

# HOW WE CHOSE OUR MARQUE

Anyone who has ever owned a Healey has a story behind how they acquired it. Some time ago on the Healey E-Mail List, the subject of "How did we choose our marque?" was raised. I found reading the responses to be very interesting and thought that I would submit my own story as well. Additionally, thinking that this might make good reading for HEALEY MARQUE, I contacted Reid and was encouraged to compile these stories for publication.

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The stories are as varied as their owners, yet there are some common themes. It seems that the choice was often the result of a coincidence. Fate played at least as much of a role as choice in uniting many owners with their Austin-Healeys. However, whatever the case may be, herewith are several owners' stories. I hope you enjoy them as much as I did.