


# CLASSIC DRIVER



## 1929 Chrysler 75 - Le Mans

Le Mans

Lot sold	<b>USD 201 909 - 236 721</b> GBP 145 000 - 170 000 (listed)	Drive	LHD
Year of manufacture	1929	Interior colour	Other
Gearbox	Manual	Condition	Used
Competition car	Yes	Location	
Drivetrain	2wd	Fuel type	Petrol
		Exterior colour	Other
		Car type	Convertible / Roadster
		Exterior brand colour	Green

### Description

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Chrysler's image in Europe has been a little fuzzy in recent years, most of the interest in the company has been centred on whether **\*\*or\*\*** not the latest business plan will save the smallest member of the Detroit 'Big Three' from oblivion. In the 1920's and 1930's, however, Chrysler was synonymous with advanced engineering and racked up an impressive record in motor racing. There were class wins in the Mille Miglia in 1929 and 1930, second and third in the 1928 Spa 24 Hours, and third and fourth at

Le Mans in the same year. Sir Malcolm Campbell lapped Brooklands at close to 100mph in his Chrysler and the marque won numerous events in the States. Walter Chrysler began his working life sweeping floors and by 1920 was on a salary of a million dollars a year to reorganise the ailing Willys organisation. Before long he was also s

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