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Captiva™

TRAVEL TRAILERS



ALUMICAGE
CONSTRUCTION

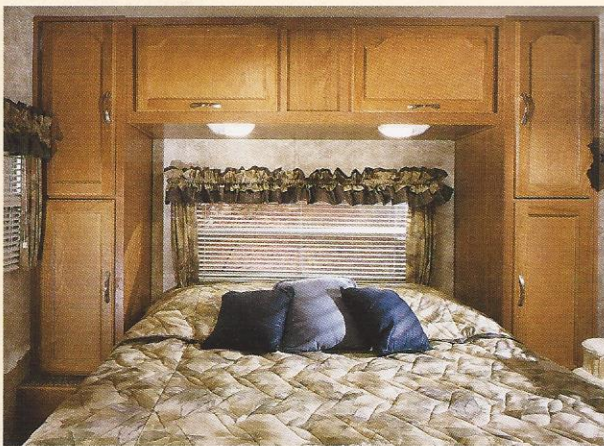
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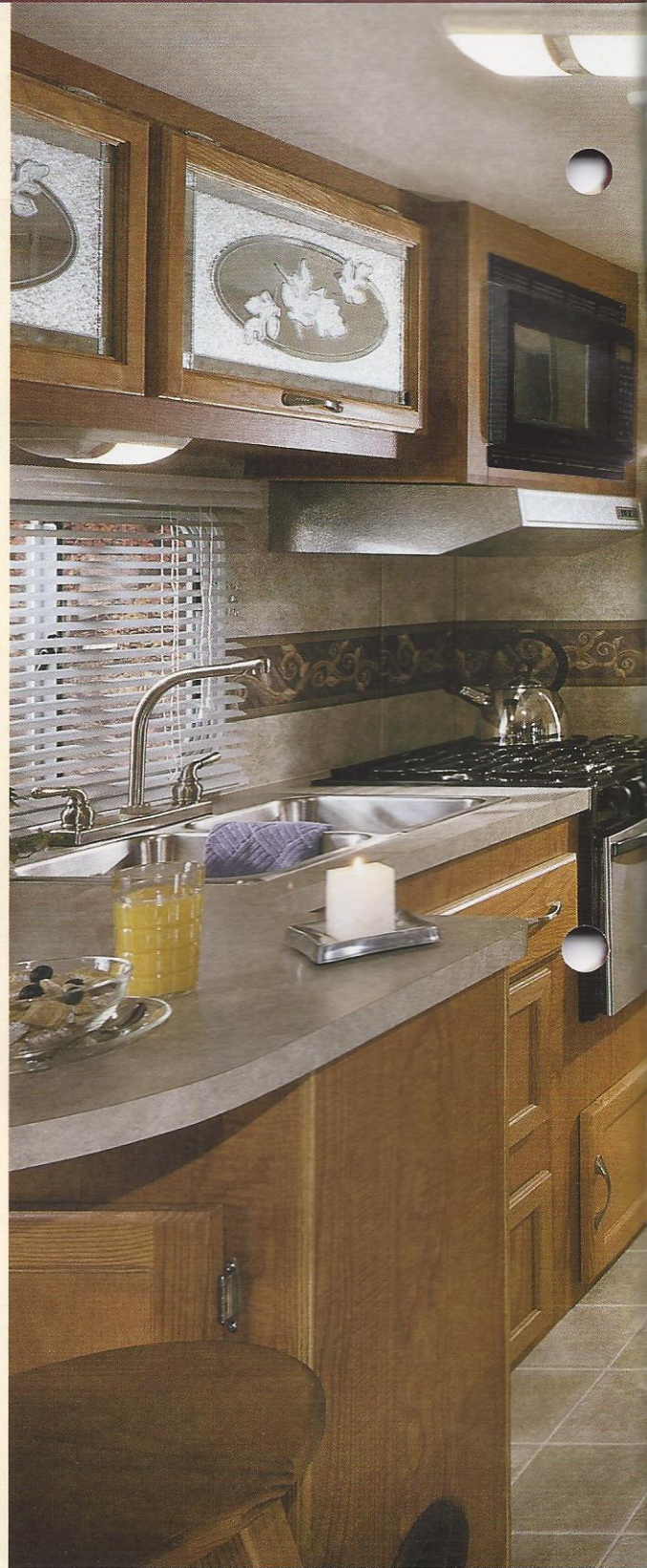


...PUT SOME ADVENTURE IN YOUR LIFE!

