

1995 Silhouette



by Oldsmobile

— YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE
TO GIVE UP DRIVING
PLEASURE SIMPLY BECAUSE
YOUR FAMILY IS GROWING.

If you think driving pleasure is something you have to give up when your family needs the space of a minivan, we invite you to experience the Silhouette. → Along with the 7-passenger seating and versatile cargo capacity of a minivan, Silhouette offers you the ride and comfort of a refined sedan. Inside, it's well-equipped with comfort and convenience features. On the road, Silhouette responds with smooth, powerful performance: a 3800 V6 engine gives it more standard horsepower and torque than any other minivan. And when you drive Silhouette, you'll feel a reassuring sense of security, thanks to its advanced safety features. → For 1995, Oldsmobile offers you a better way to buy a Silhouette. You won't have to go through the hassle of comparing a lot of confusing models and option packages, because Silhouette gives you the simple choice of two well-equipped versions. Series I comes complete with our most popular features as standard equipment, while Series II adds extras you wouldn't expect to find on a minivan. → Whichever you choose, you'll get a lot of minivan for your money. Now, that's a pleasure.

— Silhouette gives you ROOM and VERSATILITY, without making
you sacrifice driving ENJOYMENT.



Silhouette in Malachite Metallic.



Silhouette in Driftwood Metallic.

The Safety Factor

A FAMILY VEHICLE SHOULD GIVE YOU A REASSURING SENSE OF SECURITY. WHICH IS WHY SILHOUETTE IS ENGINEERED TO HELP YOU **PREVENT** AN ACCIDENT. SILHOUETTE'S 3800 V6 ENGINE RESPONDS WITH POWER ON DEMAND. FOUR-WHEEL ANTI-LOCK BRAKES AND POWER RACK-AND-PINION STEERING HELP YOU MAINTAIN CONTROL, WHILE FRONT-WHEEL DRIVE AND AVAILABLE TRACTION CONTROL GIVE YOU SUREFOOTED STABILITY. OF COURSE, IF A COLLISION OCCURS, SILHOUETTE IS ENGINEERED TO HELP **PROTECT** YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. A DRIVER-SIDE AIR BAG IS STANDARD. THE SPACEFRAME STRUCTURE INCLUDES FRONT AND REAR CRUSH ZONES AND SIDE DOOR BEAMS TO HELP ABSORB AND GUIDE CRASH ENERGY AWAY FROM THE PASSENGER CABIN. AND THE INTERIOR IS DESIGNED WITH FLAME-RETARDANT FABRICS, IMPACT-ABSORBING PADDED SURFACES AND AVAILABLE INTEGRATED CHILD-SAFETY SEATS.

*Silhouette is designed to help you **PREVENT** an accident and to help **PROTECT** you when a collision is unavoidable.*



A computer-controlled anti-lock braking system (ABS) helps the driver maintain steering control by minimizing the chance of wheel lockup and skidding when braking.



A driver-side air bag is standard on every Silhouette. Remember, you should always wear your safety belt, even with an air bag.



Integrated single or dual child-safety seats are a convenient way to help protect small children. (Available on Series I and Series II.)

An overhead console includes a compass, map lights and outside temperature display, plus storage compartments for your garage door opener, sunglasses and other items.



You can operate Silhouette's power sliding door from the driver's seat, from the rear seats and even by remote control. As a safety precaution, the door will open only when Silhouette is in Park, and the power function can be disengaged if you wish to operate the door manually. (Available on Series I, standard on Series II.)



Silhouette's available auxiliary rear climate control system allows your rear seat passengers to adjust airflow to their preference.

Silhouette's power windows include a driver's auto-down feature. Just touch and release the button to fully lower the window.

