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IN THE **58** FORD 1

THE same Ford beauty, brawn and power that was proved and approved in a whirlwind trip around the world is yours in every 1958 Ford.



THE '58 Ford completed the most dramatic, most grueling test ever given a new car before its announcement. The whole world was used as a test track. The '58 Ford conquered the Alps . . . took Paris by storm . . . breezed through the Great Salt Desert of Iran . . . and zoomed up and through fabled

Khyber Pass. It was the most rugged torture-test in automotive history to prove that there's nothing newer, nothing better than the '58 Ford!

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because they're more noticeable. Besides when braking, outer lights glow brighter than inner lights to give quicker warning to vehicles behind you even in fog, rain or snow. Ford Safety-Twin taillights are more than twice as large as those on competitive cars. And they're more prominently positioned, too. They're teamed with Ford's great new Safety-Twin headlights so that coming or





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matically-with just a touch of your toe-from brisk, solid-feeling take-offs right up to superhighway cruising speeds. In combination with a fuel-saving axle ratio (2.69 to 1) you get real "built-in" overdrive economy that can save you up to 15% on gas! Or you may choose the standard 3-speed, optional Overdrive or Fordomatic Drive for either the Six or V-8 engines.



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You'll discover a world of difference with Ford's new Magic-Circle

Steering. It features recirculating steel balls in the steering mechanism that are practically friction-free. This means easy, smooth operationthe next best thing to power steering! What's more, Master-Guide Power Steering itself has been still further improved to make parking a breeze in even the tightest spaces. It does up to 75% of your steering for you, yet you never lose the "feel" of the road.

Beneath all this beauty lies the brawn of the INNER FORD. Everywhere there's extra strength for extra built-in safety. The husky contoured frame is bowed out to give you wall-to-wall protection. The entire body is welded, braced and bonded to form one incredibly tough unit.

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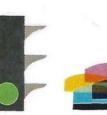
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Power Assists



POWER BRAKES Swift, sure, low-pedal power brakes make stopping 1/3 easier . . . take the tension out of heavy traffic.



AUTOMATIC DRIVE Choose your brand of automatic GO . . . with brand-new Cruise-O-Matic or improved Fordomatic Drive. touch of a button.

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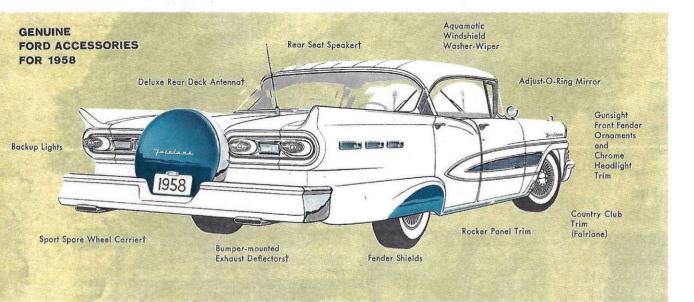
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Engine Features: For greater economy and longer life all engines have short-stroke, low-friction, deep-block design; free-turning overhead valves; Super-Filter air cleaner; full-pressure lubrication; Full-Flow oil filter; 12-volt electrical system; turbo-action 18-mm, spark plugs. Vol. electrical system; turbo-action 18-mm, spark plugs. V-8 engines are electronically balanced under own power for optimum smoothness. All Interceptor engines have Precision Fuel Induction for superior performance and cconomy.