The laminated, aluminum framed Captiva™ by Coachmen is designed with light truck, mini-van and sport utility owners in mind. These travel trailers boast a pre-engineered, ultra light weight steel frame that is a solid foundation for easy towability. An aerodynamic profile, Torflex™ axles with independent suspension, fully enclosed underbelly and computer aided weight distribution provide a smoother, more stable tow on bumpy roads or windy days. The Captiva™ is a reliable, value added, light weight unit backed by a company you can count on.



The bedroom of the Captiva™ 275DS offers a walk around island queen bed, with plenty of overhead and wardrobe storage. The color coordinated window treatments and optional bed spread with pillow shams give the room a residential appeal.



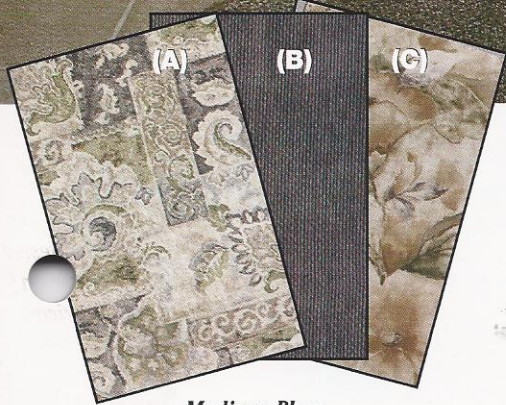
Decor Selections

Dazzling interiors feature skillfully coordinated upholstery and window treatments. Coachmen RV chooses only top-grade fabrics wear-dated as heavy-duty. These fabrics have been tested for durability beyond 15,000 double rubs (in and out motion) to simulate heavy usage. An average chair in an American home is subjected to only 3,000 double rubs per year.

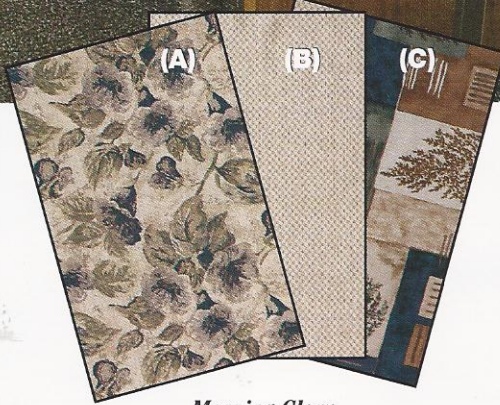
Fabric Key— A. Main B. Accent C. Bedspread



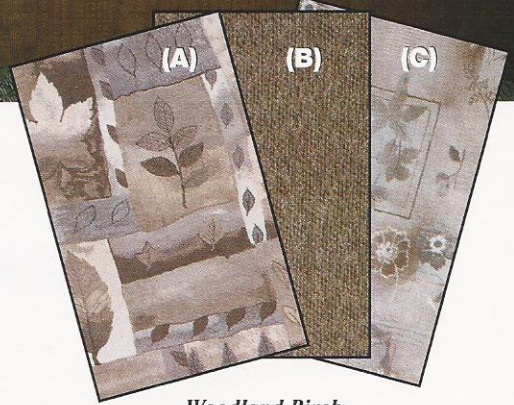
The interior of the Captiva 275DS is wonderfully appointed with pewter hardware, stainless steel look appliances, decor glass in the overhead cabinets, designer box valences, ducted roof air conditioning and spacious dinette slideout.



Madison Plum



Morning Glory



Woodland Birch

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Features Galore

Step into a Captiva™ travel trailer by Coachmen, and see the outstanding value and safety that is designed into every coach. These light weight and easy to tow vehicles have features galore to enhance your RV'ing experience. It's sometimes the things you can't see like our **Alumicage™** construction and **Duratube™** LP lines that set us apart from the crowd, while other times it's the items that are easily visible. Take a minute to see just a few of the benefits that set us apart from the rest.



SAFETY FIRST

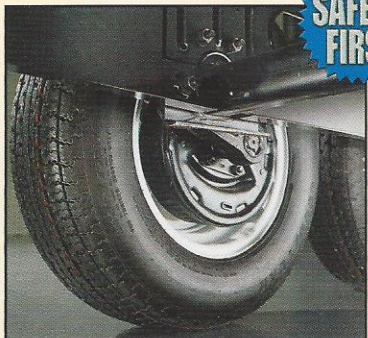
All Coachmen RV products come standard with an **LP leak detector, fire extinguisher and smoke detector** for your safety.



Cooking is made easy with the **3-burner range top and optional 16" oven**. You can bake, brown or boil your favorite meals.

