

'83 DODGE ARIES



America's Driving Machine

The Car That Put America Back On The Road Again.

Dodge Aries is a proven automotive success that has earned the right to be called "America's Family Driving Machine." With its advanced front-wheel drive technology and roomy six-passenger comfort, Aries is the right car for the American road and the times.

The 1983 Aries offers improved performance from the standard 2.2-liter overhead cam engine, a new heater system for improved air distribution, new bright metal accents to further enhance its distinctive styling, a new maintenance-free battery, and more.

And above all, Chrysler Corporation feels so confident about Aries' quality that upon expiration of the normal 12-month/12,000-mile new vehicle limited warranty, limited warranty coverage is extended on power train

components, including engine, transaxle, and axle—plus outer panel rust-through protection—to five years/50,000 miles, whichever comes first. A deductible applies. See your dealer for details.

Aries is a car designed to be driven—enjoyably. The sophisticated design of its aerodynamic styling allows Aries two-door coupe to travel at 50 miles per hour while using only 11.9 of its 94 total horsepower. Its stable, smooth ride and handling are a result of the right combination of a well thought-out suspension, sure-tracking rack-and-pinion steering, and radial-ply tires.

Proof positive how good a sensible car can look: the 1983 Aries S.E. four-door, shown here in Glacier Blue Crystal Coat with Dark Blue full vinyl roof.



ABOUT THIS CATALOG. We have tried to make this catalog as complete as possible. And we hope you find it useful. However, since the time of printing, some of the information you'll find here may have been updated. Your dealer has details, and you should ask him for current information before ordering.

Some of the equipment shown or described throughout this catalog is available at extra cost.

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Dodge Aries S.E. wagon in Beige Crystal Coat with woodgrain trim. Aries four-door sedan in Crimson Red in background.



Dodge Aries S.E. two-door sedan with optional Charcoal Gray/Burnished Silver Metallic Two-Tone Paint Package.



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Dodge Aries Two-Door Sedan. The All-American Car For All America.

Research indicates Americans have changed when it comes to making a decision about buying a new car. Formerly the top considerations were style, performance, and luxury. Today the top considerations are durability, quality, longevity, and fuel economy.

The 1983 Dodge Aries two-door sedan delivers in all of these new areas of concern while also coming through with style, performance, and luxury.

New Computer-Assisted Design (CAD) and Computer-Assisted Manufacturing (CAM)



Dodge Aries two-door sedan, shown in Crimson Red.

techniques make sure all Aries are built to last. Computers are even used to check materials and parts before Aries are built to make sure standards are met. Galvanized sheet metal panels, one of the best known methods of corrosion protection, and pre-coated steel in critical areas, as well as a seven-step dip-and-spray process, help ensure Aries' resistance to corrosion. A tough Quality Assurance Program helps to make sure production and quality standards are met.

Yes, Aries two-door and all Aries models are cars built the way Americans want them today. They're tough, high-quality, high-tech cars.

They're also roomy, attractive, comfortable, and smooth riding. They're sized to carry people and the things people carry—the 1983 Aries two-door has 110 cubic feet of passenger and cargo space.

Much of the interior roominess you experience in Aries is the result of Chrysler's advanced front-wheel drive technology that eliminates the drive train tunnel inside the car. With the engine and transaxle weight positioned over the drive wheels, you enjoy optimum pulling power on most surfaces.

Refinements have been added to keep the 1983 Aries at the forefront of Chrysler Corporation's new generation of front-wheel drive cars. Power brakes, for example, are now standard equipment on all 1983 Aries. Brighter, longer lasting halogen headlamps are also standard.

Enhancing Aries' already strong reputation for dependability are such new features as a maintenance-free battery and self-adjusting rear brakes.

1983 Dodge Aries K. Designed and built for the way we drive now and in the future.

Settle Back Into Solid Comfort.

It's not just how much room you have, it's what you do with it. The 1983 Aries models make the most of the room they offer you with comfortable interiors and excellent ride.

A finely tuned suspension system is mounted with rubber-cushioned suspension points to help soak up road shock. The sub-assembly is mounted to the body with rubber cushions to help eliminate vibration and bumps.

The standard all-vinyl bench seating on all Aries models (you can also get a standard

cloth bench seat with center armrest on Aries S.E. models) accommodates six with ease. You can also order the attractive optional all-cloth premium bucket seats with dual recliners and a center console with free-standing center armrest on S.E. and Custom wagon models.

Striking new two-tone interiors are also available for all Aries models. See your dealer for availability and application.



Dodge Aries sedan optional cloth-and-vinyl split-back front bench seat, shown in Red.

Dodge Aries Four-Door Sedan. The Family Driving Machine.

When Chrysler product planners, designers, and engineers conceived the Aries, their objective was to create a car efficient in size, space, weight, and use of power. Those objectives dictated trim good looks and aerodynamic styling.

Like all 1983 Aries, the four-door sedan is styled for efficient aerodynamics. It is also very handsome. Sleek, crisp styling is enhanced by integrated front and rear bumpers designed into the car, not "hung" on it. The trim exterior, available in nine rich colors (plus a Two-Tone Paint Package),



Dodge Aries S.E. four-door sedan, shown in Glacier Blue Crystal Coat with Dark Blue vinyl roof.

contains a roomy interior with comfortable seating space for six adults. The trunk has 15 cubic feet of space—plenty of room for the family groceries, luggage for airport runs, or vacation paraphernalia.

One thing to keep in mind: the 1983 Aries four-door sedan, like all Aries models, is not just another family car. It is a very sophisticated family car, with front-wheel drive, rack-and-pinion steering, power brakes, and a smooth, quiet transaxle driven by a tough, reliable Chrysler-designed and Chrysler-built 2.2-liter overhead cam four-cylinder engine. An optional larger 2.6-liter engine, by Mitsubishi Motors Corporation, is also available on Aries S.E. models and Custom wagon.

New Aries options for 1983 give you even more selectivity in outfitting an Aries for your special needs. A new five-speed transaxle with manual shift (with front bucket seats only) is available on S.E. and Custom wagon models for even greater efficiency when cruising at highway speeds. The new optional air conditioning system has bi-level cooling to eliminate "cold" zones and help provide even distribution of cool air.

