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## Bonhams at the One&Only Royal Mirage Hotel, Dubai, 11 October 2010 - Preview

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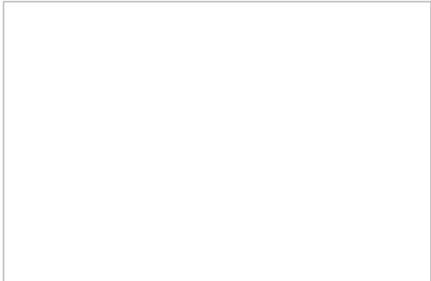
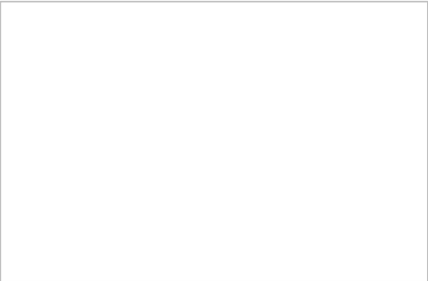
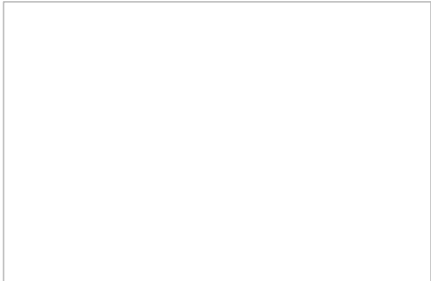
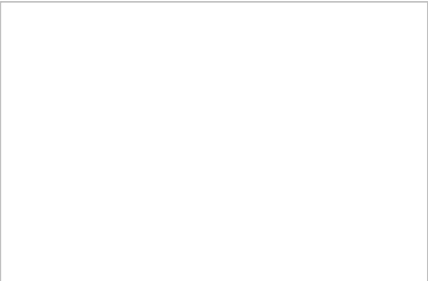
The 46th of only 57 examples built, 1975 BMW 3.0 CSL 'Batmobile' (\$165,000 - 215,000), and 1979 BMW M1 (\$165,000 - 215,000)

Having successfully held fine art sales in the region for some years, Bonhams will hold its first collectors' motor car sale in Dubai on Monday, October 11.

The catalogue splits into two parts: **53 wristwatches**, followed immediately by **16 cars**. After a short break when the latter is concluded, a further sale of **Modern & Contemporary South Asian Art**, and **Modern & Contemporary Middle Eastern Art** will be held.

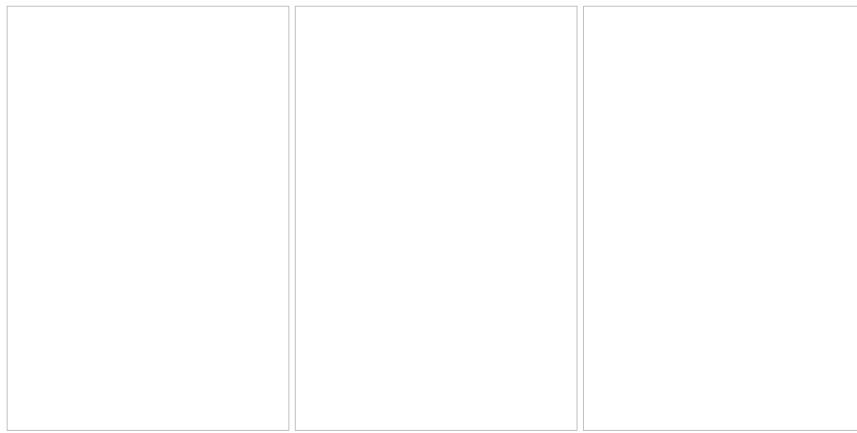
The location is the luxury **One&Only Royal Mirage Hotel**.

While some motor car entries are to be transported from outside the region, a significant number are locally sourced and reflect a growing interest in older, classic cars in a country synonymous with outrageously fast new supercars from **Lamborghini**, **Ferrari** and **Aston Martin**.

			
The ex-Alfred H Heineken, 1965 Bentley S3 Continental Coupé - \$125,000 - 150,000		c.1988 Italdesign Aztec <i>Barchetta</i> - \$100,000 - 150,000	
			
One-off, 1972 Ferrari 365 GTB/4 Daytona 'Shooting Brake' - \$260,000 - 380,000		1962 Porsche 356B 1600 Cabriolet - \$65,000 - 85,000	

The varied catalogue should have something for everyone, featuring as it does pre-War cars (a **1932 Packard Model 900 'Light Eight' Coupé Roadster** for \$60,000 - 80,000, and a **1931 Lincoln Model K Convertible Coupé** at \$80,000 - 120,000), as well as several **Ferraris** (**Dino 246 GTS**, the **one-off 365 GTB/4 Daytona 'Shooting Brake'** and the Turin Motor Show, **1980 'Pinin' Sports Saloon**), an **Aston Martin** and three **Rolls-Royces**.

There are also two entries direct from the **BMW Museum** in Munich, the **1979 M1** (\$165,000 - 215,000) and the **1975 3.0 CSL 'Batmobile'** (\$165,000 - 215,000, the 46th of only 57 examples built).



<b>Jaeger-LeCoultre 'Squadra</b>	<b>Patek Philippe 18ct white gold</b>	<b>Panerai Radiomir 1936 - \$7800</b>
<b>Chrono GMT' - \$6200 - 9400</b>	<b>automatic centre seconds</b>	<b>- 11,000</b>
	<b>wristwatch with annual</b>	
	<b>calendar, moon phases and</b>	
	<b>48-hour power reserve -</b>	
	<b>\$16,000 - 23,000</b>	

In the watch section of the catalogue (in which **Bonhams** reports much interest), you will find examples of the familiar grandes marques: **Patek Philippe, Rolex, Audemars Piguet, Vacheron Constantin**, and many more.

The wristwatch and motor car sale starts at 6pm.

To see the complete lotlist of wristwatches and motor cars, please click [HERE](#).

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