

## Small Categories Series

### Antique Cars

This is a fairly popular small category, and I can see why. Lots of nostalgia here. Not that I've been around all that long myself (*my first car was a '55 Ford, and I bought that in 1960*), but most people can identify with cars—their first cars, the ones they had in college, the ones they had their first dates in, etc.—something having to do with the famed American love affair with the automobile, I'm sure (*I actually have more photos of my cars over the years than my ex-wife...but that's another story*).

This can be a really dazzling category, with lots of color, great pictures, and an awesome variety of old cars, not to mention the covers, themselves. And, numerically, this is not such a 'small' category. Also, small categories in general, and certainly Antique Cars specifically, is an area where store sets are actively sought, and there are some really nice such sets of Antique Cars, in both 20- and 30-strike size. There are also a number of other sets—issued by businesses, collectors, etc.

If you're into Cars in any way, this would seem to be a natural category for you. What, just gathering Antique Car covers not enough of a challenge for you, you say? How about trying to get one of every model?

Ouch! Very probably impossible, but you could be constantly trying to see how many different ones you could find.

Roy Buckley, WA, reported having 266 as of March, 2001, but I wouldn't be surprised if he or someone