Comfort & Convenience

WHEN YOU'RE BEHIND THE WHEEL OF A SILHOUETTE, YOU MIGHT FORGET YOU'RE DRIVING A MINIVAN. THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S SUCH A PLEASURE TO DRIVE. WITH STANDARD EQUIPMENT LIKE A POWERFUL 3800 V6 ENGINE, SMOOTH 4-SPEED AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, POWER STEERING AND CRUISE CONTROL, SILHOUETTE DEFINITELY HAS THE FEEL OF A LUXURY SEDAN. IT'S ALSO WELL-EQUIPPED WITH AMENITIES, INCLUDING REMOTE-CONTROL KEYLESS ENTRY, AIR CONDITIONING AND AN AM/FM CASSETTE STEREO. BUT MAKE NO MISTAKE, SILHOUETTE IS A MINIVAN. SEVEN PEOPLE CAN RIDE COMFORTABLY IN ITS CONTOURED BUCKET SEATS, AND IT GIVES YOU THE ADDED CONVENIENCE OF A LOCKABLE CENTER CONSOLE STORAGE COMPARTMENT, AS WELL AS CUPHOLDERS, STORAGE SPACES AND READING LAMPS FOR FRONT AND REAR PASSENGERS. PLUS, SILHOUETTE OFFERS SOMETHING YOU WON'T FIND ON COMPETITORS' MINIVANS: A POWER SLIDING SIDE DOOR THAT NOT ONLY MAKES IT EASIER TO GET IN AND OUT, BUT ALSO HELPS CLOSE THE DOOR WHEN YOU'RE PARKED ON AN INCLINE. (AVAILABLE ON SERIES I, STANDARD ON SERIES II.)

Silhouette gives you the CONVENIENCE of a minivan with the COMFORT of a luxury sedan.



Silhouette Series II with seating areas trimmed in Medium Gray leather.

Versatility

SILHOUETTE'S MODULAR REAR SEATS LET YOU REARRANGE THE INTERIOR TO FIT ALMOST ANY COMBINATION OF PASSENGERS AND CARGO. ALL FIVE REAR BUCKET SEATS ARE EASY TO FOLD INTO TRAY TABLES OR FLAT CARGO SURFACES. OR YOU CAN REMOVE THEM COMPLETELY — EACH WEIGHS ONLY 34 POUNDS AND NO TOOLS ARE REQUIRED. BUT SILHOUETTE'S VERSATILITY DOESN'T STOP THERE. IT ALSO GIVES YOU THE EXTRA CARGO CAPACITY OF A ROOFTOP LUGGAGE CARRIER, AND THE AVAILABLE TOWING PACKAGE LETS YOU TOW 3,000 POUNDS.* WHEN A MINIVAN GIVES YOU THIS TYPE OF FLEXIBILITY, REST ASSURED IT CAN KEEP UP WITH YOUR FAMILY'S CHANGING NEEDS.

*Includes passengers, trailer, cargo and equipment. (Available on Series II.)



Silhouette can carry seven people.

Or over 112 cubic feet of cargo.



Or any combination in between.



*Silhouette's removable modular seats give your FAMILY the
VERSATILITY you demand of a MINIVAN.*



*Silhouette's power sliding door can be operated from up to 15
feet away with the remote-control keyless entry system.
Silhouette Series II shown in Medium Adriatic Blue Metallic.*

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After all, it's your MONEY.



Silhouette Series II with seating areas trimmed in Medium Gray leather.

Shown with an integrated child-safety seat (second row, passenger side).

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YOU SHOULD FEEL AS GOOD ABOUT BUYING YOUR NEW MINIVAN AS YOU DO DRIVING IT.

Buying a new minivan SHOULD be fun. But we know that sorting through options and haggling over prices can make it a frustrating experience. So not long ago, we began to explore a new, simpler way to buy an Oldsmobile. → First, we simplified the selection process by making our most popular options standard equipment on most models. To simplify our pricing, we removed the confusing discounts and rebates. But we left in the savings. → The response was so encouraging, we've gone a step further for 1995. This year, every Oldsmobile model is available in just one or two versions that are so well-equipped, there is only a handful of options to consider. And we've simplified pricing across the board, enabling your Oldsmobile retailer to skip the haggling and quote you the best possible price right up front. → Simply put, our new way of doing business means Oldsmobile now offers you even more minivan for your money... and a more enjoyable way to buy it. And that's certainly something you can feel good about.