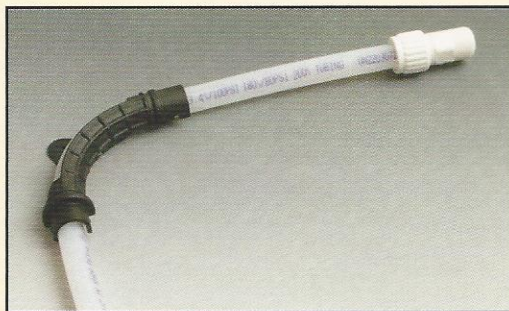


The optional **12V AM/FM Stereo with CD player** option is conveniently mounted underneath the overhead cabinet so it is up and out of the way.



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All four tires utilize **independent suspension and Torflex® axles** for improved towability and a smoother ride for the trailer.

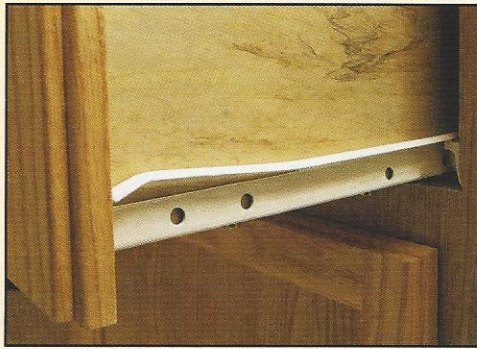


The **Flair-It™ water line** system uses radius bends to reduce the number of fittings used (approximately 56% less). Where connectors are needed, a compression fitting ensures a long term, tight seal.

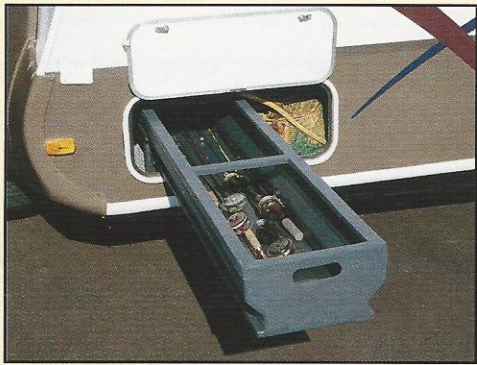


All Captiva's feature beautiful, color coordinated **box valence window treatments** for enhanced interior residential appeal.

Features Galore



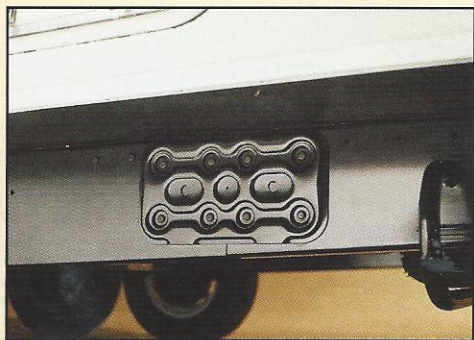
Our standard **metal drawer guides** with glide wheels provide a friction free sliding drawer that is extremely durable. The drawer guides also act as a catch so that the drawer will not slide open during travel. Simply lift up and pull to open the drawers.



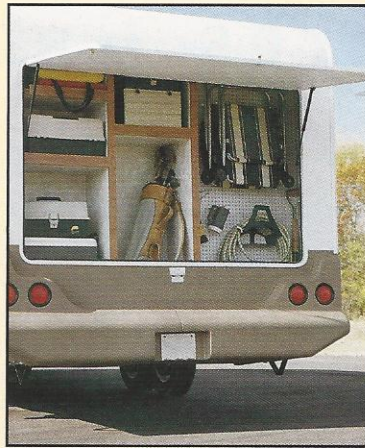
Exterior storage has been utilized to its fullest with complete **pass through storage** on all models. Add the optional **slide out storage tray** for easy access to all of your stored gear.



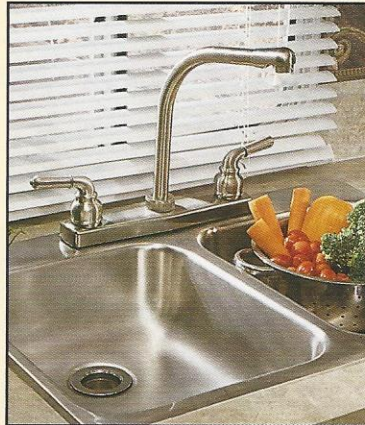
Skillfully designed sink and plumbing placement have allowed us to utilize the under sink space as a convenient **silverware/utensil drawer** that maximizes your interior storage space.



The lightweight **Norco™ sectional frame** is fastened together with huck fasteners (the same fasteners as used on the Hummer). This frame is the ultimate conglomeration of lightweight and durability.



