

**1983 FORD *LTD* CROWN VICTORIA**



**LTD CROWN VICTORIA  
AND COUNTRY SQUIRE.  
OUR FINEST FULL-SIZE  
FORD CARS.**

Drive a Ford LTD Crown Victoria. You'll enjoy all the fine pleasures of owning a traditional full-size car. LTD Crown Victoria's richly appointed 6-passenger interior puts you in an atmosphere that's comfortable and relaxing. And quiet. The sound insulation built into LTD Crown Victoria is called "Super Luxury" — a major feature that's also standard in LTD Country Squire.

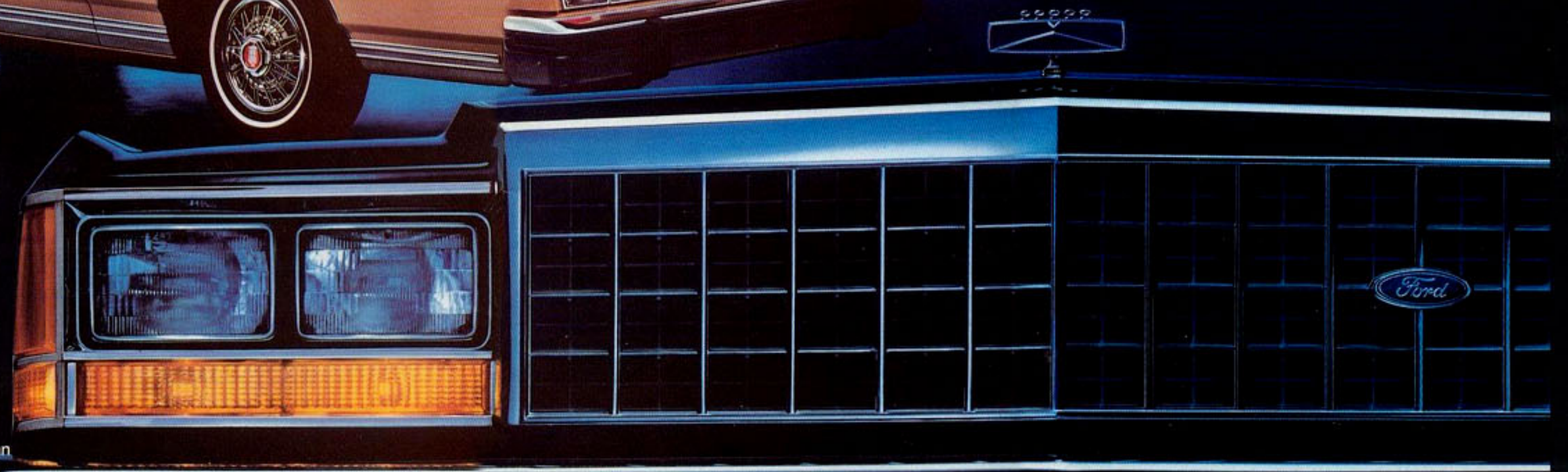
The ride is just as luxurious. LTD Crown Victoria has a computer-designed full coil spring suspension system and solid body-on-frame construction. Even over rough roads, you'll be pleasantly surprised at the smoothness and comfort of the ride.

LTD Crown Victoria is one of very few American cars built today with standard V-8 power — a 5.0 liter Electronic Fuel

Injection (EFI) engine teamed with Automatic Overdrive transmission. With big trailer towing capability as well — up to 5,000 pounds.\*

Test-drive our beautiful full-size cars for 1983. The luxurious LTD Crown Victoria, available in 2-door and 4-door models. And LTD Country Squire, with more cargo space than any other station wagon in America.†

\*With required Heavy-Duty Trailer Towing Package. See your dealer for availability.  
†Based on EPA Cargo Volume Index. Comparison excludes other Ford Motor Company cars.



LTD Crown Victoria 2-Door in Light Desert Tan with Light Tan half vinyl roof.