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Incomparable Value

ALONG WITH VERSATILITY, SILHOUETTE OFFERS THE COMFORT, CONVENIENCE AND SAFETY FEATURES YOU'RE LOOKING FOR IN A MINIVAN — ALL STANDARD. SILHOUETTE **SERIES I** INCLUDES A 3800 V6 ENGINE, 4-SPEED AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, DRIVER-SIDE AIR BAG, ANTI-LOCK BRAKES, POWER RACK-AND-PINION STEERING, AIR CONDITIONING, POWER WINDOWS AND DOOR LOCKS, CRUISE CONTROL, TILT-WHEEL STEERING, REMOTE-CONTROL KEYLESS ENTRY, AM/FM STEREO WITH CASSETTE, OVERHEAD CONSOLE, ROOFTOP LUGGAGE CARRIER AND DEEP-TINT GLASS. **SERIES II** ADDS LEATHER-TRIMMED SEATING AREAS, 6-WAY POWER DRIVER'S SEAT, REMOTE-CONTROL POWER SLIDING SIDE DOOR AND STEERING WHEEL TOUCH CONTROLS. SO WHY SETTLE FOR LESS?



We invite you to COMPARE Silhouette with other minivans.

We don't think you'll find a better VALUE anywhere.

Silhouette's 3800 V6 engine delivers 170 hp and 225 lb-ft of torque.

For 1995, this engine has been refined to run smoother and operate more reliably than ever.



With the steering wheel touch controls, you can adjust the audio system without taking your hands off the wheel or your eyes off the road. (Standard on Series II.)

Equipment

SILHOUETTE		
SAFETY & SECURITY	SERIES I	SERIES II
Anti-lock power front disc/rear drum brakes	■	■
Brake/transmission shift interlock	■	■
Electronic traction control, plus touring tire and suspension, electronic level control, and air inflation kit with 20-foot air hose, pressure gauge and nozzles	—	□
Driver-side air bag	■	■
3-point front and rear outboard safety belts, plus 2nd-row center lap belt	■	■
Integrated single or dual child-safety seats	□	□
Automatic programmable power door locks	■	■
Remote-control keyless entry system with illuminated entry package	■	■
Sliding door child-security lock	■	■
Halogen headlamps	■	■
Side and rear window defoggers	■	■
Dual power outside mirrors	■	■
Foglamps	■	■
MECHANICAL		
3800 V6 engine with tuned ports fuel injection	■	■
4-speed automatic transmission	■	■
Front-wheel drive	■	■
Power rack-and-pinion steering	■	■
Towing package, including engine oil cooler, transmission cooler, 3-way electrical harness and electronic traction control package	—	□
Engine block heater	□	□
EXTERIOR		
15-inch aluminum wheels	■	■
Tube tires with two-arm washers	■	■
Rear window wiper/washer	■	■
Power sliding side door with remote control	□	■
Roslyn® luggage carrier	■	■
Solar-treated windshield, plus deep-tint glass on all windows behind front doors	■	■

■ Standard □ Optional — Not available



An available AM/FM stereo with compact disc player adds an extra element of driving pleasure to your Silhouette.



Electronic traction control helps prevent wheelspin when driving on slippery surfaces. (Available on Series II.)



An inflator kit with an air hose and pressure gauge is part of the electronic traction control package. (Available on Series II.)