The enormous **Rear Garage storage** easily opens with the assistance of 2 gas struts. Inside, there is plenty of storage space with several convenient shelves to store your gear (249 QRBG).



The **brushed nickel high spout faucet** is a nice residential touch that makes for simple cleanup of your taller pots and pans. You can also easily fill up your ice-tea jar on a hot summer day.



The optional **one-piece ABS tub surround** provides a protective wall barrier with an easy to clean seamless surface, and built in shelving for your shower supplies.

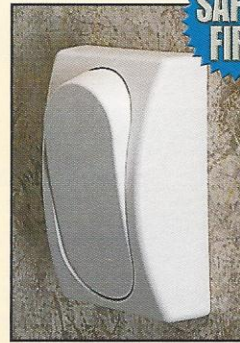


The optional **double door refrigerator** has plenty of storage capacity with door storage and removable shelves. (Premier Package)

Features Galore-Continued...



Jalousie bedroom windows tilt out design allows them to be opened for ventilation even when the weather outside is less than favorable. Just because the rain keeps you inside doesn't mean that you can't enjoy fresh air outside.



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Don't fumble around late at night looking for a tiny light switch. The extra large toggle wall switches are conveniently located and can be flipped on/off with the palm of your hand.

Ask Your Dealer About These Coachmen Exclusive Design Features.



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All Coachmen Captiva™ travel trailers utilize Duratube™ full length copper LP lines with double flared ends to ensure a tight seal and years of corrosion free use. Coachmen builds quality for the long haul.



Coachmen's SureLine™ Electrical Harness provides color coded wiring and specific wiring schematics for easy serviceability. High quality automotive electrical connectors and autoloom protective covering make for a reliable and durable harness. The wires are grouped together and neatly tucked into the framework under the coach, safe from road debris.

SAFETY FIRST



Even Cool™
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The Coachmen Even Cool™ air conditioning system is ducted through the crowned roof, and utilizes AMOCO insulated ductwork with radiused corners to provide for maximum cooling efficiency. (Ducted A/C not available on 199 DB)

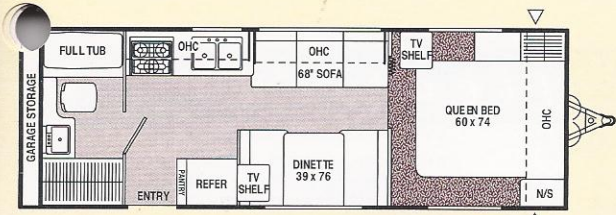
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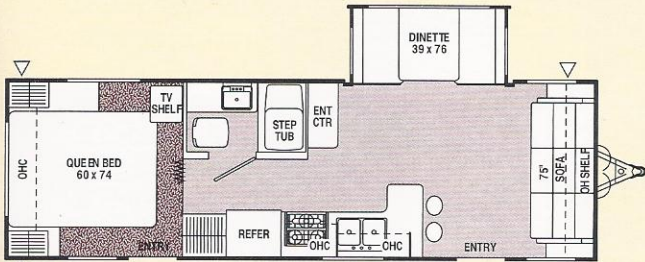
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Coachmen®
Recreational Vehicles

