

# Gun Evaluations

## What is a gun evaluation?

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We begin every gun restoration with an evaluation from our Gunsmith, who has been restoring and repairing firearms for 55+ years. His expertise is often sought from historical societies all over the US, as well as the History Channel. He starts by evaluating each component to determine exactly what process will be needed to either restore, preserve, or conserve it. This includes a full examination, photos, and a comprehensive report on the firearm, its condition, history, and value or potential value.

## How long does it take?

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Because we serve clients all over the U.S., the demand for our restoration services is high. Evaluations can take 3-6 months and 12-18 months for restoration depending on the complexity of the work needed. We do work off of a running queue and take in new firearms for evaluation every few months. If you'd like to have your firearm evaluated, we'll add you to our queue and call you when we're ready to receive the next queue of firearms for evaluation.

## What types of firearms do you restore?

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Our specialist is able to restore many different types of firearms. From antique and collectable guns and rifles to ones that have simply been passed down through the generations of your family. We specialize in flintlock, percussion, and other antique and historical guns

## Is there a cost?

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Due to the technical and in depth nature of the evaluation there is a \$350.00 (plus tax) non-refundable fee. Should you decide to move forward with any of the proposed work, 50% of that fee will be credited towards your total cost.

# What do I do now?

- Depending on your location, the gun can be dropped off at our office or shipped directly to our gunsmith. This is when the evaluation fee is collected.
- Wait for your evaluation report and then decide if you would like to move forward with restoration. Should you move forward we will credit half of the evaluation fee to your total and collect a 50% deposit.
- When the work has been completed we will reach out to you and arrange a time for pick up or shipment from our gunsmith back to you. The remainder of the balance will then be collected.

Before



After



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