Front/back covers: LTD Crown Victoria 4-Door in Silver Metallic with Silver half vinyl roof.

**A feeling of distinction.**

A full-size car offers so much more. More room and riding comfort than you would find in any other size car. And there's the unique feeling of distinction, too, that comes with owning this class of automobile. If, for you, driving means more than just getting around, take the wheel of the 1983 LTD Crown Victoria.



**Comforts everywhere.**

Attractive standard features are part of LTD Crown Victoria's full-size measure of comfort. Features like AM/FM stereo with four speakers. Quartz sweep-hand clock. Glove box, ashtray and trunk lights. LH remote control mirror. Deluxe belts with comfort regulators — and a gentle chime reminding you to buckle up.



**Luxury so satisfying.**

The LTD Crown Victoria 6-passenger interior. Appointments are rich — from plush 16-ounce carpeting and softly padded door trim to cloth-covered headliner and sun visors. Choose standard flight bench seat with dual recliners (shown). Or individually adjustable split bench seats with dual recliners (optional).



Interior Luxury Group split bench seats in Midnight Blue velour.

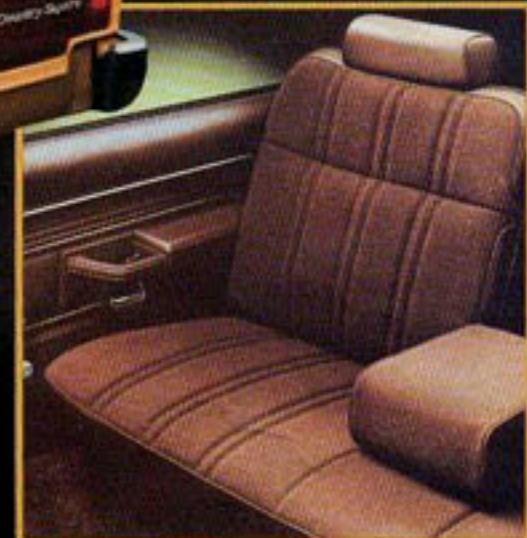
LTD Crown Victoria 4-Door in Medium Blue Glow with Midnight Blue half vinyl roof.



**From the Wagonmaster . . .**  
LTD Country Squire, the product of a proud tradition that goes back to when Ford produced the first "Woody" wagon. The Wagonmaster's mark is no more evident than in the 3-Way Magic Doorgate, a Ford Innovation. Open it like a door with the window up or down — or lower it like a conventional tallgate.



**More space, more comfort.**  
Country Squire provides the roominess and luxury of LTD Crown Victoria. Plus cargo space no other station wagon builder in America can match. And Country Squire offers optional Dual Facing Rear Seats for 8-passenger seating. Optional DuraWeave vinyl upholstery, too, shown with standard flight bench seat.



Interior Luxury Group split bench seats in Vanilla vinyl. Plus optional Dual Facing Rear Seats.

LTD Country Squire in Vanilla Metallic.

# SATISFY YOUR TASTE FOR REAL LUXURY DRIVING.



**Interior Luxury Group.** A beautiful blending of appearance, comfort and convenience features, many of which are Interior Luxury Group exclusives. Reclining split bench seats in elegant new velour or SuperSoft vinyl (genuine leather available). Luxury door panels with assist straps, full-length padded armrests with power window controls. Seat back map pockets. Electronic digital clock. Trip odometer. Automatic parking brake release. Dual beam map lights, dual instrument panel courtesy lights and engine compartment light. Warning lights that indicate "low fuel" and "low washer fluid" and a warning chime that signals "headlamps on." In sedans, a center fold-down armrest for rear seat passengers, luxury luggage compartment trim and carpeted package tray.

**Tripminder® Computer.** All kinds of information you want computed over any length of trip: Day of the week, day of the month and time; trip distance; trip average speed; trip average distance per gallon; instantaneous distance per gallon; fuel used; English / metric conversion of distance in either miles or kilometers, fuel in gallons or liters.