Specifications & Colors

SILHOUETTE SPECIFICATIONS	
EXTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Wheelbase (in)	109.8
Length (in)	194.7
Width (in)	73.9
Height (in)	65.7
Curb weight (lb)	3739
Tread width, front/rear (in)	59.2/61.4
Turning circle (ft, curb-to-curb)	43.0
INTERIOR DIMENSIONS	
Headroom, front/2nd row/3rd row (in)	39.2/39.6/37.8
Legroom, front/2nd row/3rd row (in)	40.0/36.1/36.8
Shoulder room, front/2nd row/3rd row (in)	60.6/59.2/62.2
CAPACITIES	
Seating capacity (passengers)	7
Maximum cargo volume (cu ft)	112.6
Tailgate opening width (in, at belt)	50.5
Tailgate opening height (in)	41.3
Fuel capacity (gal)	30.0
EPA ESTIMATED FUEL ECONOMY	
3800 V6 (mpg, city/hwy)	17/25
TIRES	
P205/70R15 all-season radial, black sidewall	■
P205/70R15 touring radial, black sidewall	□
POWER TEAM	
ENGINE 3800 V6	
Displacement	3.8 liters (231 cu in)
Horsepower	170 @ 4800 rpm
Torque (lb-ft)	225 @ 3200 rpm
Fuel delivery	Tuned ports fuel injection
Transmission	4-speed automatic
Included in available traction control package.	



Light Gray Metallic
Gray or red interior



Bright White
Gray, beige, red or blue interior



Medium Adriatic Blue Metallic
Gray, beige or blue interior



Driftwood Metallic
Beige or red interior



Dark Teal Metallic
Gray or beige interior



Light Adriatic Blue Metallic
Blue interior



Bright Aqua Metallic
Gray or beige interior



Malachite Metallic
Gray or beige interior



Medium Garnet Red Metallic
Gray, beige or red interior

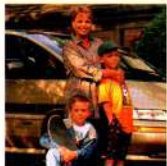
INTERIOR COLORS	
CLOTH	LEATHER
Medium Gray	Medium Gray
Medium Beige	Medium Beige
Ruby Red	Ruby Red
Adriatic Blue	

The paint color samples shown here may vary slightly from actual vehicle color due to the printing process.

WE WANT YOU TO BE SATISFIED WITH YOUR NEW OLDSMOBILE LONG AFTER THE SALE.

In addition to a comprehensive warranty, we also offer courtesy transportation, provide 24-hour roadside assistance and even guarantee your satisfaction. Which may not sound so important right now, but you'll appreciate them should the need ever arise. Just ask one of our owners.

You've locked your keys in your minivan. Which means you and your kids are also locked out of the house. Big problem? Not for Kathy Linds of York, Pennsylvania. She called 1-800-442-OLDS and in no time had a new set of keys, at no charge.



Kathy wrote us, "I was worried I wouldn't get assistance quickly. But that was not the way it turned out. Your phone operator was so friendly and efficient. She reached a locksmith who was there in a short time. Thanks for working so hard to do a great job." (Edited for length and clarity only. Complete letter on file.)

As an Oldsmobile owner, you'll get the Oldsmobile Edge:

Bumper-to-Bumper Warranty

Every part of your Oldsmobile is covered under our warranty, except tires (they have their own warranty), for three years or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first. And you won't have to pay a deductible.

24-Hour Roadside Assistance

We'll be there to help you 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, during the warranty period. All you need to do is call our toll-free number. There are over 15,000 emergency facilities ready to help you.

Courtesy Transportation

When you drop off your Oldsmobile for same-day warranty service, we'll give you a free one-way shuttle up to 10 miles. For overnight service, we'll give you a loaner or reimburse you up to \$30 a day for transportation.

Guaranteed Satisfaction

If you're not satisfied with your new Oldsmobile, you can bring it back within 30 days or 1,500 miles, whichever comes first, and receive full credit toward the purchase or SmartLease of another new Oldsmobile.

THE GM CARD

Every time you use the no-annual-fee GM MasterCard,® GM will credit 5% of your purchase toward buying or leasing a new Oldsmobile. It could mean saving hundreds, even thousands, of dollars. Call 1-800-8GM-CARD for more information, including annual limits and restrictions.

ACCELERATED EARNINGS NETWORK

Visit participating GM retailers for up to 10% in GM Card earnings on eligible parts and service transactions. Call 1-800-947-1000 for more information.

SMARTLEASE

SmartLease lets qualified customers pay for the portion of the vehicle they use, rather than paying for the entire vehicle as you would with traditional financing. You'll also enjoy lower up-front costs and lower monthly payments. Plus, you'll be able to drive a new vehicle more often or drive a higher-priced model. Ask your Oldsmobile retailer for more information.