Inside, you can order optional all-cloth bucket seats for your Aries S.E. four-door sedan. They come with adjustable head restraints and reclining seatbacks. A floor-mounted console comes standard with this interior. An optional freestanding folding center armrest is also available. The optional bucket seats are available in Brown/Beige, Dark/Medium Blue, Red, and Silver.

The 1983 Aries four-door sedan brings sense, style, and sophistication to family transportation.

Aries Puts You in Control.

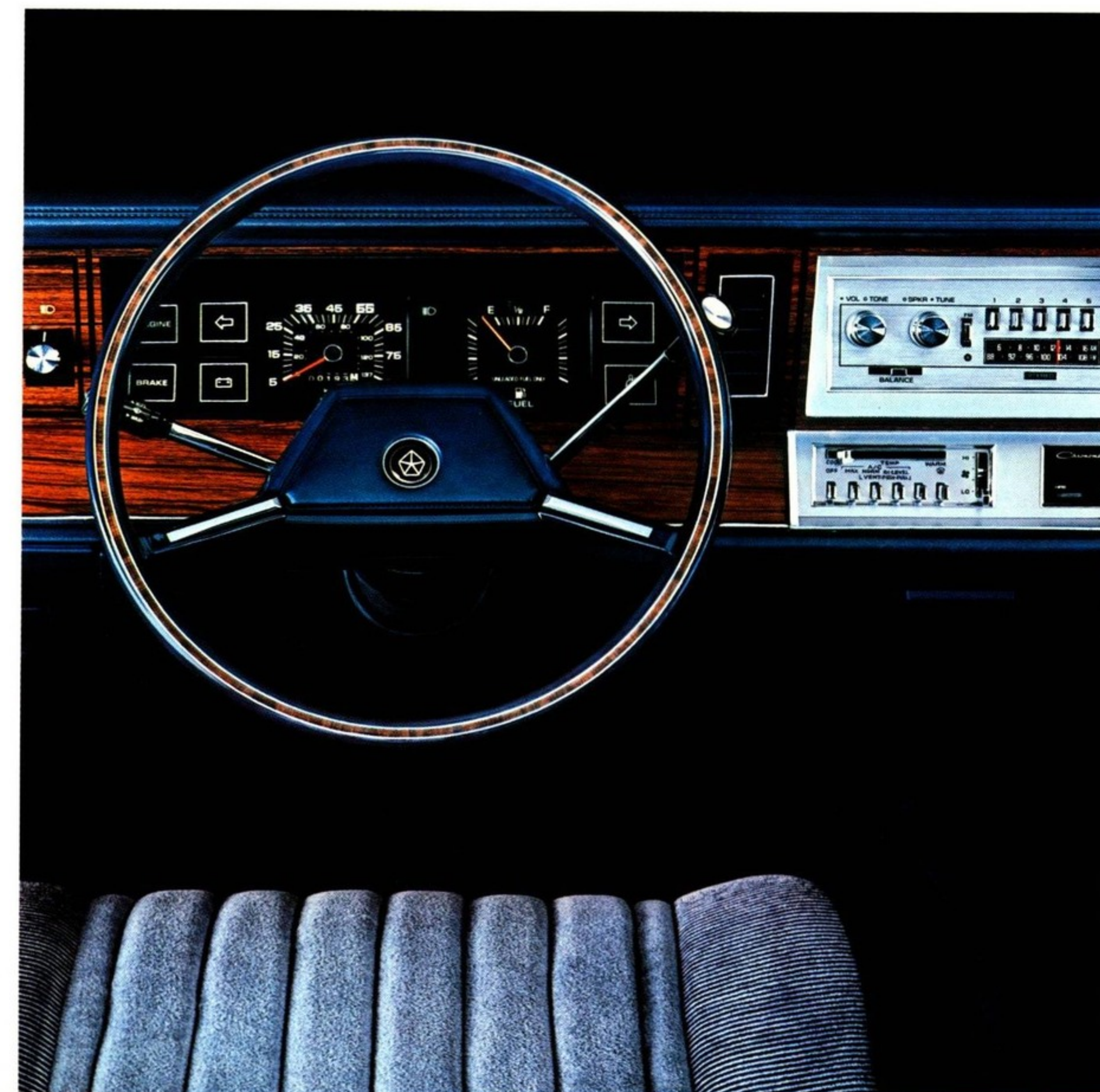
A car as sophisticated as Aries promises control and comfort. Aries delivers.

A new soft instrument panel cover tops an instrument cluster featuring a large, easy-to-read speedometer and fuel gauge. Readily identifiable warning lights signal you about low oil pressure, high engine temperature, electrical problems, high headlamp beam, and brake system problems.

An attractive two-spoke steering wheel is

standard. The steering column-mounted multifunction control lever places washer/wiper, high beam, turn signals, and optional automatic speed control right at your fingertips. The stalk also incorporates a new feature for 1983—a flasher that enables you to signal with your headlamps when passing in the daytime.

Shown here is the Aries command center. Optional luxury steering wheel with convenient horn buttons on both spokes, manually tuned AM/FM stereo radio, and air conditioning add to its appearance.



Aries sedan instrument panel, shown in Blue.

The American Travel Plan.

We Americans like room in a car. Room to carry people and things across town or across the nation. And we're particular about how we get that room. We want comfort *and* looks.

Room is a big benefit of front-wheel drive technology in the 1983 Aries. Look at all the room in the Aries S.E. four-door sedan with standard split-back all-cloth front bench seat, shown here in Blue. There's comfortable seating for six, with more than adequate head, leg, hip, and shoulder room. For comfort, a folding center armrest. For safety, adjustable head restraints.

And it's quiet, comfortable room, thanks to such features as new sound deadening materials to muffle road noise, special body mounts to help absorb road shocks, and a sophisticated suspension to match the smooth performance of Aries front-wheel drive.

Inside, you'll find a lot of value in Aries S.E.'s standard features . . . features such as 10-ounce cut pile carpeting throughout, digital clock, cloth-covered headliner, inside hood release, dome light, glove box lock, day/night inside rearview mirror, AM radio, and two-speed windshield wipers with electric washers.