**Latest Generation Electronic Stereos.** Choose a super electronic entertainment system from Ford: (1) Top-line AM / FM stereo radio with station seek / scan feature, cassette player and Dolby® noise reduction; (2) AM / FM stereo search radio with 8-track player; (3) AM / FM stereo search radio.

**Premium Sound System.** Enjoy higher stereo brilliance with the entertainment system of your choice. The option includes six speakers and power amplifier.

**SelectAire Conditioner.** High-output cooling system with either manual or automatic controls.

**6-Way Power Seat Control.** Regulate seating position forward/back, up/down, or tilt forward/back. For flight bench seat or optional split bench seats.

**Power Lock Group. Power Windows.** Combine these options and put more power-assist convenience at your fingertips.

**Autolamp On / Off / Delay System.** Electronic sensor turns headlamps on at night, off in daylight. Can be set to keep headlamps on for up to four minutes.

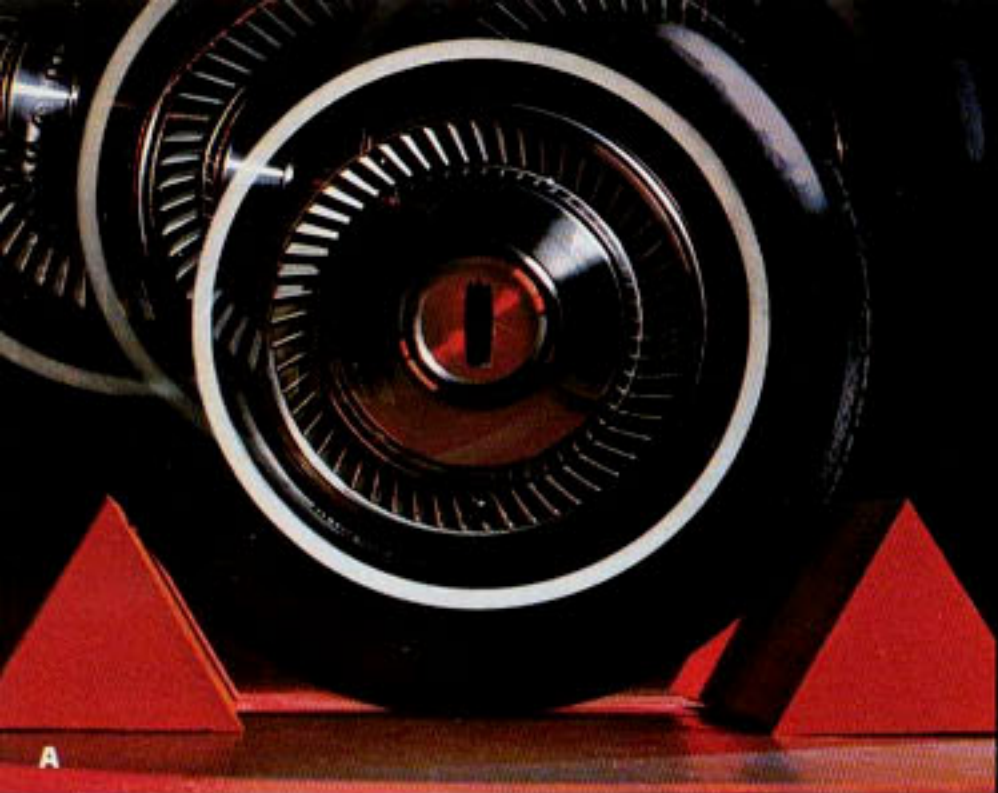
**Fingertip Speed Control.** Controls are mounted in the steering wheel spokes for convenience. "Resume" button reestablishes the speed set prior to braking.

