Subject: Midhorn kits
Posted by Wayne Parham on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 14:28:20 GMT
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Please forgive my lack of modesty, but I just have to say something. I see a lot of great projects, and I don't hesitate to mention the cool stuff when I see it. So I would be remiss to overlook Bill

them out. They're cherry, both in wood stock and in quality and appearance. I gotta say they're just beautiful, really "cherry." Great woodworking, with sharp, perfect angled cuts. Beautiful wood grain, just gorgeous. And nice packaging too. These midhorn kits are sweet.It's not very modest of me to say, I know, but really the credit goes to Martinelli. To bad all these are spoken for, 'cause I'd like to keep them. But there's more where they came from.

Subject: Pics?
Posted by GarMan on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 14:44:56 GMT
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Come on Wayne. Take them out and snap a couple of photos.

Subject: Re: Midhorn kits
Posted by DaveJ on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 15:26:12 GMT
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I'm running a set of Bill's 800Hz horns made from Padauk with a PSD-2002 compression driver and a Eminence Kappa Pro 12A woofer as a "smallish" 2-way. The woodworking is gorgeous as stated by Wayne and the Paduak has a very nice look to it. It think eventually it's going to wind up sitting on a gloss black woofer cabinet, should make a nice contrast.As for the sound, the Woodhorn and the 2002 driver make a sweet combo. I think I'm set for awhile on the speaker front.DaveJ

Subject: Re: Pics?
Posted by Wayne Parham on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 15:54:50 GMT
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These are already on their way. There's a photo of the midhorns on the shopping cart and in the various forum posts, but it's hard to capture the detail in low-res computer shots.

Subject: Re: Pics?
Posted by GarMan on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 15:58:47 GMT
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I'd like to make a request for some shots of Bill's horn from the side and back.

Subject: Re: Pics?
Posted by Chris R on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 16:25:10 GMT
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Hey, I have this fancy new 5mp camera, and I'd be happy to make anice photo array of these things. Just send them out and I'll getright to it. Might take a few weeks, but hey, I'm doing it fornothing...Oh, I wasn't supposed to try them out? Oops! Sorry.

Subject: Re: Pics?
Posted by Wayne Parham on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 18:22:52 GMT
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I'll see about getting some photos for you. I made photos of the side and back when I made the prototypes, but didn't post them. Now I can't find them so I must have deleted them. They look just like the rendered images. But I'll make sure and get some new photos for you.

Subject: Re: Midhorn kits
Posted by Wayne Parham on Thu, 17 Jun 2004 18:29:21 GMT
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I'm pretty fond of the 17" horn Bill makes too. We developed it together, and I think it's pretty special. I've always been impressed with Bill's choice to use a billet throat and mount, having an O-ring seal for the compression driver. It's something that really sets them apart from others, in my opinion, and the wood craftmanship is very nice as well. As you might guess, I'm fond of using them in a simple two-way configuration like you have done too.