For carrying, Aries two- and four-door models feature trunks with 15 cubic feet of room. The low sill height makes loading and unloading easy. The trunk compartment on S.E. models features a standard molded carpet trunk mat in the well and on all horizontal surfaces.

No matter where you drive, do yourself a favor and drive an Aries.



Aries S.E. four-door sedan interior, shown here with standard all-cloth split-back center armrest bench seating in Dark/Medium Blue.

**Dodge Aries Wagon.
Mobile Space For The Times
Of Your Life.**

People buy station wagons to carry things, so they want room. But people also want station wagons that offer the same features as the rest of the new generation of cars—trimmer size, fuel efficiency, durability, and low upkeep.

The Dodge Aries S.E. wagon styling is distinctive with woodgrain body-side and liftgate applique, bright remote control left-side mirror, and deluxe wheel covers. The Aries Custom wagon stands on its own, too, with bright moldings all around and bright stand-up Pentastar hood ornament.

The Aries wagons share the features of

advanced front-wheel drive technology with the other Aries models. And the Aries wagons also feature room—room for six people and 34.4 cubic feet of what they bring along. Fold down the rear seat and there's room for three people and 70 cubic feet of cargo. That's room with a lot of "fun" in it.

But there's more to Aries wagon than room. It's an Aries with Chrysler's advanced front-wheel drive technology. The standard 2.2-liter overhead cam engine couples with a smooth operating four-speed manual transaxle to pull you and your load efficiently wherever you're

going. Aries wagon mileage with standard 2.2-liter engine and four-speed manual transaxle is rated at **28** EPA EST MPG;* 41 estimated highway.

Aries wagon *handles* your load, too, with power-assisted rack-and-pinion steering (standard on S.E. wagon), power brakes, a proven suspension system featuring front Iso-Struts with coil springs around shock absorbers, and a linkless sway bar, and a flex arm beam axle at the rear with trailing links, coil springs, and shock absorbers. It all adds up to a front-wheel drive wagon that provides

you with ultimate traction and a ride that's stable whether your Aries is loaded up or just carrying you.

Shown below is Dodge Aries wagon in Sable Brown, the Aries S.E. wagon bench seat (no-charge option) in Brown/Beige, and the carpeted cargo compartment with 34.4 cubic feet of space (70 cubic feet with rear seat folded down).

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Dodge Aries S.E. wagon, shown in Pearl White with woodgrain trim.



Quality Engineered To Be The Best.

You can have confidence in the 1983 Aries because Chrysler Corporation is one of America's leading manufacturers of high mileage front-wheel drive cars. Chrysler has well over 30 billion miles of front-wheel drive experience, having built over two million front-wheel drive cars.

It begins in Aries with the Chrysler-designed and Chrysler-built 2.2-liter overhead cam engine. The lightweight engine—only 293.8 pounds—is designed to be fuel efficient as well as durable. Fuel efficiency is maximized with a computer-monitored electronic fuel system.

The engine is mounted transversely up front and coupled with a standard four-speed manual transaxle. This means traction for the driving wheels.

Chrysler's advanced front-wheel drive technology also contributes to Aries' smooth, stable, quiet ride with an advanced suspension system. In front, a unique Iso-Strut design includes front coil springs over shock absorbers, and a linkless sway bar. At the rear: coil springs, shock absorbers, fore and aft

trailing links, and a transverse track bar. This combination of front and rear suspension provides for a ride that is mild yet exceptionally stable in turns, on rough roads, and in crosswinds.

