat she will be again, i just happen to own several Stingers and i need to let one or two go.





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: 1988 311  
Location: Surfside Beach, TX  
Asking Price: \$14,500

This boat sank at the dock, and the front end went under in salt for a few hours. The console and back half remained dry, but at minimum the batteries, forward cabin wires and bow lighting wires must be replaced. This set of Mercury 2000 Optimax 225 engines are missing certain components – one compressor, one control module, but the cowlings are good, the lower units are perfect, and the stainless steel Mercury Vengeance propellers are included. Hours are unknown; these were taken off of a different boat. Project package includes the 8 foot wide HERMCO flotation bracket with swim ladder, plus Bennett trim tabs. There is a nice storage box across the back for gaffs, nets, spare filters, etc. Regarding the back end, the transom and floor were replaced in 2011, and there is now an abundance of Penske board under that pretty finish. The rock solid transom was raised to full height and its four inches thick. The plywood cored floor was replaced with Penske board, and now includes four in-floor holds. Includes rear jump seats to provide comfortable seating for four people at the back end. There are 12 seating positions on this boat, and 27 rod holders. A FURUNO 24 mile radar is mounted on the hard top, along with Lee outrigger bases and 15 foot outriggers. The forward half of the boat has spray rails, which are very effective in keeping everyone dry. There is also a FURUNO fish finder with flush-mounted Airmar transducer, Stereo, VHF and GPS unit. Overhead are 5 rocket launchers, a large electronics box, a hailing horn, LED spreader lights and accessory lighting. The full height Plexiglas windshield protects the helm, and there is also a 5-piece curtain set for when it gets rainy. Custom leaning post includes full width padding, four rod holders, 2 drink holders, 50 gallon live well with viewing window, 10 gallon fresh water tank, insulated storage for about 100 pounds of ice, and storage for trash. The boat has a remote control Go Light up front, but that was submerged and probably will not work. It rides on a year 2000 aluminum I-beam trailer. The forward cabin has room for two adults to stretch out for a nap, or use that area to store rods, tackle, water skis, gear and toys. The Aluminum I beam trailer has 2 axles, stout wooden bunks, tall guide posts and 2 new tires. Now for the bad: The insurance appraiser believes that the stringers are damaged somewhere near the middle of the boat, and they really should be replaced before this boat goes out bouncing through the Gulf chop. Easy fix: just cut the floor and attack/replace those from the top. If I had time and a workshop, I could do that myself in a couple of weeks, but I changed horses and bought a solid 28 foot boat instead. When this Stinger was running right, it could easily hit 50 mph on the GPS with two 200 horse outboards. It runs and rides a lot like other “go-fast boats” (think Contender, Baja, Whitewater, Donzi) and provides a very comfortable



ride. It is a deep V, with a 24° attack angle. The 170 gallon fuel tank is in good condition with no leaks, so the effective range with a pair of good engines is over 300 miles. Asking \$14,500 (estimate 6K for the engine pair, 2K for the Trailer, 6.5K on the hull - but would far rather sell the whole package) The boat is located in Surfside Beach, (near Freeport) Texas.



**Model: 1988 375**  
**Location: Tampa, FL**  
**Asking Price: \$105,000**

1989 Cris Craft Stingers '38 ~ professionally restored in 2014 for my friend who lives in Austria. He no longer has the time to play with this magnificent boat and hence asked me to post it on Craigslist. 2 rebuilt Yanmar 315hp diesels with only 200 hours since rebuild. Comes with the trailer Gorgeous boat ~ stored on trailer inside a clean warehouse. Ready to go. Everything works! Email me your interest and I'll send you my telephone number so we can talk. Is he flexible on the price?...I won't know until a real buyer steps forward.



**Model: 1988 375**  
**Location: Clemson, SC**  
**Asking Price: \$35,000**

For Sale: Chris Craft 375 Stinger, Bad XXX, Miami Vice, twin 460, King Cobra, excellent condition no scratches dings or cracks! All original! 37'8" of sexy! This girl is Big! Bad! Straight exhaust, 550 hrs boat and motors!



**Model: 1983 390**  
**Location: El Dorado, AR**  
**Asking Price: \$26,000**

Twin 454 420 HP Mercruiser engines. TRS outdrives. 2 extra props. New trailer Will sell without trailer for \$18,000 but will not sell trailer without boat. Will show more pics to interested buyers. This is an awesome boat for incredibly low amount of money.