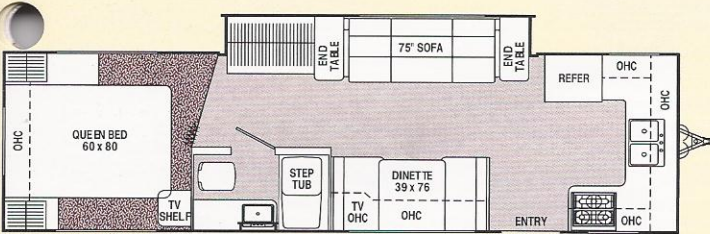
Floorplans





249QRBG Available with option: A

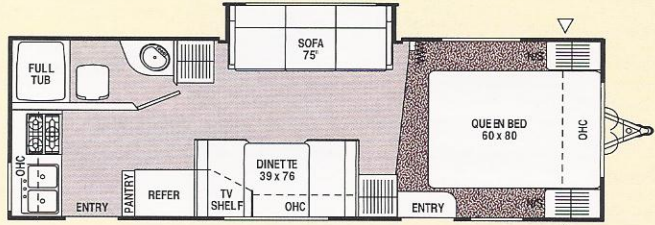


275DS Available with option: A

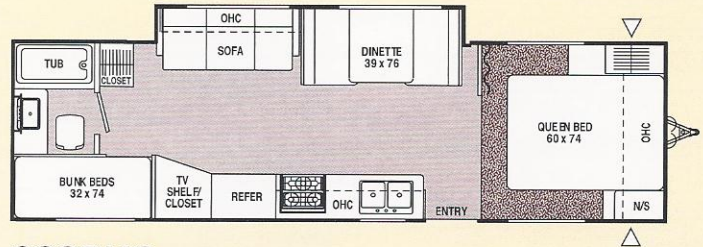


295FKS Available with option: A

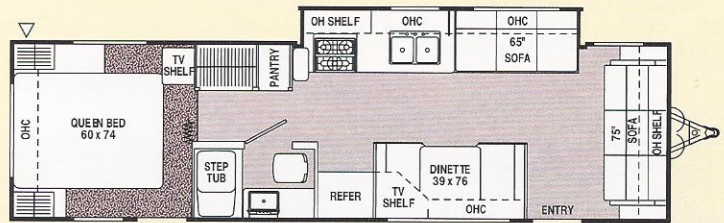
 Carpeting  Outside Storage Location



266RKSS Available with option: A



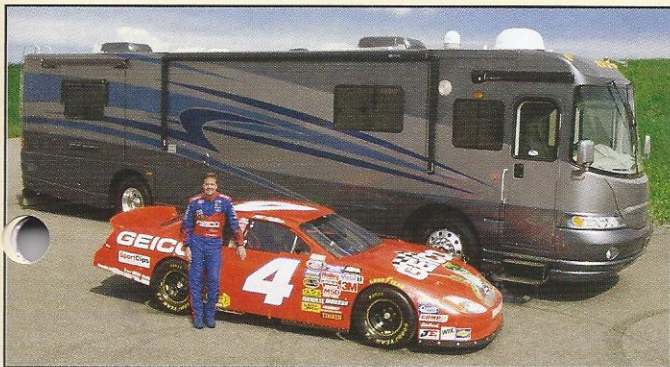
288BHS Available with option: A



296KS Available with option: A

Option Key:
A

FRONT WINDOW OPT.



LIFE IN THE FAST LANE

NASCAR driver Mike Wallace makes a Coachmen RV motorhome his home on the road. The middle brother of auto racing's famed Wallace family, Mike is a veteran of NASCAR's racing circuit.

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2005 Captiva™ Specifications

CAPTIVA™ TT	249 QRBG	266 RKSS	275 DS	288 BHS	295 FKS	296 KS
Base Weight	4,271	4,316	4,713	4,875	4,996	5,056
GVWR (lbs.)	6,310	6,370	6,330	6,480	6,350	6,350
Carrying Capacity	2,039	2,054	1,617	1,605	1,354	1,294
Hitch Weight	590	650	610	760	630	630
Axle Weight	3,681	3,666	4103	4,115	4,366	4,426
Interior Height	76"	76"	76"	76"	76"	76"
Exterior Height*	8'9"	8'9"	8'9"	8'9"	8'9"	8'9"
Exterior Length	27'10"	27'10"	28'8"	30'2"	31'8"	31'8"
Exterior Width	7'10"	7'10"	7'10"	7'10"	7'10"	7'10"
Hitch Pin Height	18"	18"	18"	18"	18"	18"
Sleeping Capacity	6	6	6	8	6	6
Fresh Water Capacity (gal.)	27	32	29	32	32	32
Waste Water Capacity (gal.)	32	32	32	32	32	32
Grey Water Capacity (gal.)	32	32	32	32	32	32
Water Heater Capacity (gal.)	6	6	6	6	6	6
LP Gas Capacity (lbs.)	40/60	40/60	40/60	40/60	40/60	40/60
Furnace Rating (x1,000) BTU	25	25	25	25	25	25
Tire Size	ST205/75R14B	ST205/75R14B	ST205/75R14B	ST205/75R14B	ST205/75R14B	ST205/75R14B

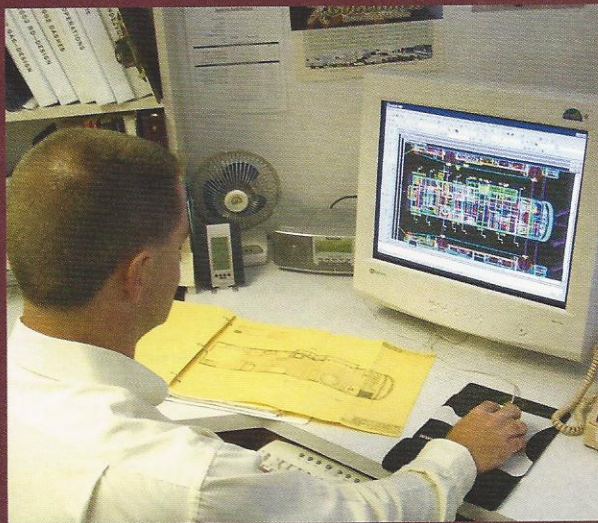
*Add 6" for Roof Air Conditioner † = Estimated

Base Weight: The weight of the unit with no fluids, cargo, optional equipment or accessories.

GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating): The maximum permissible weight of the unit, including the Base Weight plus all fluids, cargo, optional equipment and accessories. For safety and product performance, do not exceed the GVWR.

Carrying Capacity: The difference between the Base Weight and the GVWR. This is the amount of weight available for all fluids, cargo, optional equipment and accessories. The actual "loaded" weight will depend on the equipped unit and the owner's individual choice of cargo, etc.

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Quality By Design

Coachmen RV is committed to providing a high quality, reliable, and innovative product. That's why Coachmen designs quality into our products up-front, through computer aided design and analysis software. This helps to assure appropriate weight distributions, structural integrity, alignment of the various parts and components and overall reliability of the design.

Our attention to quality does not stop on the computer screen as all of our major product designs undergo rigorous road tests, rain booth testing, complete compliance audits for all codes, standards and safety related items, and comprehensive product audits.

Coachmen designs, builds and markets a superior product for reasons that may not always be easy to see, however are very easy to appreciate down the road. Our quality equates to high value, which can be critical to your long-term satisfaction.

Standard & Options

Standard Features

INTERIOR AND DECOR

- Ashland Oak Cabinetry
- Mortise & Tenon Cabinet Doors
- Decor Glass in Overhead Cabinet Doors
- Linoleum Flooring-Coach
- Carpet—Bedroom
- Mini Blinds—Throughout
- Radius Windows - Safety Glass
- Jack Knife Sofa
- Booth Dinette
- 2 Bar Stools (275DS)
- TV Antenna Ready
- Cable TV Jack
- LP Leak Alarm
- Fire Extinguisher
- Smoke Detector

GALLEY

- Microwave Ready
- 3-Burner (Hi Output) Range Top (Except 296KS)
- 3-Burner Range w/Oven (296KS)
- Power Range Hood
- Large Single Door Refrigerator
- Monitor Panel

- Double Bowl Sink
- Silverware Drawer

SLEEPING

- 74" Queen Bed (249QRBG, 275DS, 288BHS, 296KS)
- 80" Queen Bed (266RKS, 295FKS)
- Bunk Beds (288BHS)

BATH AND WATER

- Toilet w/Hand Flush
- Power Bath Vent
- 6-Gallon Gas E.I. Water Heater
- Water Heater By-Pass Valve
- Demand Water Pump
- Decorative Bath Hardware
- Medicine Cabinet

ELECTRICAL/HEATING/ AIR CONDITIONING

- GFI Circuit
- Outside Receptacle GFI
- Patio Light
- LP Light
- Enclosed Double 20 LB LP Bottles w/Auto Change-Over

- 25,000 BTU E.I. Furnace
- Speakers and Wiring for Radio
- 12V Outlets
- Exterior Security Light

EXTERIOR/CONSTRUCTION

- Norco Lightweight Sectional Frame
- Alumatic™ Construction
- Filon® Fiberglass Sidewalls
- Gutter Rail with Awning Rail
- Single Entry Step
- Dead Bolt Lock
- Radial Tires
- Rally Wheels
- Pass Through Storage
- Galvanized Wheel Wells
- Break Away Switch
- Rubber Roof
- Retractable Stabilizer Jacks (Std. on Slide Out Units)
- Electric Slide Mechanism (All Slide Models)
- Exterior Shelf
- Molded Front & Rear Caps (Partial)
- Fully Enclosed Underbelly w/Heated Tanks
- Stow-N-Go™ Rear Garage Storage (249QRBG)

Optional Equipment

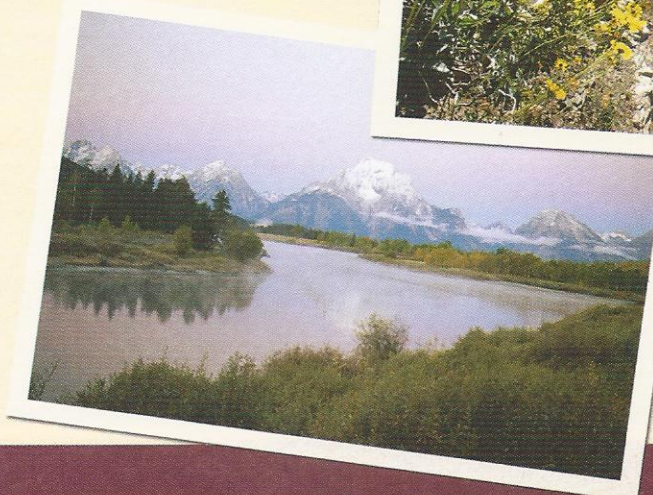
PREMIER PACKAGE

Includes:



