Subject: Old Cd players never die

Posted by MWG on Sun, 19 Nov 2006 16:19:23 GMT

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I bought another Denon 1500 MK II real cheap because it had issues. When it arrived it was pretty sad. It was dirty and the drawer stuck open and it skipped. So I looked around the shop and found a 1/16: O-ring that was the right length and that cured the drawer problem. Next I cleaned the rails on the drawer and tracking mechanisms and applied a little De-Oxit. Lastly I cleaned the lens and plugged it back in. It works just fine now. It may not live forever but It sure sounds sweet to me. It's funny how each time I fiddle with something electro-mechanical I learn a bit more about it. The mechanical I can usually figure out but the electronic end still leaves me wondering Maybe someday I'll have a clue.

Subject: Re: Old Cd players never die

Posted by Wayne Parham on Sun, 19 Nov 2006 21:39:47 GMT

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Excellent! Glad you were able to get that unit back in good shape.

Subject: Hey Wayne

Posted by MWG on Mon, 20 Nov 2006 01:47:49 GMT

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Would you please read this article and tell me what you think of it? You can e-mail me the answer if you'd rather. mgibsonATgorge.net Progress?

Subject: Hey MWG

Posted by Wayne Parham on Sun, 26 Nov 2006 18:36:31 GMT

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We had a discussion about this a while back. Check it out: Non-oversampled v. Oversampled

Subject: Re: Hey MWG

Posted by MWG on Tue, 05 Dec 2006 16:46:14 GMT

Wayne I read that thread but about all I understood were the thes, ands and buts I like the older players I've mainly because they sound less edgy to me. Or maybe it's just because my old tired ears don't appreciate bright sound anymore.

Subject: Re: Old Cd players never die

Posted by busybeehelpers on Wed, 23 May 2007 22:27:18 GMT

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That's how you learn by fiddling around as you say. And hey if you can fix up something old and get it to work well and seem to be long lasting, that's great.

Subject: Re: Old Cd players never die

Posted by Crystal on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 17:31:05 GMT

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Yeah right, I would have loved for someone to have told me that when I broke my cd. Well, I didn't really break it. It kind of just got old.But I threw it out.