**Electronic Digital Clock.** Displays time of day, elapsed time and date readouts; includes new stopwatch feature.

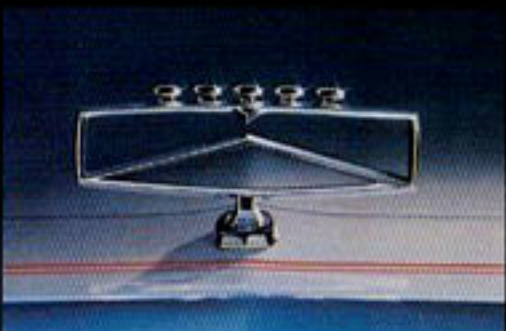
Note: All features above are optional.



- A 6-Way Power Seats
- B Power Lock Group (shown with Interior Luxury Group)
- C AM / FM Stereo Search Radio with Cassette Player and Dolby® Noise Reduction System
- D Electronic Digital Clock
- E Autolamp On / Off / Delay System
- F SelectAire Conditioner
- G Fingertip Speed Control
- H Tripminder® Computer



**A** Computer-Designed Full Coil Spring Suspension System  
**B** Roomy 6-Passenger Interior. Spacious Cargo Area (wagon shown). Deep-Well Trunk (sedans).  
**C** Electronic Fuel-Injection V-8 Engine with Automatic Overdrive Transmission



**D** Solid Body-on-Frame Construction  
**E** "Super Luxury" Sound Insulation  
**F** Fuel-Efficient P-Metric Steel-Belted Radial Tires (P215/75R 14" WSW)  
**G** Extensive Corrosion Protection



## A COMMITMENT TO EFFICIENCY AND QUALITY.

### Electronic fuel injection V-8 power. Efficient, right for the times.

V-8 power remains a major feature in the LTD Crown Victoria and LTD Country Squire. Standard power team is the Electronic Fuel Injection 5.0 liter engine teamed with Automatic Overdrive transmission.

Electronic Fuel Injection (EFI), new this year in both sedan and wagon models, replaces the conventional carburetor. It provides a more precise flow of fuel to each cylinder, plus better control of fuel loss resulting from evaporation.

Automatic Overdrive is a Ford Innovation. It features a direct mechanical linkup in 4th gear that eliminates power-wasting hydraulic slippage. At cruising speeds above 40 mph, engine RPM's are cut by about one-third for improved fuel economy.

### Room for people, space for luggage.

Exceptional roominess for six passengers. It's an achievement made possible, in part, by designing the doors and seats to be space-efficient, and by constructing the "greenhouse" — the roof, pillars and glass — to provide ample headroom and a pleasant, inviting atmosphere all around.

Space for luggage — this is a big LTD Crown Victoria feature. No competitive American-built sedan (excluding other Ford-built cars) provides as much space as LTD Crown Victoria's 22.4-cu. ft. deep-well trunk, which holds luggage or groceries in an upright position and has a low liftover height for easy loading and unloading.

Space for cargo — you'll find no wagon in America that can beat LTD Country Squire's 89.4-cu. ft. cargo area (rear seat down).



### Quiet riding comfort thoughtfully engineered.

Full-frame construction. Modern technology takes this traditional large car feature into the 80's. Efficient, lightweight materials are fashioned by advanced computer design technology into a frame of high structural strength. Eighteen large body-to-frame rubber mounts eliminate metal-to-metal contact to help isolate the passenger compartment from road noise and vibration.

Full coil spring suspension. Front system is the long and short arm design with stabilizer bar. Rear system is the space- and weight-efficient 4-bar link design with coil springs. Suspension components are computer-designed to help achieve LTD Crown Victoria's smooth, quiet ride.

Super luxury level acoustical insulation. Among the most important features in LTD Crown Victoria and LTD Country Squire is the generous level of sound-absorbing materials that contribute to quiet comfort. It's called "Super Luxury" sound insulation, available only in Ford's finest full-size automobiles.