**Model: 1987 260**  
**Location: Hialeah, FL**  
**Asking Price: \$15,000**

Here I'm selling my 87 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 260. Has two 350 small blocks with 69 hours. Runs good and has very nice interior. Has an all extreme trailer that looks new. Has swim platform and lights underneath platform. Has to many options to list. No joy rides.



Model: 1984 390  
Location: Southwick, MA  
Asking Price: \$14,500

1984 39 ft twin 454 engines one motor 10 hrs 100 hrs other TRS drives needs cabin re done porta potty . 3 axle trailer good shape



Model: 1987 260  
Location: Corry, PA  
Asking Price: \$3,000

1987 Chris Craft Stinger 250 w/ a 95 galvanized tri-axle trailer, twin mercruiser 5.7L engines (one brand new) Needs some work. Asking 3,000 obo



Model: 1985 312 Competition  
Location: Moscow Mills, MO  
Asking Price: eBay

1985 Chris Craft Stinger Boat We purchased this boat from a local bank it was a bank repo We purchased just the way you see it The outdrive was off just the way you see in the pictures The boat has a current registration that expires in 2019 So that means the boat was being used recently We haven't tested out the boat The floor is solid The engines look complete The boat is solid Trailer is included Good nice trailer



Model: 1989? 312 Fittipaldi  
Location: MD  
Asking Price: \$20,000

For Sale: 1989 334 [sic] Stinger Fittipaldi "Special Edition" Length 33'8" 10.26 m Beam 8'11" 2.72 m Weight 7300 lbs 3318 kg Fuel Capacity 180 gals 681 lt Draft Drive Up 2'3" 0.69m Draft Drive Up 3'1" 0.94m gen 6 454, bravo drive. aftermarket Gil exhaust less than 20 hours. port motor has fresh heads, other motor is merc sealed low hour (approx) 65. 330 replaced last summer. Drives, gimbles, k planes with all replaced 2 summers ago. 4 blade s/s props. 4 new batt, sony radio and amp. boat is all red with nice cockpit interior. cabin is bare. just carpet. 2nd owner. Boat is in MD stored since last October. possible trailer to go with.



Model: 1984 390  
Location: Port Dover, ON, Canada  
Asking Price: \$32,900

80 hrs on rebuilds trs drives 7018 borg trans. good interior exterior good bimini top air conditioning alum. trailer triple axel was owned by john candy @ one time



Model: 1985 312  
Location: St James, NY  
Asking Price: \$16,500

1985 32 ft Chris Craft Stinger - 2 counter rotated 454 fresh water cooled replaced engines. Rebuilt TRS drives and transmission. New control box, ship to shore, depth finder, extra canvas, mint trailer. Boat is very clean and fast.



Model: 1985 314  
Location: Huntington Station, NY  
Asking Price: \$7,500

Limited production Stinger came from the factory with stainless marine outboard bracket and twin outboards. This boat will need some work to get her back to shape. Boat was in dry rack during Sandy and sustained damage but did not sink. Twin 1997 Mercury 250 EFI outboards. Motors turn over but not run. Come see it and give me an offer. Clean title in hand. No trailer. The first pix are pre-Sandy. She was in perfect condition as you can see. If you are a scammer I will block you. Cash only.



Model: 1985 260  
Location: Murrells Inlet, SC  
Asking Price: \$26,999

1984 26 foot Chris Craft Stinger with twin 383 Stokers with Bravo OneX outdrives. Everything is in working condition. The boat needs an owner who is going to use it more then we have time for. This will not last call soon!



Model: 1986 222  
Location: Grattan, MI  
Asking Price: \$6,800

1988 chris craft 22ft stinger v8 mercruiser,,threw hull exhaust solid boat,,,well maintained asking 6800



Model: 1986? 222  
Location: Ontario, NY  
Asking Price: \$8,500

24'TRUE OFFSHORE BOAT Great in rough water! 24Degree v bottom, 350 Chevy built motor, alpha drive with IMCO internals. Boat is in great shape, must see to believe! Stainless prop. New gauges! Professionally maintained, no expense spared. Fresh water boat spent it life on the finger lakes. Interior good. Cuddy cabin hardly used. Boat never left in water. Garage stored, trailer is in great shape, aluminum wheels, lights all work, good spare. Ready to poker run! You won't find a better boat for this money!! This boat will not last!! Selling to put addition on House!



Model: 1987 202  
Location: Syracuse, NY  
Asking Price: \$2,000

1987 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 202, here's your winter project ! Comes with trailer , have paper work for both . Has 305 Chevy in it , also extra parts. Trades ??



