

Calling All Collectors-Hot Rodders- Restorer!
Calling All Truck Enthusiasts!

The Pickup Man! The Amazing Redwood County Truck & Car Collection

It doesn't matter if you're from the Farm or the City, everybody loves a pickup truck, and every girl loves a Pickup Man. If that wasn't true, there wouldn't be all those songs about Trucks. C.W. McCall famously sang out the truck in the Classifieds. Joe Diffy and Tim McGraw are just a few more that sing songs about trucks. Who hasn't watched Smokey and the Bandit at least 10 times. Growing up in the Midwest, a pickup truck was a tool and staple on the farm. When I was in High School Growing up in South Dakota, the High School parking lot was mostly all trucks and yes, a gunrack in the back window. Trucks are great for tailgating at the football games under those Friday Night Lights and even, watching the stars with your honey in the bed of a truck.

The love for trucks starts young by driving miles on your knees playing with Hot wheels and Tonka trucks. Every boy grew up wanting a truck. Tim Wertish was your normal fun-loving boy growing up and loved those trucks. Tim's Dad bought and sold cars and trucks at his car lot in Redwood Falls, Minnesota. Starting in High School, Tim started wheeling and dealing with old cars and trucks. By the time he was out of High School, he was already busy making money and selling trucks on his own car lot. Tim was a wild man and still is. Tim was driving Modified Race Cars, rebuilding cars and trucks, and going 100mph 24hours, 7 days a week. Tim could not get enough of those old cars and trucks. Tim got a brilliant idea and put a Classified add in the area Shopper. It was simple and to the point with a picture of an old truck and the words, WANTED! Old Trucks & Cars! Tim's phone started ringing off the wall. Tim couldn't believe the success of his little penny ad. Tim was traveling the area buying, and even being given, old Trucks, Pickups, and finding those amazing Barn Finds. Tim bought a piece of real estate outside of Redwood Falls and started what he called, "Vintage Vehicle Rescue."

Tim had an older man and a couple friends help him retrieve all those amazing pickups, trucks, and cars. Tim started lining them up on the south side of Redwood Falls, Minnesota. Anyone with an eye for old trucks and cars coming into town from the south side of town couldn't miss them. Tim had a steady stream of projects and started building his own personal stable of horsepower rides. As Tim says, "Keep the Patina, drop in an LS, Slam it and Bag it!" Tim also sold vehicles to other collectors across the United States that enjoyed the hobby like him. If Rust, Chrome, and Metal are an addiction, Tim needed and found his fix in buying all those old classics. Tim's collection grew to nearly 400 classic trucks, pickups, and cars. Most of the collection is Trucks and Pickups with an assortment of cars. The collection is strategically lined up by years, make, and model. There are rows of sought after Cab-Over Trucks, long straight lines of Chevrolets, and Ford 1948-1956 Pickups and Trucks. Tow Trucks, Fire Trucks, Grain Trucks, and it keeps going. It is truly amazing sight to see! "I have been selling classics for over 25 years, and I have not seen so many trucks all lined up like this. I have not seen anything like it," says Yvette VanDerBrink, owner VanDerBrink Auctions. "These trucks are sought after by Hot rodders, collectors, restorers, and well, who doesn't like a pickup truck. Everybody has a little Blue Collar in them."

Good News for Collectors! Tim has sold the Real Estate and Everything will be sold and must go to collectors, hot rodders, and restorers and just classic lovers! VanDerBrink Auctions, LLC will sell this amazing collection over 2 Big Days! Classic Truck and Car Enthusiasts plan to attend this incredible auction on Sept. 25th & with the 26th, 2026 being the Main Big Day and 9:30 each day start time! This is a live onsite auction with online bidding, so everyone can see and experience this amazing collection. There is something for everyone, with over 50 International trucks, nearly 100 Chevrolet & GMC Trucks and cars, nearly 100 Ford Trucks, Diamond T, Tow Trucks, Fire Trucks and much more. The collection also has RARE cars including a 1966 HEMI Charger, Beautiful 1967 Plymouth GTX, 1968 Camaro, and Impalas! Tim just wants everyone to come, buy a truck or car, and Have fun and enjoy the hobby! This auction offers something a little different. Many of the COE Trucks and even those old Grain trucks can live on with a build. Tim is going to let winning bidders that only want the cab, take that cab, and leave the frame, and go home and build your car hauler, rod, or restoration. We will take care of the rest. There will be a Preview on Friday Sept. 25th, 2026, starting at 9:30 Am with Day 1 of the 2 big Days starting at 3PM on the 25th with Approx. 70 Classics, parts, and automotive art. Then Sept. 26th, 2026 at 9:30 is the Main Day with nearly 300 Classics Selling starting at 9:30 AM. Tim wants everyone to come out and bid, buy, and build their dream ride- no matter the make or model and you can be a Pickup Man! This is an amazing collection and open to everyone that loves trucks and cars!

For more info on this auction, catalog, pictures, videos, and more go to www.vanderbrinkauctions.com and we will see you at the Redwood County Truck and Car Auction Sept. 25th, 2026, 2026-9:30AM in Redwood Falls, Minnesota.

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