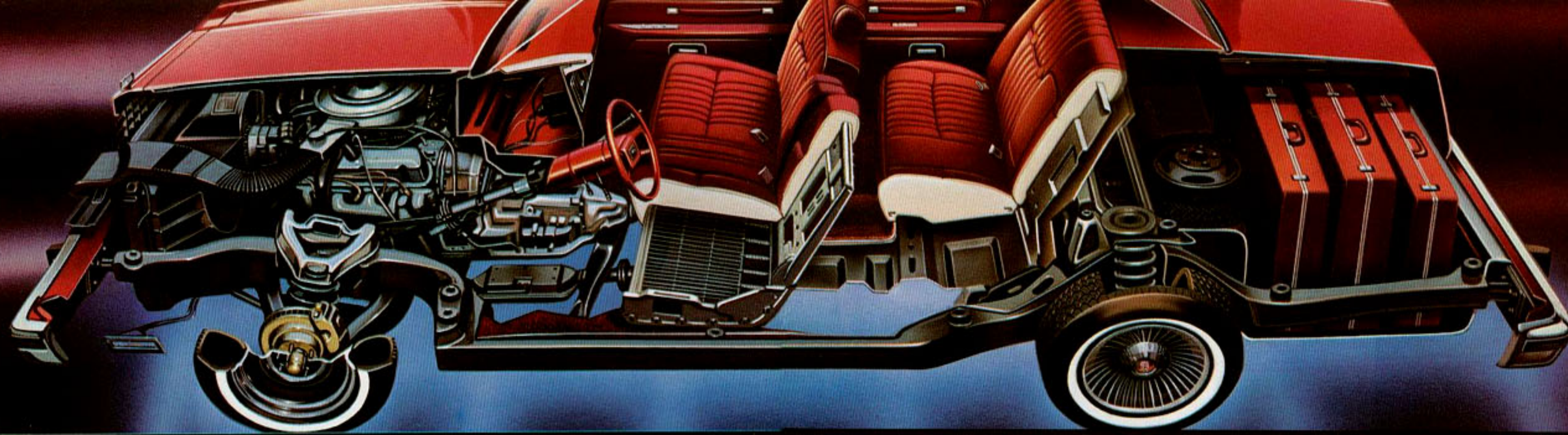
### Tough anti-corrosion measures.

Sophisticated methods of fighting corrosion are applied to LTD Crown Victoria and Country Squire. A number of special treatments are applied to selected areas of the body. Some of these are: pre-coated steel using zinc-rich primers; galvanized steel with a layer of zinc bonded to one or both sides; aluminized wax used in such hard-to-reach places as the rocker and quarter panels; and a phosphate bath for the entire body that prepares the sheetmetal for good primer and paint adhesion. (Ford backs these anti-corrosion measures with a 3-year, unlimited mileage corrosion perforation warranty. Your Ford Dealer can give you all the details.)

### Important information for camper enthusiasts.

Equipped with optional Heavy-Duty Trailing Package,\* LTD Crown Victoria and LTD Country Squire can tow up to 5,000 pounds. Not many cars, foreign or domestic, built over the past several years can tow the large campers and trailers. LTD Crown Victoria and LTD Country Squire are among the very few today that can.

\*See your Ford Dealer for availability.



## 1983 LTD CROWN VICTORIA DATA CENTER

### Ford-paid repair programs after the warranty period

Sometimes Ford offers adjustment programs to pay all or part of the cost of certain repairs. These programs are intended to assist owners and are in addition to the warranty or to required recalls. Ask Ford or your dealer about such programs relating to your Ford or Lincoln-Mercury vehicle.

To get copies of any adjustment program for your vehicle or the vehicle of interest to you:

Call Ford toll-free at:  
1-800-241-3673. Alaska and Hawaii call  
1-800-243-3711 and in Georgia call  
1-800-282-0959.

Or write Ford at:  
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Post Office Box 95427  
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We'll need your name and address;  
year, make, and model vehicle, as well  
as engine size; and whether you have  
a manual or automatic transmission.

