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Dear Mr. Feffer,

Thank you very much for bringing your 1939 Packard Darrin over to my home to allow me to obtain the measurements I required. It was really splendid to see serial No. DR 121235 CAL in 1973 and to recall when I first designed the Hollywood Darrins.

I am sure you are proud of such a fine classic automobile. You will have a very valuable investment in the years to come and I am confident that you will be able to more than double your purchase price in the near future.

It would be appreciated if you would send me some additional photographs of the car. I have spoken to the editor of "Packards International" who has suggested that I write an article on your car for possible use in a future magazine article. The photos you sent have me in the picture and they prefer photos of the car alone.

I hope you will allow me to make a cast of your door handle when I need it for the "new" Darrin that we are now in the process of building at Vrooder & Son in West Los Angeles. As you can imagine there are not too many Hudson Terraplane door handles around anymore.

Incidentally, as a small token of thank you for allowing me to use your Darrin I want to present you with a "Darrin" nameplate for your car. Please come by at your convenience so that I may give it to you.

With kindest personal regards, I remain,

Very truly yours,

Howard "Dutch" Darrin

HOWARD "DUTCH" DARRIN

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