- Innerspring Mattress (Main Bed)
- Bedsread(s) - All Beds
- TV Antenna
- 12V AM/FM CD Stereo
- Double Door Refrigerator
- Microwave Oven
- 3-Burner Range w/Oven (Std. 296KS)
- One-Piece ABS Tub Surround
- Skylight Over Tub (Except 266 RKSS)
- Front Window w/Stone Guard Awning
- 13,500 BTU Ducted Roof Air
- Double 30# LP Bottles w/Auto Change Over
- Pull-Out Storage Tray
- Patio Awning
- 6-Gallon Gas/Electric Water Heater
- Owner's Information Guide

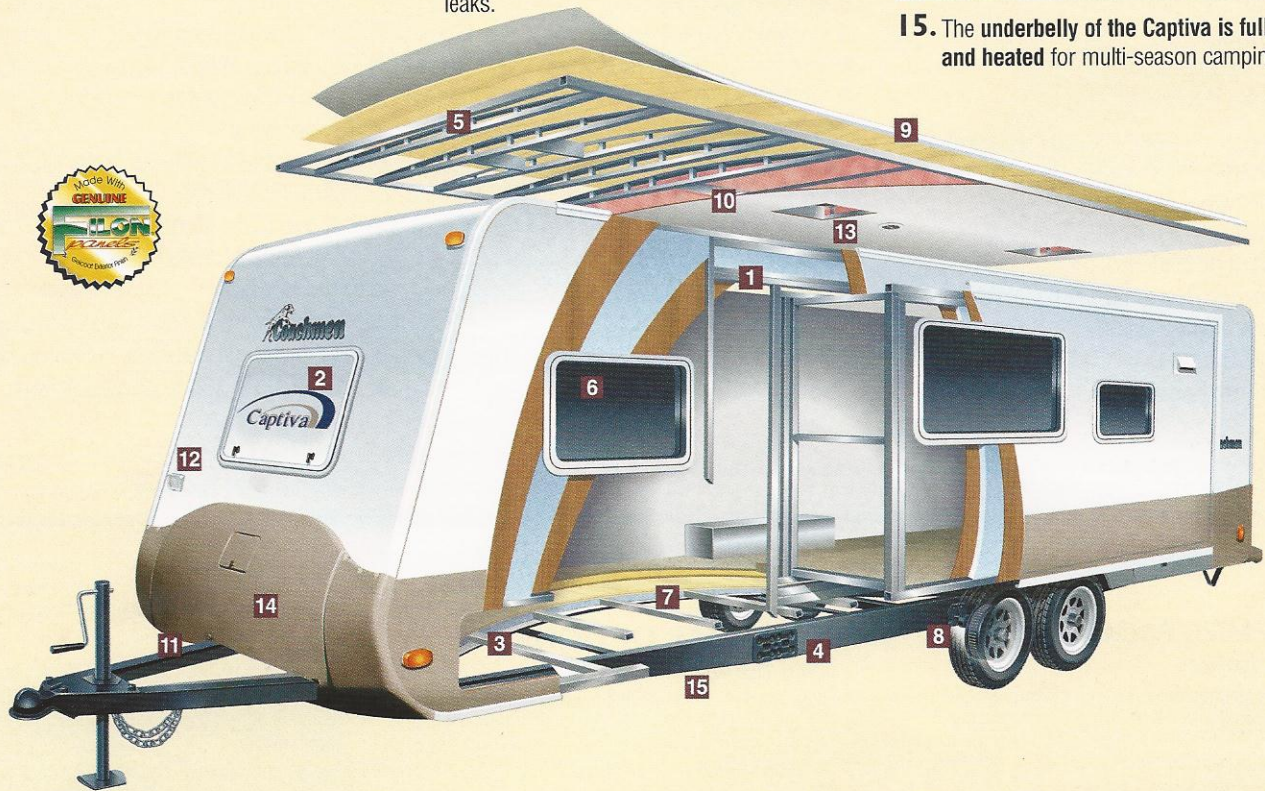
ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

- Spare Tire Kit
- Sink Cover
- Range Cover
- Outside Shower
- Tinted Safety Glass Windows
- Ladder
- CSA Upfit
- Grill-2-Go (249QRBG)