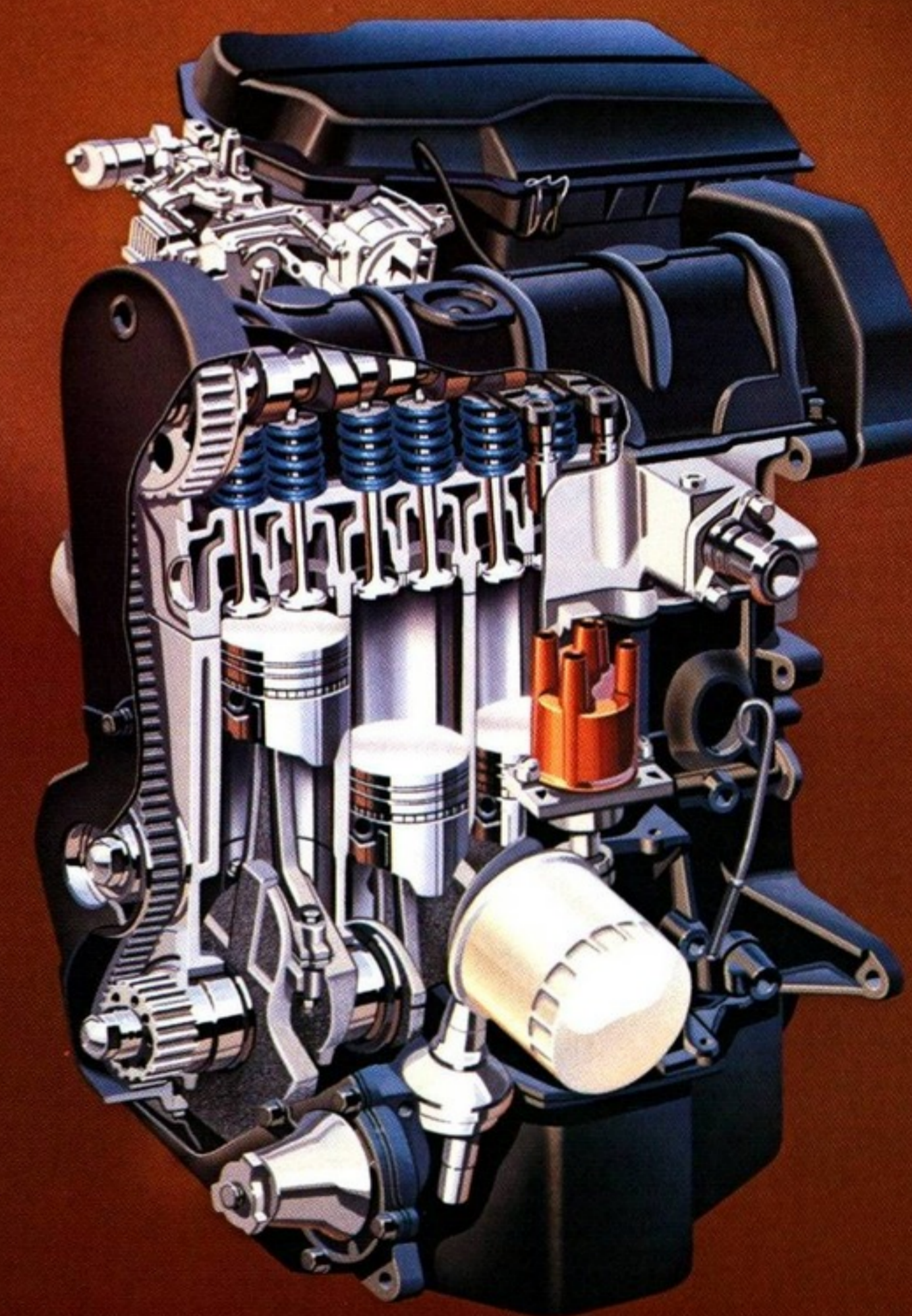
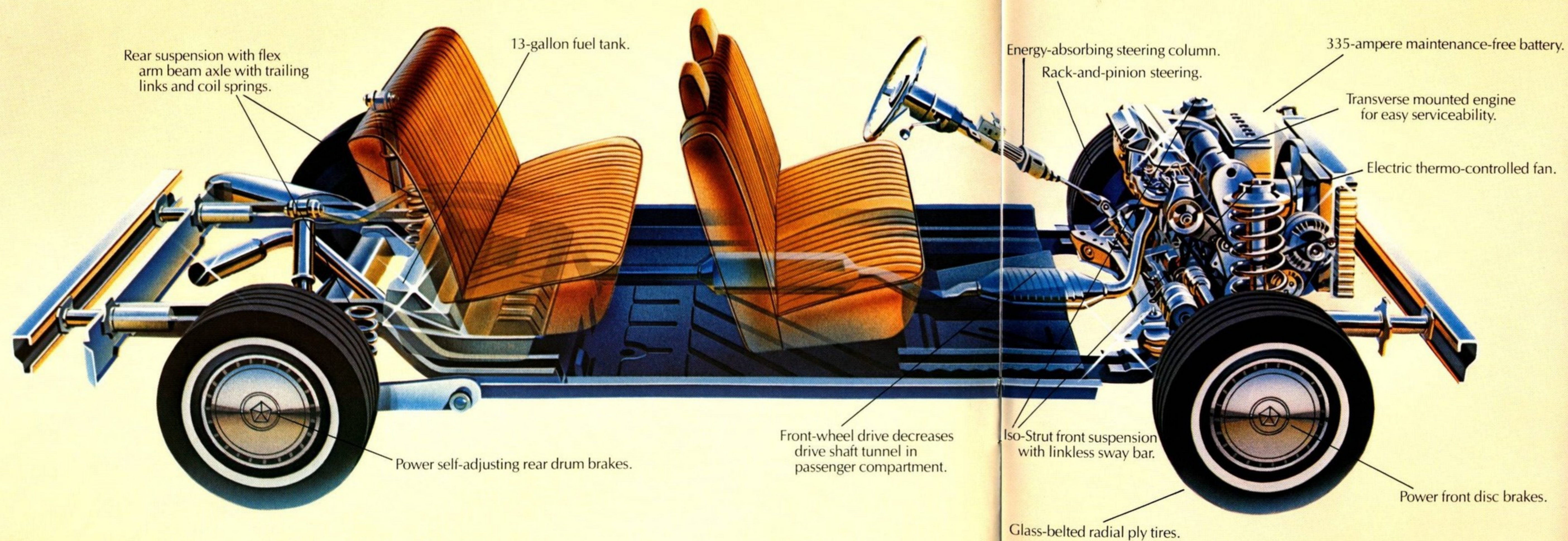
Aries also rides quietly because special rubber mounting of front and rear suspension systems helps absorb road shock and provides sound insulation. Rubber body mounts and sealants also help soak up road shock and seal out noise. Special sound insulation material is included on four-door sedans and wagons. Chrysler engineers wrap all this up with

quieter, more positive acting door locking mechanisms.

Aries is designed to be durable and inexpensive to operate. With the well thought-out placement of drive train components, most routine maintenance can be handled by you. If you do require dealer service, this same accessibility cuts down on shop time. Because more and more people will be saving money by pumping their own gas, the 1983 Aries has a handy tethered fuel filler cap.

Aries—the latest example of how good front-wheel drive technology can look and ride.

Shown below is the Chrysler-designed and Chrysler-built 2.2-liter overhead cam standard engine with long-life components that include chrome valve stems, cobalt alloy valve seats, and moly-faced compression rings. Its monitored electronic fuel system helps maximize fuel efficiency.



1983 DODGE ARIES OPTIONS.

Making an All-American Car Even Better.

A. Freestanding Center Armrest. Provides maximum comfort. Available when ordered with front bucket seats. This new option is especially nice for long drives.

B. Air Conditioning. Get fresh, clean air while driving. New bi-level airflow for 1983 helps minimize "cold spots" while keeping you cool.

C. Electronically Tuned AM/FM Stereo Radio with Cassette Player. A sophisticated cassette player is combined with an AM/FM stereo radio featuring precise solid state tuning to provide you with great sound and listening flexibility. The radio also has fluorescent digital display of the station selected, a memory system for storing five station selections in both AM and FM modes, and a Dolby* sound system.

D. Five-Speed Manual Transaxle. Gives you increased control over your forward progress—the overdrive fifth gear reduces engine revolutions for greater fuel economy during long distance driving. Available with bucket seats and center console only.

