



## Choosing The Chariot Of The Gods



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The second-generation BMW 3 Series—the E30—has long been called “God’s Chariot,” earning this nickname because it is wonderfully communicative, responsive, and [...]

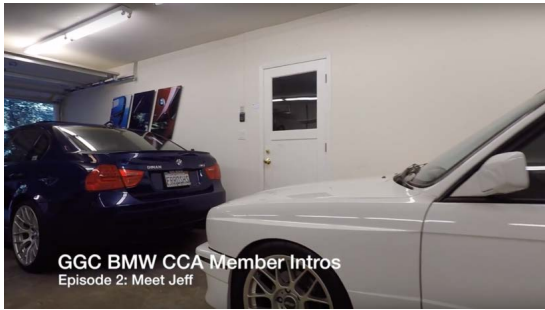
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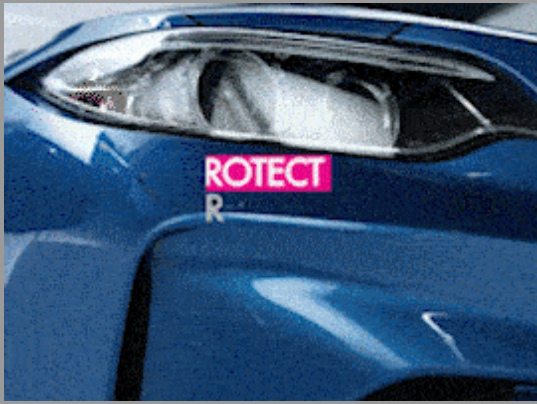
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