### Notable Standard Features

Engineering	LTD Crown Victoria	LTD Country Squire
Electronic Fuel Injection 5.0 liter (302 CID) V-8 engine	S	S
Automatic Overdrive transmission	S	S
Electronic voltage regulator	S	S
DuraSpark Electronic Ignition	S	S
Maintenance-free battery	S	S
Full coil spring suspension system	S	S
Power front disc/rear drum brakes	S	S
Power steering, variable ratio	S	S
P215/75R 14" W/SW steel-belted radial ply tires	S	S
Tiltaway door hinges	S	S
Concealed windshield wipers with fluidic washer system	S	S
Mini spare tire	S	NA
Conventional spare tire	S	S
Spare tire extractor	NA	S

### Exterior

Quad rectangular halogen headlamps	S	S
Bumper guards, front and rear	S	O
Vinyl insert bodyside moldings	S	S
LH remote control mirror	S	S
Bright lower bodyside moldings and black rocker panel moldings (bright rocker panels optional on Country Squire)	S	NA
Accent stripes on hood	S	S
Accent stripes on bodysides and decklid	S	NA
Padded rear half vinyl roof	S	NA
Wide brushed aluminum wrapover roof molding	S	NA
3-Way Magic Doorgate with power window	NA	S
Woodtone bodyside and doorgate paneling	NA	S

### Interior

Flight bench seat with dual recliners and fold-down armrest	S	S
Cloth/vinyl seat trim	S	O*
All-vinyl seat trim	S	S
Automatic inertia seat back releases (2-door)	S	NA
Deluxe door trim panels with carpeted lower section	S	S
Color-keyed deluxe belts with comfort regulator feature	S	S
Seat belt reminder chime	S	S
16-ounce cut-pile carpeting	S	S
Cloth-covered headliner and sun visors	S	S
AM/FM stereo radio with four speakers	S	S†
Steering column-mounted controls for turn signals, headlamp high beams, horn and windshield wipers/washer	S	S
Self-regulating quartz electric (sweep-hand) clock	S	S
Courtesy lights in glove box, front ashtray, trunk (sedan), cargo area light with doorgate-actuated switch (wagon)	S	S
Rear door dome lamp switches (4-door)	S	S
Day/night rearview mirror	S	S
Fold-down rear seat	NA	S
Removable color-keyed load floor carpet	NA	S
Lockable stowage compartments in load floor, left rear side panel	NA	S
"Super Luxury" sound insulation package	S	S

\*When Tu-Tone paint/tape treatment is ordered, standard moldings are made optional.

\*\*Available only with Interior Luxury Group.

†May be deleted for credit.

S = Standard  
O = Optional  
NA = Not Available

### Measurements

	2-Door	4-Door	Wagon
Wheelbase	114.3"	114.3"	114.3"
Overall Length	211.0"	211.0"	215.0"
Overall Height	55.3"	55.3"	56.8"
Overall Width	77.5"	77.5"	79.3"
Front Tread	62.2"	62.2"	62.2"
Rear Tread	62.0"	62.0"	62.0"
Trunk or Cargo Space (cu. ft.)	22.4*	22.4*	89.4**
Fuel Capacity (gal.)	18.0	18.0	18.5
Curb Weight (lb.)	3,732	3,748	3,901
Passenger Capacity	6	6	6†

\*With mini spare tire.

\*\*Plus 9.9 cu. ft. in a lockable stowage compartment below the load floor (5.7 cu. ft. with dual facing rear seats, 7.7 cu. ft. with cushions removed) and 2.0 cu. ft. in a lockable side stowage compartment.

†Eight with optional dual facing rear seats.

### Scheduled Maintenance

Ford wants to reduce the frequency and cost of scheduled maintenance on its cars to an absolute minimum. Here are some examples of scheduled maintenance for the new Ford LTD Crown Victoria and Country Squire. For complete maintenance recommendations, refer to the Ford Owner Guide.