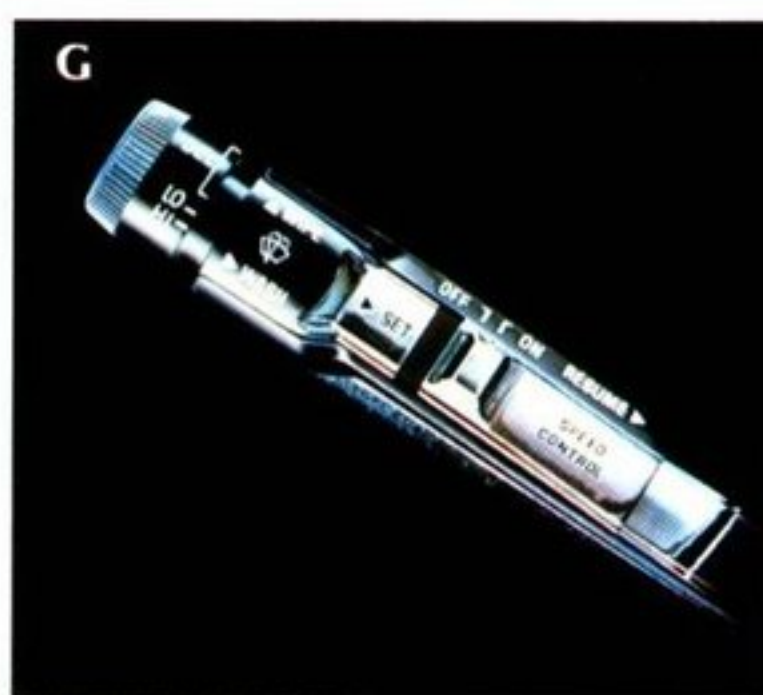
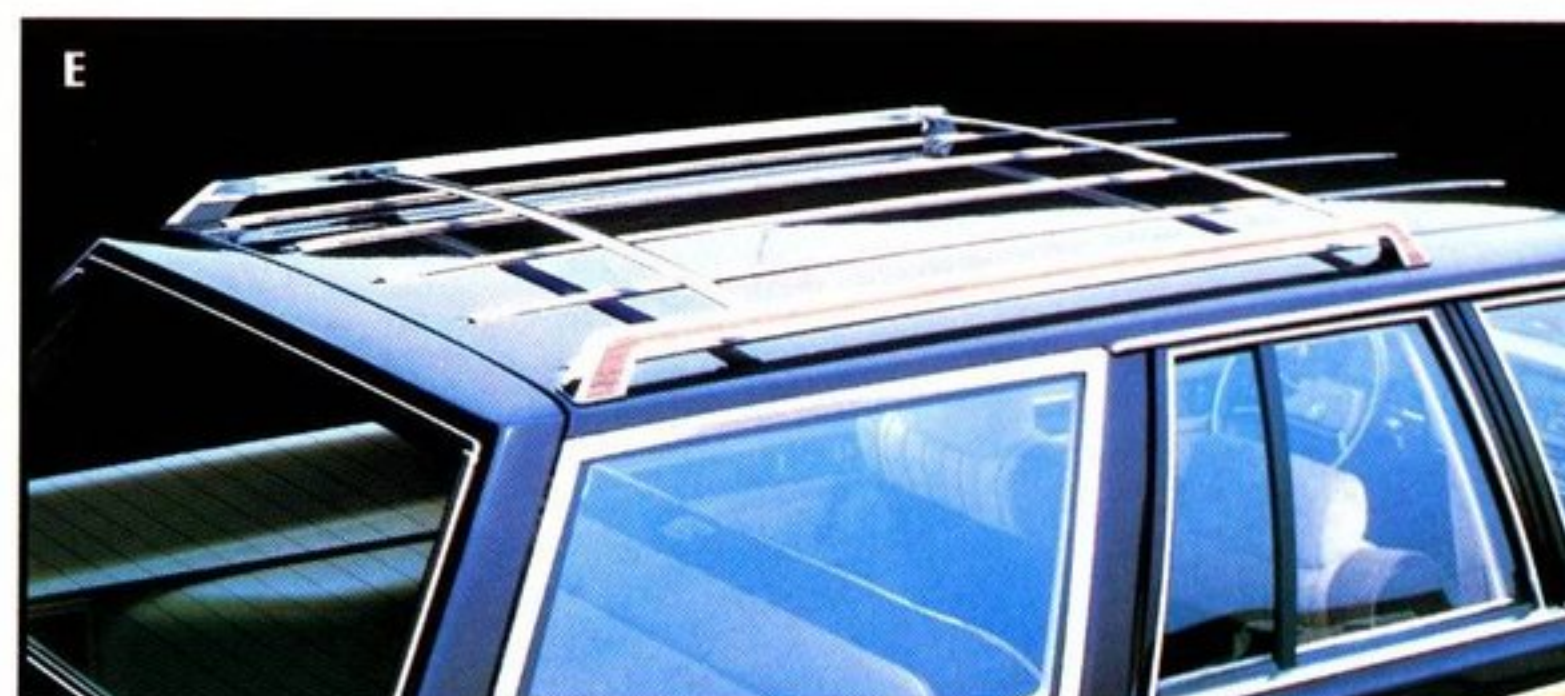
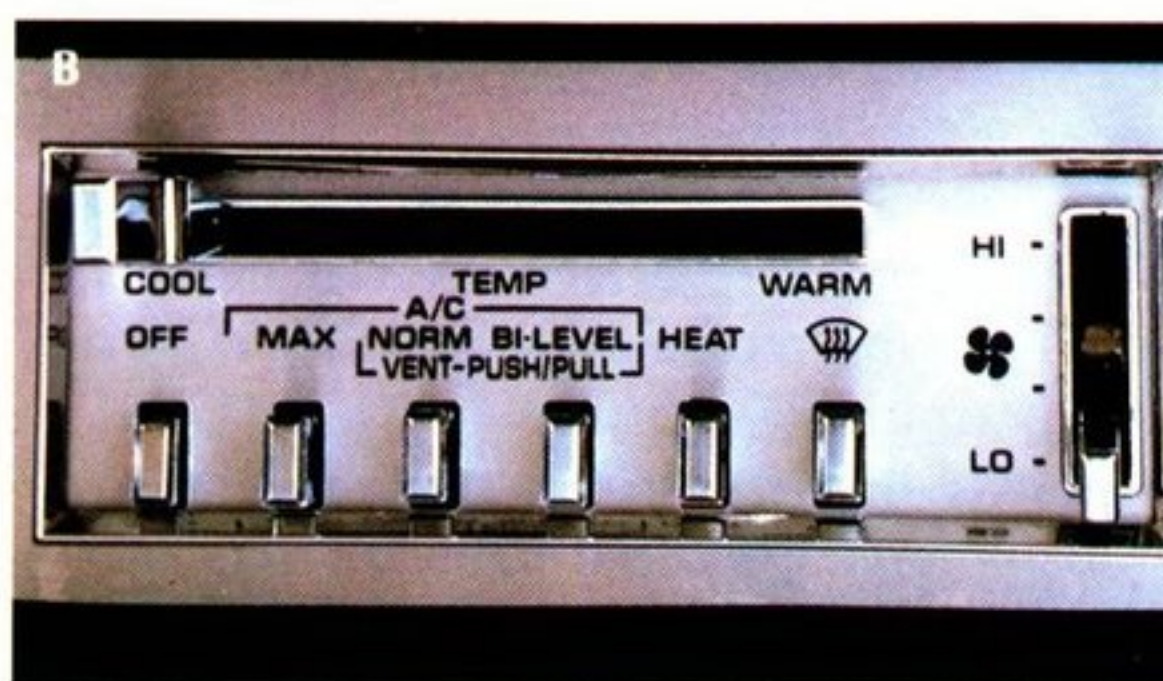
E. Rooftop Luggage Rack. Increase the already significant carrying capacity of Aries with this option that includes protective strips and tie-down rods (wagons only).

