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# MEET ONE OF EARTH'S NEWEST VISITORS FROM OUTER SPACE AND MOST RECENT ARRIVAL IN THE UNITED STATES

THE BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA METEORITE

Buzzard Coulee is one of the newest extraterrestrial visitor to our planet. On November 20, 2008 a massive fireball lit up the evening skies along the Alberta/Saskatchewan border of Canada. A determined search produced stone meteorites near the small town of Lone Rock, Saskatchewan, about 3 hours drive east of Edmonton. The first pieces were recovered a week after the fall by a University of Calgary team, frozen into a small lake in a ravine named Buzzard Coulee - and the new H4 chondrite got its name. Soon after, snow began to fall across the strewn field, and the newly arrived meteorites remained buried through the long Canadian winter.

In late April 2009, as the snows began to thaw, I had the opportunity to visit the strewnfield. My friend Lisa Marie Morrison joined me on the Buzzard Coulee

meteorite expedition. And time was short: we had a narrow window of opportunity between the spring thaw and spring planting. The strewnfield lies among large farms, and once the ground had been turned over by tractors the stone meteorites would be lost forever. We were quiet happy to have been able to rescue a number of these visitors.

In order to remove meteorites from Canada, official export papers must be obtained. We have finally obtained those permits and the first Buzzard Coulee meteorites to be legally available in the United States are here. All of our Buzzard Coulee specimens have 100% legal export papers.

Each of our authentic Buzzard Coulee specimens will be accompanied by the following:

A full color copy of the official Canadian export permit An individual hand-made specimen identification card

A full color 8 x 10 exclusive signed color photograph of Lisa Marie, Geoffrey Notkin with one of his finds, or a panoramic view of the Buzzard Coulee strewnfield (your choice). They are the three photos seen here. The original field bag with field notes

[above] Buzzard Coulee lake in the heart of the strewnfield.



[pictured above] Geoff with one of his finds.



[pictured above] Lisa Marie - "it went this way"



Small elongated whole stone with a couple of small chips in the fresh fusion crust that nicely reveal the gray interior.

See the large photos >>>

1.2 grams 16 mm x 7 mm x 7 mm \$50.00

Field # gn 2-8



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Beautiful rounded whole stone with 100% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

2.5 grams 13 mm x 11 mm x 10 mm \$100.00

Field # gn 1-6



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Almost perfect egg-shaped whole stone with 99.5% fusion crust. Possibly orientated. Wicked cute!

See the large photos >>>

3.3 grams 16 mm x 13 mm x 9 mm \$132.00

Field # lmm 1-2



Tear-dropped whole stone with 98% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

4.8 grams 20 mm x 15 mm x 11 mm \$198.00

Field # lmm 111



## **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

This slightly oriented stone has a chipped face that reveals the gray interior. Might be some secondary fusion crust on the back side.

See the large photos >>>

6.3 grams 20 mm x 15 mm x 12 mm \$252.00

Field # gn 1-3



#### **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Striking fully fusion crusted stone with wonderful character.

See the large photos >>>

6.5 grams 21 mm x 14 mm x 17 mm \$260.00

Field # Imm 95



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Irregular elongated whole stone with 95% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

7.1 grams 23 mm x 16 mm x 11 mm \$284.00

Field # gn 124



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Stunning angular pyramid shaped whole stone with 98% fusion crust.

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8.5 grams 23 mm x 17 mm x 20 mm \$340.00 **RESERVED** 

Field # gn 2-31



Thick rich black 99% fusion crust on this partially oriented stone. Smooth texture on the front face, with a hint of a roll-over lip and flow lines transitioning into a matte black rough textured rear face.

See the large photos >>>

9.4 grams 27 mm x 18 mm x 12 mm \$376.00

Field # lmm 117



## **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

A concave face flows into a winged shaped side on this beautiful whole stone. Overall piece is vaguely heart-shaped. 97% fusion crust on this charming specimen.

See the large photos >>>

10.5 grams 25 mm x 19 mm x 14 mm \$420.00

Field # Imm 119



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Interesting small cavity on one side and fascinating angular shape. Lisa Marie insists this one resembles a hawk, or Sphinx, or goldfish cracker. She's still coming up with other descriptions. A chip in the fusion crust on one face reveals it's stony interior.

