

CCND MEMBER OF THE MONTH

by Jim Hargerty

My first Corvette was a 1965 convertible that I purchased from "Farmer Dick Barone" in Springfield Pa. It was a 327 small block, rated at 365hp and equipped with a 4.56 Posi rear axel. I enjoyed the '65 for five years but unfortunately totaled it.



I waited over 32 years to find another Vette. I purchased a 1966 Corvette in May of 2002 from ProTeam Corvette located in Napoleon, Ohio. It is one of only 2,311 Mosport Green cars made in 1966. Its 427 Big Block it rated at 390hp and is equipped with a 3.70 Posi rear.

The Kelsey cast aluminum Knock-Off wheels came with 4.75X15" gold striped tires that were soon replaced with



Coker 205-75R 15 red wall radial tires. The radial tires do handle much better.

The original owner was from South Carolina who had the car restored and repainted to its present condition.