F. Wagon Liftgate Window Defroster and Wiper/Washer System. For rear vision under all driving conditions in your Aries wagon. Instrument panel-mounted controls let you defrost, demist, wash, and wipe the liftgate window.

G. Automatic Speed Control. Select the speed at which you wish to cruise, then press the convenient stalk-mounted control button and your Aries will maintain that relative speed until you touch the brakes or switch it off.

H. Wheels and Wheel Covers. Put your individual mark on an Aries with your choice of wheels or wheel covers including, from left to right: standard 13-inch wheel with hubcap, 13-inch deluxe wheel cover, 13-inch luxury wheel cover, 13-inch Rallye road wheel, 14-inch wire wheel cover, and 14-inch cast aluminum wheel.

*Dolby is a trademark of Dolby Laboratories.



Standard Features

	ARIES	S.E.	CUSTOM WAGON	S.E. WAGON
ALTERNATOR—60-ampere (75-amp standard with optional 2.6 engine)	S	S	S	S
ARMREST—Door, with integral pull handles	S	S	S	S
ASHTRAY—Front, with lighter	S	S	S	S
BATTERY—335-ampere (maintenance-free)	S	S	S	S
BRAKES—Dual diagonal: disc front, self-adjusting drum rear	S	S	S	S
BRAKES—Power	S	S	S	S
BUMPERS—Energy-absorbing	S	S	S	S
CARPETING—Cargo compartment	NA	NA	S	S
CARPETING—Passenger compartment	S	S	S	S
CLOCK—Digital	NA	S	S	S
CORROSION PROTECTION—Extensive use of galvanized steel	S	S	S	S
DIRECTIONAL SIGNALS—With lane-change feature	S	S	S	S
ENGINE—Four-cylinder 2.2-liter Trans-4	S	S	S	S
FLASHERS—Hazard-warning	S	S	S	S
FUEL FILLER CAP—Tether	S	S	S	S
HEAD RESTRAINTS—Adjustable: right and left	S	S	S	S
HEADLAMPS—Halogen	S	S	S	S
HEATER AND DEFROSTER	S	S	S	S
HOOD—Counterbalanced	S	S	S	S
HOOD RELEASE—Inside	S	S	S	S
HORN—Optical	S	S	S	S
HORNS—Dual	NA	S	S	S
IGNITION—Electronic: with voltage regulator	S	S	S	S
INSTRUMENT PANEL—Color-keyed: with rosewood woodtone (upper/lower) —Applique (upper)	NA	S	S	S
INSULATION—Hood pad	S	S	S	S
LIGHT—Warning: liftgate-ajar	NA	NA	S	S
LIGHTS—Dome, backup, side marker, parking brake warning	S	S	S	S
LOCK—Glove box	NA	S	S	S
LOUVER—Quarter window: two-door only	NA	S	NA	NA
LOUVER—Rear door glass: four-door only	NA	S	NA	NA
MIRROR—Inside, day/night	S	S	S	S
MIRROR—Outside, left, manual: black	S	S	S	NA
MIRROR—Outside, left, remote: chrome	E	E	E	S
MOLDING—Deck lid: bright	NA	S	NA	NA
MOLDING—Drip rail: bright	S	S	S	S
MOLDING—Quarter window: bright (two-door)	S	S*	NA	NA
MOLDING—Windshield backlight: bright	S	S	S	S
MOLDINGS—Belt and door frame: bright	NA	S	S	S
MOLDINGS—Body-side and liftgate: woodgrain applique	NA	NA	NA	S
MOLDINGS—Body-side with vinyl insert: integral wheel opening	S	S	S	NA
RADIO—AM (may be deleted for credit on factory orders only)	E	S	S	S
RESTRAINT SYSTEM—Unibelt with tension reliever and automatic release; color-keyed (black belts on base model)	S	S	S	S
SEATS—Cloth center armrest bench with cloth door trim panels	NA	S	S	S
SEATS—Saddle vinyl bench with vinyl door trim panels	S	NA	NA	NA
STEERING—Manual: rack-and-pinion	S	S	S	NA
STEERING—Power: rack-and-pinion†	E	E	E	S
STEERING COLUMN CONTROL LEVER—Multifunction: windshield wiper/washer, headlamp dimmer, turn signals	S	S	S	S
STEERING WHEEL—Deluxe, two-spoke	S	NA	NA	NA
STEERING WHEEL—Luxury, two-spoke: color-keyed	E	S	S	S
SUSPENSION—Front Iso-Strut with coil springs around the shock absorbers, linkless sway bar; rear flex arm beam axle with trailing links, coil springs, and shock absorbers	S	S	S	S
TAILLAMP ACCENTS—Bright	NA	S	S	S
TIRE—Spare: compact high-pressure	S	S	S	S
TIRES—P175/75R13 glass-belted radial black sidewall	S	S	S	S
TRANSAXLE—Four-speed manual‡	S	S	S	S
TRUNK—Carpet in well	S	NA	NA	NA
TRUNK—Carpeted well floor	NA	S	NA	NA
VENTILATION—Three-mode heater with center and right ram air outlets	S	S	S	S
WHEEL COVERS—Deluxe 13-inch	E	E	E	S
WHEEL COVERS—Hubcaps: with 13-inch wheels only	S	S	S	NA
WINDOWS—Vent: rear door (four-door)	S	S	S	S
WIPER SYSTEM—Two-speed: concealed, with electric washers	S	S	S	S

S—Standard. NA—Not available. E—Extra cost.