Take a Closer Look at Coachmen Quality & Construction

1. All Captiva™ travel trailers feature **Alumicage™** construction. This lightweight, corrosion resistant, aircraft grade aluminum material is utilized throughout the roof, walls and floor for superior strength and ultra light weight. 
2. The **flush mount front window awning** option is aerodynamic and provides for a clean exterior appearance.
3. **Pass through storage** is standard on all models for maximum exterior storage.
4. The lightweight **NORCO™ sectional frame** is fastened together with “huck” fasteners (the same fasteners as used on the Hummer).
5. **Arched aluminum roof trusses** offer outstanding strength and durability.
6. We use only **radius clamp ring windows**, which have no exterior fasteners or screw covers. We seal our windows with butyl-encapsulated foam for years of trouble free use.
7. **Fully Laminated floor and walls** provide extremely durable and lightweight construction.
8. **Torflex™ axles with independent suspension** and electric brakes on all wheels, along with automotive studded hubs and lug nuts make for an easy to tow unit.
9. **Seamless rubber roofs** are crowned to allow controlled water run-off, which helps prevent leaks.
10. The Coachmen **Even Cool™** air conditioning system utilizes AMOCO insulated ductwork with radiused corners to provide for maximum cooling efficiency. 
11. **Enclosed battery rack and LP tanks** with automatic changeover are standard equipment on all Captiva's.
12. **Convenience lights** are strategically located for maximum exterior visibility.
13. **All roof openings** are double sealed with butyl tape and a self leveling adhesive for a superior water tight seal.
14. All Captiva travel trailers feature a standard **ABS lower front cap and molded bumper cover**.
15. The **underbelly of the Captiva is fully enclosed and heated** for multi-season camping.



Additional Value Added Construction Features

- We insulate around the refrigerator to improve operating efficiency and prolong the trouble free life of the refrigerator.
- Jalousie bedroom windows tilt out design lets the window be open for ventilation even when it is raining outside.
- Wood cabinets are screwed into galvanized backers laminated in the sidewalls so they stay secure and won't pull free.
- All outside storage doors have latches to hold the door open, which makes access to the storage areas even easier.
- **DURATUBE™** copper LP lines ensure a tight seal and years of corrosion free use. 
- A rain gutter channels water towards the ends of the coach where a spout directs the water out away from the side of the unit.
- We believe in our products and back them with a two-year structural and major components manufacturer's warranty.

Discover the Coachmen Advantages

Service After the Sale

Industry Leading Buckstopper™ Warranty – Coachmen's exclusive Buckstopper™ Limited Warranty provides one-year coverage on most parts, components and appliances. Coachmen stands behind their product and is supported by a network of over 300 service centers.

Two Year Structural & Major Components Manufacturer's Warranty – Coachmen provides a two-year structural and major components manufacturer's warranty, along with a complete written Warranty Summary Guide, for your peace of mind.

Comprehensive Owner's Information – For your convenience we offer published materials on key equipment and options, as well as information pertaining to the function of important components. We also offer a true **Trouble Shooting & Maintenance Guide** for the simple answers to frequently asked questions.



Toll Free Service Numbers – Our toll free phone numbers provide you with direct access to a Coachmen RV Service Representative.

Dealer Support Tools – Coachmen makes sure that their dealers are well equipped and trained to service your needs with: Systems Manuals, PDI Manuals, Electronic Parts Catalogs, Coach-Link® "On-Line" Electronic Dealer Communication System, and continual service training.

Service Support Center Web Site – Coachmen provides you access to key information 24-hours a day through the Internet. On-line you can find a Service Dealer Locator, Maintenance Information, Trouble Shooting Information, Product Warranty Information, Customer "E-Assistance", Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's), and Publications ordering dating back to 1972 models.

Priority Parts Ordering – Coachmen provides a program for overnight parts shipment in critical repair situations.



Coachmen Caravan Camping Club™

Coachmen Caravan Camping Club™ is your ticket to making friends for life. Share old stories and make new, in the company of fellow Coachmen Caravan members. With the purchase of a Coachmen RV, you are invited to join the nation's largest manufacturer sponsored RV club with a **FREE 1st year basic membership or discounted Platinum membership**. As part of the Coachmen Caravan family, you will receive incredible membership benefits that will help to ensure your safety and enjoyment throughout your RV experiences. Enjoy your Coachmen RV more with the Coachmen Caravan Camping Club.

Leader to the Great Outdoors®

Coachmen RV Company is a proven leader in the RV Industry with 40 years of experience. We are dedicated to providing a high quality, reliable, and innovative product backed by high quality service support. Our mission is simple ... to meet and exceed your expectations and to make your total RV experiences memorable and enjoyable!



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