

# CLASSIC DRIVER

## 1982 Ferrari 512 BB - BBi

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- Lot sold  
USD 85 887 - 104 292  
GBP 70 000 - 85 000 (listed)  
**Year of manufacture** 1982
- **Gearbox** Manual
- **Drivetrain** 2wd
- **Interior type** Leather
- **Drive** LHD
- **Interior colour** Other
- **Condition** Used
- **Location** 
- **Fuel type** Petrol
- **Exterior colour** Other
- **Car type** Coupé
- **Exterior brand colour** Red/Red
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### Description

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Ferrari is sensitive to criticism and to intimations that it might be losing its pre-eminent position in the market. The Maserati and Lamborghini factories in and near Modena had already put into production sophisticated mid-engined cars while Ferrari was still selling the Daytona as its premier sports car. Unquestionably the Maserati Bora and the Lamborghini Miura were stealing sales from Ferrari and so, to achieve superiority in this state of the art sector, Ferrari developed a new car from scratch. The engine was a 4.4 litre flat 12 cylinder unit derived from Ferrari's then-current Formula One engine, whilst coachwork was a sleek and aggressive berlinetta design by Pininfarina. Driving the new car, the Boxer, was a special treat. Compared with the Daytona it was light, responsive and a little more forgiving. However, like the Daytona, it had an abundance of power and dema

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