*Bright/Black with louvers.

†Required with 2.6-liter engine option in combination with air conditioning option.

‡Not available with 2.6-liter engine or bucket seat option.

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT

Certain models, packages, and options are subject to specific restrictions, requirements, and late availability. Consult your dealer for current ordering information.

- Air Conditioning¹—Manual bi-level^{2,3}
- Battery—500 amp maintenance-free: heavy-duty
- Bumper Guards—Front/rear
- Console—With bucket seats only
- Defroster—Rear window: electrically heated (required on all vehicles registered in New York state)
- Emissions—California control and testing (required on all vehicles registered in California; not available otherwise)
- Emissions—High altitude
- Engine—2.6-liter⁴ Silent Shaft MCA-JET (Mitsubishi)
- Engine Cooling—Recommended with vehicles to be equipped with field-installed air conditioning
- Glass—Tinted: all windows (recommended with air conditioning)
- License Plate Bracket—Front (no-charge option)
- Light Group⁵—Trunk light, cargo compartment light, glove box light, ash receiver light, ignition switch with time delay light, headlights-on warning buzzer, rear dome light switches, underhood light, dome reading lamp
- Luggage Rack—Roof-mounted (wagon only)
- Mats—Carpet accessory, floor: front and rear

Mirrors

- Exterior—Left and right remote control: chrome; left remote control: chrome (std on S.E. wagon)
- Interior—Illuminated right side vanity: color-keyed⁶

Moldings

- Door-Edge Protectors
- Sill

Power

- Deck Lid/Liftgate Release⁷
- Door Locks⁸
- Seat—Bucket (left only)⁹
- Steering⁹—Standard on S.E. wagon
- Windows⁸

Radios¹⁰

- AM—Manually tuned (std on Custom wagon and S.E.)
- AM/FM Stereo—Electronically tuned with cassette player and Dolby¹¹ system
- Radio—Delete for credit (Custom wagon and S.E. factory orders only)

- Roof—Full: vinyl (available on four-door only)
- Roof—Landau: padded vinyl (available on two-door only)
- Seat Belts—Deluxe: color-keyed (std on Custom wagon and S.E.)
- Sound Insulation—Special (std S.E. wagon)
- Speed Control—Automatic¹²

Station Wagon Options

- Liftgate Washer/Wiper System
- Security Cover—Cargo compartment
- Steering Column—Tilt¹²
- Steering Wheel—Luxury (std Custom wagon and S.E.)
- Stripes—Accent¹³
- Suspension—Heavy-duty: heavy-duty springs and shocks; larger diameter antisway bar on sedans
- Tires—P175/75R13 glass-belted radial wide white sidewall
- Tires—P185/70R14 steel-belted radial wide white sidewall (14" wheel and wheel cover option req.)¹⁶
- Tires—P185/70R13 steel-belted radial wide white sidewall, all-season tread
- Transaxle—Manual five-speed (not available with 2.6-liter engine; bucket seats required)
- Transaxle—TorqueFlite automatic wide ratio: three-speed (required with 2.6-liter engine)
- Trunk Dress-Up

¹Vehicles without air conditioning have special recommended cooling requirements for later air conditioning installation. See your dealer for details.

²Tinted glass required.

³2.6-liter engine requires power steering.

⁴Requires TorqueFlite transaxle and includes 75-amp alternator.

⁵Items available in Group only.

⁶Not available on base model.

⁷TorqueFlite transaxle required on wagon; Light Group required on sedan.

⁸Dual outside remote control mirrors required.

⁹Required with 2.6-liter engine and air conditioning.

¹⁰All stereo radios include four speakers: two front and two rear.

¹¹Dolby is a trademark of Dolby Laboratories.

¹²Deluxe wipers required.

¹³Not available with Two-Tone Paint Package or on S.E. wagon.

- Undercoating
- Vinyl Protective Coating—Lower body-side

Wheel Covers and Wheels

- Wheel Covers—13-inch deluxe: four (std S.E. wagon)
- Wheel Covers—13-inch luxury: four
- Wheel Covers—14-inch wire: four (14" tire option req.)
- Wheels—14-inch cast aluminum: four (14" tire option req.; not available on base model)
- Wheels—13-inch Rallye, with styled centers and trim rings: four
- Wipers—Deluxe intermittent

INTERIOR TRIM

Standard on Aries base model. All-vinyl bench seat with carpeted lower door trim panel. Available in Brown/Beige, Dark/Medium Blue, Red.

Optional on base Aries model. Cloth- and-vinyl bench seat with vinyl door trim panel. Kingsley cloth in Brown/Beige; Madison cloth in Dark/Medium Blue, Red.

Optional on Aries Custom wagon and S.E. models. Cloth premium bucket seats with dual recliners and console. Offered in Silver (not available on wagon), Brown/Beige, Dark/Medium Blue, Red.

Standard on Aries Custom wagon and S.E. models. Cloth split-back center armrest bench seat with plush cloth-covered door trim panel. Available in Silver (not available on wagon), Brown/Beige, Dark/Medium Blue, Red.

No-charge option on Aries S.E. and Custom wagon models. Saddle vinyl center armrest bench seat with vinyl door trim panel. Offered in Silver (not available on wagon), Brown/Beige, Dark/Medium Blue, Red.