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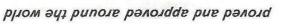
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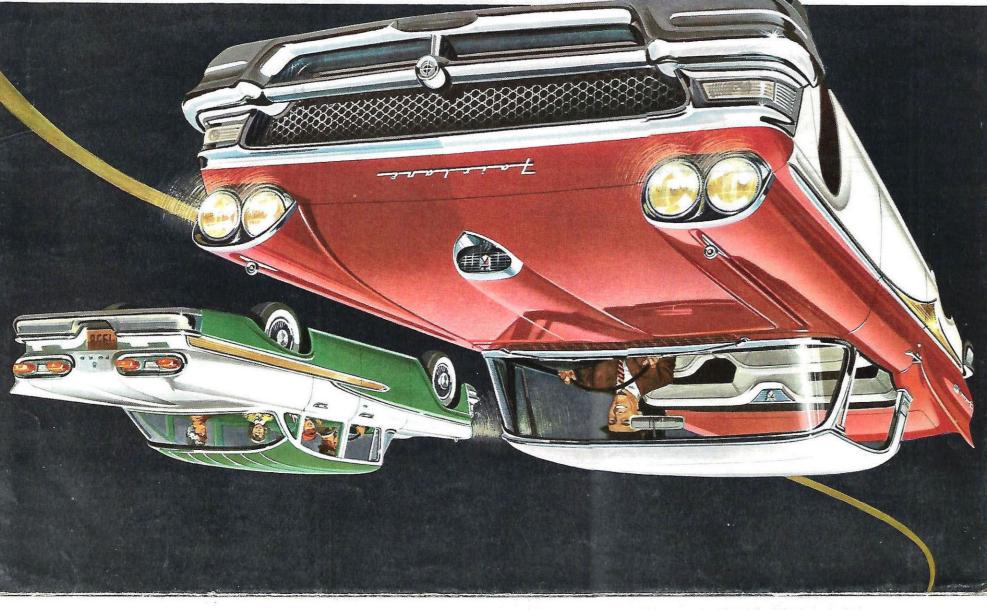
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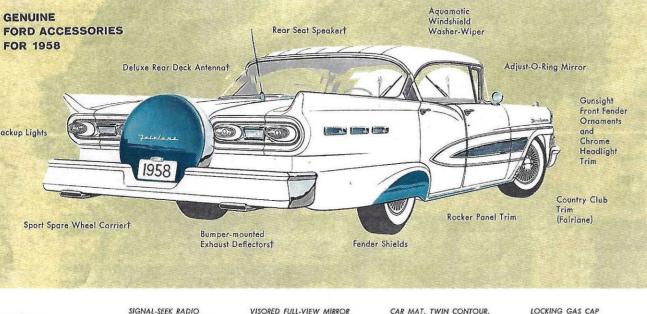
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CUSTOM 300 TUDOR SEDAN

Proved and approved around the world! 5 great lines . . . 21 exciting models

And here they are! All of Ford's 21 models . . . like gleaming jewels with the world as their setting! There's the Custom 300 Series; the Fairlane and Fairlane 500 Series; the Station Wagon Series; the fabulous 4-passenger Thunderbird and the Skyliner - world's only retractable hardtop. And the colors! Subtle yet radiant . . . with greater use of metallic finishes for an added springtime sparkle. (And every color is longer-lasting, high-gloss baked enamel - not lacquer.) For a crowning touch of color harmony, all colors are coordinated with Ford's exclusive new deep-dimension Luxury Lounge interiors.



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AIRLANE TOWN VICTOR

The new instrument panel has a satin, silver-textured finish across the middle section and around the instrument cluster. Note that all control knobs are recessed for added safety. Lifeguard cushioning in matching colors is available.

FAIRLANE 500 SUNLINER



FAIRLANE 500 CLUB VICTOR

Here's the "inside story" all the world is talking about! Exclusive new tweed fabrics are in softer hues. Padded pleats give a richer, softer look to trim panels. Deep grained vinyls wear as well as they look!



You'll feel like you're floating on Ford's comfortable sofa-wide seats! Thick padding over non-sag springs, plus foam rubber in front seat, give you real riding luxury . . . turn the miles into pleasant memories.

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FAIRLANE 500 SKYLINER

No wonder Ford Station Wagons are called half-ton panel trucks. Washable pleated vinyl "spaceships!" There's room for all your gear or woven plastic-and-vinyl interiors look . . . longer load support space than in most luxurious, clean in a jiffy and wear and wear!

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