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1955

MERCEDES-BENZ 190 SL Nr. 00019

Chassis-Nr. 121042 55 00019

Motor-Nr. 00017

- Very rare very early car.
- Mille Miglia eligible
- Matching numbers and colours

199.500,00 Euro

Price (§ 25 a, no tax to be shown)

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Mercedes introduced the 190 SL in March 1955 at the Geneva Autosalon. At the same time the new Supersportscar 300 SL was introduced as Gullwing. In this shadow the 190 SL, which technically based on the Ponton Sedan, should bring more commercial success for the company. The 190 SL was a big success- 25.881 cars were sold- and is still a symbol of the german 'Wirtschaftswunder'.

This 190 SL was delivered on the 26th of May in 1955 to New York - in this colour configuration. Surely one of the oldest still existing examples, with chassis number 19, body number 18 and engine number 17 ! As the first 5 cars were Pre-Production cars (all different)this 190 SL is one of the first 15 cars that the factory delivered to customers.

This special car has all the rare features of the early cars (the rubber floor mats and sill mats come with the car) - even the super rare sandcast carburetors are mounted. A rare opportunity for a collector or enthusiast to acquire such an early car in completely restored condition.