Dodge for 1983



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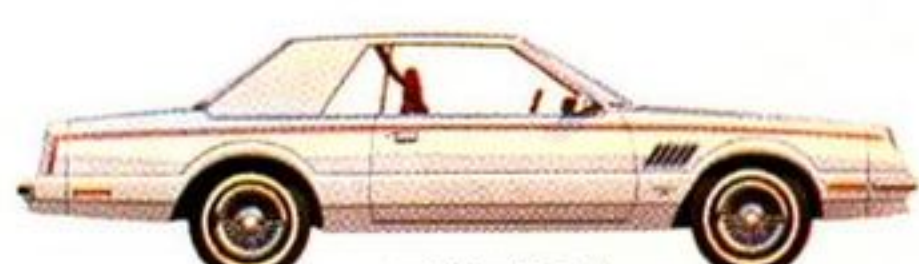
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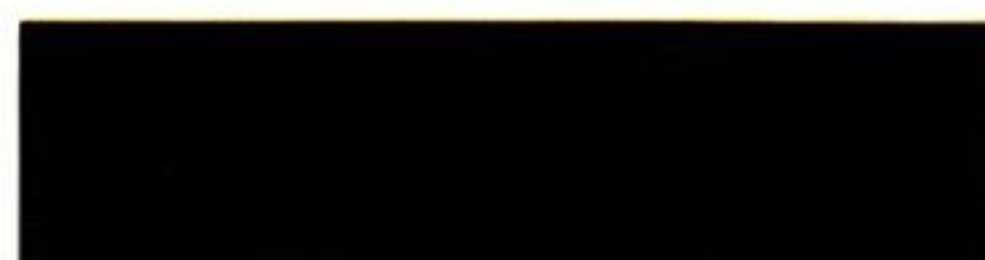


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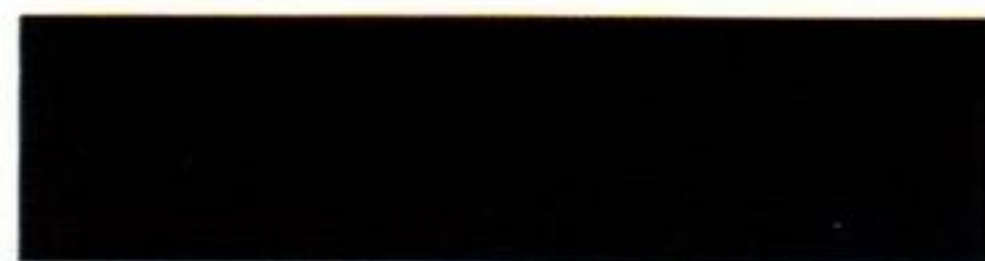


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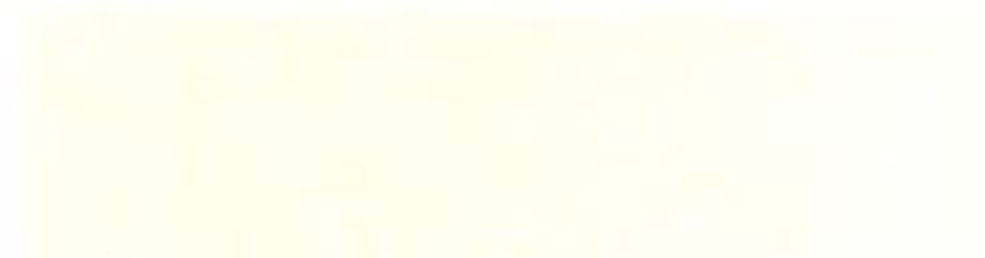
Black



Nightwatch Blue



Charcoal Gray Metallic



Pearl White



Silver Crystal Coat



Beige Crystal Coat



Crimson Red



Sable Brown



Glacier Blue Crystal Coat

Two-Tone Paint Package



Charcoal Gray/Burnished Silver Metallic

NOTE: Due to occasional printing irregularities the colors shown may vary slightly from actual hues. See your Dodge dealer for accurate color chips.

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Dimensions, Weight and Capacity

	Two-Door Sedan	Four-Door Sedan	Four-Door Wagon
Length ¹	176.0"	176.0"	176.2"
Width	68.6"	68.6"	68.6"
Height	52.3"	52.7"	52.4"
Wheelbase	100.1"	100.1"	100.1"
Turning Diameter	34.8'	34.8'	34.8'
Curb Weight	2,317 lbs (Base)	2,323 lbs (Base)	2,432 lbs (Custom) 2,484 lbs (S.E.)
Track—front —rear	57.6" 57.0"	57.6" 57.0"	57.6" 57.0"
Cargo Capacity (est.)	15.0 cu ft	15.0 cu ft	34.4 cu ft ²
Passenger Capacity	6	6	6
Fuel Capacity	13 gal	13 gal	13 gal

¹Includes optional bumper guards.

²With second seat up; 70.0 cubic feet with seat folded down.

Engines and Transaxles

Type	Displacement	Bore & Stroke	Compression Ratio	Horsepower	Torque	Transaxle Availability
				SAE Net @ RPM		
Federal & California 4-cyl OHC	2.2-liter (135 CID)	3.44" x 3.62"	9.0:1	94 hp @ 5,200	117 lb-ft @ 3,200	S— Manual (2.69 OTGR*) O— Five-speed manual* (2.20 OTGR*) O— Automatic (2.78 OTGR*)
Federal & California 4-cyl OHC	2.6-liter (156 CID)	3.59" x 3.86"	8.2:1	93 hp @ 4,500	132 lb-ft @ 2,500	S— Automatic (2.78 OTGR*)

*OTGR—Overall top gear ratio.

†Not available on 2.6-liter Mitsubishi engine.

Standard Safety Features

- Safety-Rim wheels
- Combination lap-shoulder belts for the driver and right front passenger; lap belts for all other passengers
- Seat belt reminder system
- Energy absorbing steering column with separate brake fluid reservoirs in the master cylinder
- Brake fluid pressure loss warning light (also serves as indicator when parking brake is applied)
- Hazard-warning flasher system
- Turn signals with lane-change feature
- Backup lights

- Energy-absorbing instrument panel and sun visors
- Front seat head restraints
- Energy-absorbing front seatbacks
- Inside and outside rearview mirrors
- Side marker lights and reflectors
- Seatback latches on folding front seats
- Seatback and station wagon interior panel safety latches
- Fade-resistant front disc brakes
- Ignition and steering column lock
- Anti-theft trunk lock
- Key-left-in-ignition warning
- Liftgate-ajar warning light
- Side door beams

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