Subject: Re: Cool Chief! We're of an age

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Johnny Quest had some great big band Afrocentric music. Some hot stuff! Sea Hunt, man, do I remember Sea Hunt! Richard Diamond, Boston Blackie, Peter Gunn... all great detective shows. And "Out of the blue of the western sky, it's... Sky King!"I still think the Cessna 310 is a great looking airplane! As a kid I was in charge of fixing TV's in our house. I learned to read the tube diagrams. I'd pull the tubes, put them in a shoebox, each one carefully wrapped in an old rag. I'd pedal my bike, shoebox of tubes in the basket, down to a little convenience store that had a tube tester. I'd test the tubes, buy new ones if necessary, pedal back home, reinstall the tubes, and hopefully, the TV would fire up and work. I was all of, oh, 10 or 11 years old when I learned to do that.