FOR OCCUPANT PROTECTION:

- Driver-side Supplemental Inflatable Restraint
- Manual lap/shoulder safety belts, driver/front passenger
- Manual lap/shoulder safety belts, outboard rear seat positions
- Manual lap safety belt, second-row center seat position
- Energy-absorbing steering column
- Energy-absorbing instrument panel
- Laminated windshield glass, urethane bonded
- Tempered safety glass, side and rear windows
- Interlocking door latches
- Side door beams
- Passenger-guard inside door handles
- Safety armrests
- Head restraints, adjustable, driver and right front passenger
- Dual sun visors
- Break-away inside rearview mirror
- Security door locks and door retention components
- Sliding door child-security lock
- Automatic door locking system
- Front and rear crush zones
- Pressure lock radiator cap
- Pressure relief fuel cap

FOR CRASH AVOIDANCE:

- Side marker lamps and reflectors
- Parking lamps
- 4-way hazard warning flashers
- Back-up lamps
- Center high-mounted stoplamp
- Directional signal control
- Windshield defroster, washer and wiper-speed controls
- Inside daylight rearview mirror
- Outside rearview mirror
- Brake system with dual master cylinder plus warning light
- Anti-lock brakes
- Starter safety switch
- Dual-action hood latch (front opening)
- Low-glare finish (inside windshield moldings, wiper arms and blades)
- Safety seat belt timer
- Tires with built-in tread wear indicators
- Illuminated heater and defroster controls
- Brake/transmission shift interlock
- Audible disc brake lining wear indicator
- Electric rear window defogger
- Door warning light/reflectors

FOR THEFT DETERRENCE:

- Theft-deterrent steering column lock
- Remote inside hood release
- Visible vehicle identification number
- Laser-etched VIN plate
- Marked body parts (where applicable)
- Theft-deterrent key locking system

IMPORTANT WORDS ABOUT THIS CATALOG:

We have tried to make this catalog as comprehensive and factual as possible. We reserve the right, however, to make changes at any time, without notice, in prices, colors, materials, equipment, specifications, models and availability. Since some information may have been updated since the time of printing, please check with your Oldsmobile retailer for complete details.

• A WORD ABOUT ENGINES:

Oldsmobiles are equipped with engines produced by different operating units of General Motors, its subsidiaries or suppliers in GM worldwide.

• A WORD ABOUT ASSEMBLY:

Oldsmobiles are assembled by different operating units of General Motors, its subsidiaries or suppliers in GM worldwide. Oldsmobiles incorporate thousands of components produced by different operating units of GM, its subsidiaries or suppliers in GM worldwide. We sometimes find it necessary to produce Oldsmobiles with different or differently sourced components than originally scheduled. All such components have been approved for use in Oldsmobiles and will provide the quality performance associated with the Oldsmobile name. Since some options may be unavailable when your vehicle is assembled, we suggest that you verify that your vehicle includes the equipment you ordered or, if there are changes, that they are acceptable to you.

• A WORD ABOUT UPDATED SERVICE INFORMATION:

Oldsmobile regularly sends its retailers useful service bulletins about Oldsmobile products. Oldsmobile monitors product performance in the field. We then prepare bulletins for servicing our products better. Now you can get these bulletins, too. Ask your retailer. To get ordering information, call toll free 1-800-551-4123.

• A WORD ABOUT CORROSION PROTECTION:

Oldsmobiles are designed and built to resist corrosion. All body sheet metal components are warranted against rust-through from corrosion for six years or 100,000 miles, whichever comes first. There is also no deductible for rust-through repairs. Application of additional rust-inhibiting materials is not required or recommended under the corrosion coverage.

• A WORD ABOUT WARRANTY:

The GM 3-year/36,000-mile Bumper-to-Bumper Warranty covers repairs for any new Oldsmobile, including labor and parts, to correct any defects in material or workmanship occurring during the warranty period. The complete vehicle (except tires, which are covered by their manufacturer) will be covered for three years or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first, with no deductible charges. See your Oldsmobile retailer for terms of these limited warranties.