



## Individual vehicle from Mazda Heritage Collection - **250,000 version**

(Build date November 1992. VIN: JM0NA30620020117)

It took only three years for Mazda to produce the first quarter of a million cars!

The car clearly met a pent-up demand that had been there since the demise of the traditional British Roadster.

When Mazda Australia brought this special “1/4 million” car into Australia they wanted to get the personalised plate “250,000” on it ... and the only State where this was possible was South Australia.



The car found its way to the excellent Birdwood Car Museum and, with changing staff and moving offices etc at Mazda Australia’s headquarters, the car was “forgotten”. One day Birdwood rang up and asked when Mazda wanted it back!

It was quickly returned and, although it had extremely low mileage, at some point it had been used on the beach (probably for a photo shoot) and not properly cleaned. Robbo, who at the time looked after Mazda’s “heritage fleet”, had to do a lot of work on suspension and sub-frames to get the car back to its now pristine condition.

