



# CONCEPT AEROSTAR

Aerostar...smaller than a traditional van, larger than today's full-size station wagon...  
and combining the best features of both.





The Concept Aerostar you see on display is an idea vehicle which has undergone extensive design development and testing. Our goal was to produce a revolutionary vehicle with all the features you would expect in a state-of-the-art people and cargo carrier:

- design superiority
- versatility
- fuel efficiency
- unsurpassed handling, stability and maneuverability
- garageability

In the near future, Ford Motor Company will introduce a vehicle very similar to the one presented here. To better acquaint you with the Aerostar Concept, here are some of the design and engineering features it will incorporate:

#### Most aerodynamic profile available in a compact people/cargo carrier

- low .39 drag coefficient
- "aircraft style" doors with concealed drip moldings

#### More engine/transmission choices

- 4-cylinder or V-6 power
- turbocharged diesel
- 4-speed, 5-speed overdrive or Automatic Overdrive transmission

#### More interior flexibility

- seats up to seven adults
- variety of seating arrangements including a fold-down seat/bed option
- "quick release" rear bench seats—easily lifted out for additional cargo room

- 142 cu. ft. total available cargo space
- payloads up to 2,000 pounds
- large, flat load floor with no step down
- 4' wheelhouse spacing
- easy access to rear compartment from front seats
- driver "command" seating and large glass area

#### More comfort, convenience and electronic features

- electronic instrument cluster



- EEC-IV computerized engine control system

- electronic fuel injection
- Tripminder® computer



- "Omnisound" premium sound system

#### Ride and handling capability

- Ford-tough chassis combined with four-corner coil-spring suspension
- trailer towing capacity up to 5,000 pounds
- variable ratio rack and pinion steering
- tight turning diameter—a foot better than Ford Tempo

#### Ford quality and dependability

Ford Motor Company's commitment to quality means every vehicle is built to perform to high quality and engineering standards. Aerostar will be no exception. In fact, an entire assembly plant is being renovated and equipped with computer-assisted assembly technology and robotics to assure matchless fit and finish.

#### An Aerostar in your future

More than a car—better than a van. Aerostar combines the best of both.

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