Engine Oil Change	each 7,500 miles
Spark Plug Change	each 30,000 miles
Air Filter Replacement	each 30,000 miles
Engine Coolant Replacement	each 52,500 miles or 3 years

### Gas Mileage Estimates

1983 EPA mileage estimates were not available at the time this catalog was approved for printing. However, LTD Crown Victoria and Country Squire are expected to post good mileage ratings as they did last year. As soon as EPA figures are released, your Ford Dealer will be among the first to receive this information and will be happy to pass it along to you.

### Colors

Interior Trim Colors	EXT. PAINT COLORS	Black	Polar White	Silver Met.	Pastel Charcoal	Med. Charcoal Met.	Dark Red Met.	Maroon	Midnight Blue Met.	Light Medium Blue	Pastel Vanilla	Vanilla Met.	Light Desert Tan	Dark Walnut Met.	Med. Blue Glow*	Desert Tan	Glow*
Charcoal	A	W	A,P	P	A,P	N											
Dark Red	A	W,N	N,P	P	A,P	W,N	W,N	O									
Midnight Blue	W,Q	P,Q					W,Q	W,Q							W,Q		
Walnut		W,V									L,V		H,V	H,V			H,V
Vanilla	A	W,L									W,L	W,L					

\*Optional Glow Colors.

VINYL ROOF COLORS: A-Black, W-White, H-Light Desert Tan, L-Vanilla, N-Dark Red, P-Silver, O-Midnight Blue, V-Walnut.

See your Ford Dealer for actual samples of colors and trims.

### Technical service bulletins

All vehicles need repairs during their lifetime. Sometimes Ford issues Technical Service Bulletins (TSBs) and easy-to-read explanations describing unusual engine or transmission conditions which may lead to costly repairs. Often a repair now can prevent a more serious repair later. Ask Ford or your dealer for any such TSBs and explanations relating to your Ford or Lincoln-Mercury vehicle.

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year, make and model vehicle, as well  
as engine size; and whether you have  
a manual or automatic transmission.

### "Ask your Ford Dealer"

Following publication of this catalog, certain changes in standard equipment, options, prices and the like, may have occurred which would not be included in these pages. Your Ford Dealer is your best source for up-to-date information.

### Product changes

Ford Division reserves the right to change product specifications at any time without incurring obligations.

# 1983 *LTD* CROWN VICTORIA OPTIONS SELECTOR

## Entertainment Systems

■ AM/FM Stereo Radio with Cassette Tape Player ■ AM/FM Stereo Radio with 8-Track Tape Player ■ Electronic AM/FM Stereo Search Radio. ■ Electronic AM/FM Stereo Search Radio/Cassette Player. With Dolby® noise reduction system. ■ Electronic AM/FM Stereo Search Radio with 8-Track Tape Player ■ Premium Sound System.\* Includes six speakers and power amplifier. ■ Power Antenna

Note: All stereo systems include dual front and rear speakers.

## Appearance

■ Tu-Tone Paint/Tape Treatment (LTD Crown Victoria) ■ Metallic Glow Paint. Medium Blue or Desert Tan. ■ Bright Rocker Panel Moldings (LTD Country Squire) ■ Luxury Luggage Compartment Trim (LTD Crown Victoria) ■ Leather-Wrapped Luxury Steering Wheel\*

## Comfort

■ Interior Luxury Group. See page 9 for contents. ■ DuraWeave Vinyl Seat Trim (LTD Country Squire). Looks, feels and breathes like cloth, yet cleans and wears like vinyl. ■ Split Bench Seats ■ Select-Aire Conditioner. Choice of automatic or manual temperature controls. ■ Tinted Glass—Complete. Recommended with air conditioning. ■ Dual Facing Rear Seats (LTD Country Squire). With removable seat cushions and rear bumper step pad.

## Convenience

■ Convenience Group. Interval windshield wipers, remote control decklid release (sedan) or power doorgate lock (wagon), trip odometer, warning lights for "low washer fluid" and "low fuel." ■ Pivoting Front Vent Windows\* ■ Electronic Digital Clock.\* With elapsed time/date readouts and new stopwatch feature. ■ Electric Rear Window Defroster ■ Autolamp On/Off/Delay System. Described on page 9.

