



Designed with families in mind:





## new Bertram 38 Express with the world's ablest hull!

After Bertram had astonished the boating world by winning the toughest Miami-Nassau race ever held — and continued to win race after race — demand for the same superior design in freshly-styled cruisers was inevitable... and impressive.

Bertram responded.

First came the versatile Bertram 31, an 8'6" distinctive model.

Next, the nimble Bertram 33, powered by stern drive.

Then, last year, Bertram introduced the distinguished Bertram 36 Fly Bridge Cruiser — a luxurious yacht which so earned the admiration of knowledgeable buyers that Bertram was inspired to develop a new and distinctive version of that magnificent yacht.

Result: the brilliant Bertram 38 Express Cruiser.

Here is a boat of classic proportions — elegant in simplicity, imaginative in styling... and clearly advanced in features to give you more comfort and fun aboard than you have ever known.

### Real Cruising Luxury

Your wife should inspect this beautiful new boat with you. She'll delight in the space, the practical arrangement for cruising six in comfort, the big galley with loads of storage space, cabinets, gleaming stainless steel, and standard electric range and refrigerator. She'll appreciate the galley's location in the main cabin close to the firm-constructed double by the main cabin window.

Beyond of windows, she will certainly notice that every window and hatch is completely sealed.

The head has an attractive vanity or standard shower. The private forward cabin sleeps two, may have an optional second toilet.

Naturally, she'll admire the generous storage space throughout (including

two big hanging lockers). But perhaps most of all, she'll fall in love with the new Bertram color schemes expressed in coordinated curtains, wall-to-wall carpeting, and luxurious fabrics. Catering to her instinct for individuality, she can take her pick of three overall master color themes: beige, green, or gold.

### Beautiful... But Practical, Too

For instance, all fiberglass surfaces that you walk on are non-skid. Windows slide in new extruded vinyl frames to seal out water. Engines have new independent suspension that greatly reduces vibration.

Speaking of engines, take your choice of 230 or 315 HP Chrysler gas, or 181 HP GM Diesel. Whichever you select, you'll appreciate the tremendous space of the engine compartment with water-tight forward bulkhead. A separate compartment provides for optional auxiliary generator and other equipment.

A new all-fiberglass fuel tank with accurate level gauge holds a whopping 100 gallons for real cruising range.

Other nice touches: standard taxi cockpit seat with dacron curtain, a deckhouse top designed for easy installation of a fly bridge hatch, and possibly the nicest touch of all — a pleasing price that invites comparison.

### Famed Bertram Features Retained

With the best of the new, the best of the proven has been retained.

Most notable is the famed Bertram hull design for performance without post, whether beating an offshore swell or serenely cruising protected waters. So comfortably does a Bertram ride, even in a stiff chop, that many women who have never really enjoyed powerboating before now say they are really enjoying it for the first time.

Remarkable, too, is how dry a Bertram 38 rides. Spray almost never reaches the windshield or cockpit.

Most dramatic is the way the Bertram hull turns and banks so perfectly that passengers are not thrown off balance. While designed for family pleasure, a Bertram's performance will wow even low-keelers.

### High-Impact Fiberglass

Bertram engineers have added new space-age refinements to the famed High Impact Fiberglass process to produce a hull even stronger and more beautiful than its predecessors. The incredibly smooth, brilliant surface tells you quality is built in throughout the hull.

### Tested and Guaranteed

Only Bertram water-tests every hull to insure the ultimate in quality. Bertram offers an unusual 3-year guarantee on fiberglass hull and components — ask your dealer for details. And while you're there, ask him, too, about financing plans that could make it easier than you think to move up to the *finest the experts are buying*.

With the new Bertram 38 Express offering so much that's new for your cruising pleasure, isn't it time you saw your dealer? Write us and we'll send you our dealer list and literature. Address: Bertram Yacht Division, 3021 N.W. 21st Street, Miami 42, Florida.



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