See the large photos >>>

10.6 grams 25 mm x 22 mm x 15 mm \$424.00

Field # lmm 2-24



## **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Unique half oval with flattened sides. Has a chip on one corner for 97% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

13.5 grams 24 mm x 21 mm x 15 mm \$540.00

Field # gn 2-34



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

85% fusion crust on this beautiful 3-sided column. Stands up naturally as shown.

See the large photos >>>

14.0 grams 29 mm x 18 mm x 16 mm \$560.00

Field # gn 2-18



Heart-shaped fragment beautifully highlights the thick fusion crust and intriguing interior. Front face is matte black fusion crust, rear side is all interior. Superb specimen.

See the large photos >>>

18.4 grams 35 mm x 30 mm x 12 mm \$736.00

Field # gn 109



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Lisa says this one gorgeous piece looks like a giant capital 'A'. There are a few small chips for 98% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

18.9 grams 32 mm x 23 mm x 14 mm \$756.00

Field # Imm 2-21



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Dramatic diamond-shaped 99% fusion crusted stone. A spectacular specimen.

See the large photos >>>

19.3 grams 33 mm x 25 mm x 17 mm \$772.00

Field # lmm 1-3



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Gorgeous stone with long sloping faces has 90% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

23.3 grams 33 mm x 26 mm x 19 mm \$815.00

Field # Imm 2-19



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Small regmaglypts and spots of fusion crust so shiny it looks like black enamel. 95 % fusion crust with some chips - mostly on the corners.

See the large photos >>>

28.5 grams 31 mm x 29 mm x 22 mm \$997.00

Field # Imm 2-10



Magnificent 98% fusion crusted stone with flared tips on one side. Found, at the end of a long day hunting far from the vehicle, less than 5 feet from the vehicle just outside the tire track.

## See the large photos >>>

29.4 grams 36 mm x 30 mm x 23 mm \$1,030.00

Field # Imm 1-5



#### **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Oriented stone with hint of a roll-over lip distinguished by a distinct change in texture of the fusion crust. Almost a perfect whole stone with just a tiny chip for 99% fusion crust.

#### See the large photos >>>

32.3 grams 37 mm x 28 mm x 19 mm \$1,130.00

Field # Imm 112



## **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

The shark fin. Oriented stone with matte black fusion crust over the majority of the stone and glossy fusion crust on the trailing end. A chip on one side reveals gray interior and possibly slick-in-sides.

See the large photos >>>

32.5 grams 41 mm x 28 mm x 25 mm \$1,137.00

Field # Imm 104



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

This outstanding fragmented piece is an oriented shield with full fusion crust on one side and about half fusion crust on the rear side. Flow lines trail across the front face.

## See the large photos >>>

35.2 grams 48 mm x 36 mm x 15 mm \$1,232.00

Field # gn 100



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Mostly complete 95% fusion crusted stone. Nice sized individual with a gracefully curved front, flattened sides and concave back.

# See the large photos >>>

38.3 grams 42 mm x 25 mm x 21 mm \$1,340.00

Field # Imm 2-6



Reminiscent of a spear tip this beautiful whole stone is 98% fusion crust; some of which appears to be secondary fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

40.3 grams 43 mm x 27 mm x 22 mm \$1,410.00

Field # gn 108



## **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

This fascinating stone softly curves into a reclining 'L' shape. A whole stone with 100% fusion crust. Light regmaglypting.

See the large photos >>>

40.5 grams 42 mm x 28 mm x 26 mm \$1,417.00

Field # gn 2-14



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Attractive wave shaped with curves flowing from one side to another. Whole stone with 100% fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

48.5 grams 40 mm x 32 mm x 31 mm \$1,697.00

Field # Imm 2-8



# **BUZZARD COULEE, CANADA**

Largest stone publicly offered of the specimens we found. This notable stone is coated with a rich black crust chipped in two spots for 95% complete fusion crust.

See the large photos >>>

57.2 grams 45 mm x 31 mm x 28 mm \$2,000.00

Field # gn 2-13

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