■ Tripminder® Computer. See page 9 for description. ■ Front Cornering Lamps ■ Illuminated Entry System. Lifting either front door handle turns on interior lights and illuminates a ring around the door lock cylinders for about 20 seconds or until steering column is unlocked. ■ Light Group. Dual beam map lamp, "headlamps on" warning chime, engine compartment light, instrument panel courtesy lights ■ Fingertip Speed Control ■ RH Remote Control Convex Mirror ■ Interval Windshield Wipers ■ Dual Illuminated Visor Vanity Mirrors ■ Deluxe Luggage Rack (LTD Country Squire). Air deflector accessory available through your Ford Dealer. ■ Automatic Parking Brake Release ■ "Tot-Guard." For children weighing 20 to 50 pounds (shown). Infant Carrier also available for children weighing up to 20 pounds. Both are available at your Ford Dealer.

## Performance

■ Trailer Towing Packages. Medium-duty package for towing up to 3,500 pounds, or heavy-duty package for towing up to 5,000 pounds. See your dealer about package contents and availability. ■ Traction-Lok Axle. Automatically shifts power to the wheel with the most traction. ■ Handling Suspension.\* Larger front stabilizer bar, higher rate springs and shock absorbers, rear stabilizer bar (LTD Crown Victoria). ■ Heavy-Duty Suspension.\* Front and rear heavy-duty springs and shock absorbers. ■ Heavy-Duty Battery

## Power Assists

■ 6-Way Power Seat Adjustment. Available for standard flight bench or optional split bench seats. ■ Power Lock Group. Door locks, remote control decklid release (sedans) or power doorgate lock (wagon). ■ Power Side Windows (lockout feature with 4-doors)

## Protection

■ Remote Control Locking Fuel Door

■ Vinyl Insert Bodyside Moldings (LTD Crown Victoria with Tu-Tone paint and LTD Country Squire) ■ Lower Bodyside Protection. Vinyl coating under the paint along the lower bodysides to protect against stone pecking and road salt. Includes bright rocker panel moldings on LTD Country Squire. ■ Bumper Rub Strips, Front and Rear ■ Appearance Protection Group. Door edge guards, color-keyed carpeted front and rear floor mats, license plate frame(s). ■ Engine Block Immersion Heater

## Tires

■ P225/75R 14" WSW ■ P205/75R 15" WSW ■ P205/75R 15" Puncture-Resistant, Self-Sealing WSW ■ Conventional Spare (LTD Crown Victoria)

## Wheel Covers/Wheels

■ Wire Wheel Covers (4) ■ Locking Wire Wheel Covers (4) ■ Luxury Wheel Covers (4)\* ■ Cast Aluminum Wheels (4)\* with locking lug nuts

## Also well worth considering...

Ford Motor Company's Extended Service Plan. This option covers major components on Ford cars and light trucks for longer than the vehicle's basic warranty. The cost is so moderate for the protection you get that it could pay for itself the first time you need it. Your Ford Dealer will be happy to detail the plan for you. Available on all Ford cars and most light trucks, it is honored by more than 6,500 Ford and Lincoln-Mercury dealers nationwide and in Canada.

## Options availability

1983 Ford LTD Crown Victoria options are not confined to these pages but are shown throughout the catalog. Options, whether or not they are identified, are offered at extra cost. Options designated by an asterisk (\*) are offered either in combination with other options, or are subject to additional ordering requirements or limitations. Availability of some features described here and elsewhere may be subject to delay.



A Electronic AM/FM Stereo Search Radio  
B Light Group  
C "Tot-Guard"  
D Dual Illuminated Visor Vanity Mirrors  
E Locking Wire Wheel Covers  
Cast Aluminum Wheels  
Luxury Wheel Covers  
F Illuminated Entry System  
G Pivoting Front Vent Windows  
H Medium or Heavy-Duty Trailer Towing Package



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