**Model: 1987 312**  
**Location: Long Island, NY**  
**Asking Price: \$22,700**

Motors reworked in 2002 The boat was re-coated in 2002 Replaced the two drives with two new rebuilt mercury Alpha drives 6-11-2004 New muffler tips to lower noise levels added 2005 Added Tie bar to drives 2005 All new gauges and bezels were install and are now red Levorsi gauges 7-1-2006. All the open area upholstery was done over 5-26-2007 Trailer not included. Located in Freeport New York. This is a 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 31 ft with twin 454 big blocks. Motors reworked in 2002 The boat was re-coated in 2002 Replace the two drives with two new rebuilt mercury Alpha drives 6-11-2004 New muffler tips to lower noise levels added 2005 Added Tie bar to drives 2005 All new gauges and bezels were install and are now red Levori gauges 7-1-2006. All the open area upholstery was done over 5-26-2007. Boat was put into storage winter of 2010



**Model: 1986 260**  
**Location: San Antonio, TX**  
**Asking Price: \$6,800**

1987 CHRIS-CRAFT 260SL STINGER. TWIN 5.7L MERCURISER ENGINES. NICE BOAT CALLS ONLY PLSEASE. 210 601 7400 THANKS



**Model: 1983 260**  
**Location: Truckee, NV**  
**Asking Price: \$32,000**

Chris Craft Stinger 260 - 26'4" long hull 600+ horsepower true deep V hull featuring twin Mercruiser V8s and Mercruiser outdrives. Cuddy cabin in grey and black, cockpit in white, hull in white. 1983/1984 hull build date, it is the thick, strong hull you will read about. Mercury Racing Cleaver props both in a standard rotation. Full instruments and quick release removable steering wheel. It is setup and propped for Lake Tahoe elevation. The boat has spent its entire life in the Tahoe area and only been launched on Lake Tahoe or Donner lake. The boat has never been in salt water. The cockpit and cabin interiors have been redone for fresh look and weight savings. All non structure wood on the boat, including the swim deck has been replaced with new composite materials for weight and durability improvements. The cabin interior has been streamlined for weight savings yet still offers a sleeping/lounge area, entertainment, storage and overall comfort for family and friends. The kitchen appliances have been deleted as well as water holding tanks. Engines are twin Mercruiser 5.7 liter V8s, (GM 350 based) modified into 383 strokers. Triple axle US Trailers, trailer in black with chrome and black wheels is included. Boat has a clear title and is 100% ready to go, comes with main supplies and required USCG gear for a vessel this size, even brand new life jackets. Registration and inspection fees paid through the end of the 2017 season. Two covers, full boat and cockpit only. This is a big, fast and ready to run boat. Cash is king but open to good trades. \$32,000. Jump on this early season, once it warms up more this boat will be gone in a weekend. EMAIL is preferred, thanks.



Model: 1985 260  
Location: Hazlet, NJ  
Asking Price: \$1,000

Needs work. Or can be used for parts, Two engines and one alpha-one drive. The second drive is damaged. All offers considered!



Model: 1983 312  
Location: Lake Leelanau, MI  
Asking Price:

Free Shell, no motors transmissions or outdrives. Just the boat no drivetrain, no Trailer. Great hull condition, needs repower. Will deliver anywhere on my way to Glens Landfill



Model: 1986 222  
Location: Hudson, FL  
Asking Price:

two project boats for sale, 1981 24' webcraft, rebuilt 350 ci chevy motor, new aluminum gas tank, cockpit cover motor & tank out of boat. 1986 chris craft stinger 22' engine seized, out of boat, have another 350 ci chevy motor. one heavy duty aluminum trailer, one galvanized trailer needs work. both boats need interiors ruff shape prefer to sell both together. best cash offer takes them. \$ 6,500. or OBO



Model: 1986 260  
Location: Marcellus, NY  
Asking Price: \$5,500

1986 chris craft stinger 260. Twin Chevy 350's, alpha outdrives, motors run great, tuned up last year, bellows, gimble bearings, shift cables done last year on both drives. Boat is showing its age but is a solid boat, a absolute charmer in big water. Need to sell, this a lot of boat with good running power for \$5500 b/o. Has custom tandem axle trailer, not working but setup for electric brakes. Call or txt



Model: 1988 260

Location: Charlotte, SC

Asking Price: \$5,500

1988 Chris Craft Stinger 260 with twin 350s motors that run like new tank and carbs just cleaned.