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Item: BULL BARS FOR LANDROVER DEFENDER Wrap around type

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BULL BARS FOR LANDROVER DEFENDER Wrap around type

With an amusing story as to why I am selling it

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Condition:	Used: An item that has been previously used. The item may have some signs of cosmetic wear, but is fully ... Read more	Type:	Body Parts
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With each eBay sale I make I tell a story about the item and the reason for the sale. I then add the story to a dynamic book I am creating on my w site www.foggydave.co.uk If you go to my web site you will find previous eBay listings and other stories.

THE REASON FOR THIS SALE IS TOLD BELOW

FOR SALE

A WRAP AROUND BULL BAR FOR A LAND ROVER DEFENDER

The side grills covering the headlights are hinged for easy access

The spot lights are not included

The bull bars have been used but are in reasonable condition with very little scuffing or splits on the coating

Due to the weight of this item it is for collection only

Thank you for looking and if you are bidding good luck

The reason for the sale is told below

My green fingered one in her attempt to make some money on the side, decided to go into Horticulture, hiring out her services for general garden maintenance and landscaping. Her qualifications and experience in this line of work were zero, zilch, nada, nothing. She could not tell a weed from a flower or her ~~hircanthessis~~ ~~Hyac~~ ~~hircanth~~ from her ~~geraniumiums~~, ~~geraniumiums~~ ~~graniminimumms~~ other flowers. (Note, I must install spell checker). But whenever has not knowing how to do somethin stopped any woman trying, failing, and then blaming their husbands, because, if it had not been for their laziness the wife would not have had to do whatever it was th not do.

The catalyst for this new career was the purchase of a sit on lawn mower from Ebay, a very good bargain. Well it was once I had ripped out the 100cc engine a 3500 cc V8 engine in and put Land Rover wheels on in place of the silly pram size wheels. This was the only ninety five miles per hour lawnmower in Glenfield. I h welded a frame vertically on one side to hold a six foot high rotor blade to do the hedges.

Very efficient I must say. And so my little Percy Thrower sent the lad around with flyers offering her services, she also added fortune telling, basic midwifery and spell casting to earn some ext pennies.

The first enquiry for gardening came in from Lady Penelope up at the big house. Off my wife went, note book and stubby pencil in hand to survey the job and give a p She came back an hour later steely glint in her eye, it transpired that upon knocking at the front door she was told in no uncertain terms by the butler to use the tradesr entrance. To add insult to injury she was told to stand in the hall whilst the lackey would "see if m'lady is available". My wife could hear Lady P in the next room talk laughing on the phone and was fairly sure no one was on the other end. She was at last admitted to the room and told to stand on a newspaper as the floors were highl polished teak and far too good for my dearest's shoe to stand on.(Mind you with her athletes foot and other fungal ailments it was not a bad idea) Lady 'P' then went state that my green fingered wife would do her garden for free in exchange for Lady P to spread the good word of her gardening expertise if she did have the effronter charge then Lady 'P' would blacklist her with other potential customers. This was a threat, and no one threatens my wife and stays healthy for very long. This is not a by hitting the threatener, but by the casting of spells and the sticking of pins in effigies of said threatener.

A few days later she was summoned to do the gardens of the hall, I would not have been involved but as my wife cannot drive I had to transport all the equipment to t Land Rover, trailer, mower and us duly arrived to do the garden under the watchful eye of Lady 'P'. I say eye singular because the other one was closed and puffy due unknown ailment that had mysteriously assailed her, this along with a sudden attack of Montezuma's revenge kept her indoors. (This was a favourite spell of my dear My hairy armed wife sat astride the m ighty beast and with a press of the starter button the engine burst into life. With a mighty roar the mower went hurling down th of the lawn at fifty miles per hour in a storm of grass cuttings, occasionally veering off course and clipping the hedge with the side blades. By the time she had reach end the once immaculately straight hedge now had a wavy pattern its entire length with great scallops cut out. On seeing this Lady 'P' hobbled downstairs and onto th only to find the mower on its return trip like a huge green whirlwind bearing down upon her, she dived screaming to the side as my wife hurtled past, ear defenders on feigning deafness. The butler thinking murder and mayhem was afoot grabbed a double barrel shot gun from the gun rack and ran out to see her Ladyship trying to cl old oak tree in the middle of the lawn. The mower buzzing angrily around the trunk cutting the lower branches off as the air was filled with twigs, leaves, shredded plas chairs, and other garden detritus. My wife seeing the butler bearing down on her shot gun in hand changed direction and headed for the greenhouse and vegetable garc would insist later that she had no intention of destroying the greenhouse and priceless bonsai collection but had been frightened by the wild eyed butler with a danger weapon in his hand. (Who wouldn't be?) The mower stalled as it exited the demolished greenhouse. My wife got off the machine, placing the back of her hand to her and feigning a female swoon staggered over the now close cut lawn to the house, and collapsed in a heap on the path (someone had not used a pooper scooper) In the meantime Lady 'P' had fallen out of the tree into the butlers arms and was now in the drawing room drinking copious amounts of gin served by the wild eyed butler w seeing his beloved Lady in a near death experience realized his love and devotion for her. It is not untill you are about to lose something that you appreciate its worth feelings for it, this he was trying to tell her as he poured yet another drink. Lady 'P' normally courted by the gentry and well to do's had never heard words spoken frc heart like this and was strangely moved at their beautiful honesty. She too had feelings towards Percy (for that was his name), those feelings given words were floatin and giving substance to what before was only a whim, a fancy, a day dream. She had thought her beau would be a knight on a large white horse who would come and her off, but here was this meek, mild mannered man who had cared for her for the last thirty years. He was such a part of her life that she never saw him and in a clea realized what life would be without him. They would live as before, Mistress and servant, but would share a secret and would smile at each other in a knowing way, h offer those extra services not normally given and she would take them. My wife and I upon entering the house found them sitting holding hands oblivious to everythir each other, not wanting or caring.

I loaded the mower onto the trailer and silently we left. We heard no more from Lady 'P' but thought it a good idea to give up the gardening business. I had hoped to t bull bars as a modification to protect the cutting blades but as we have sold the mower I am now selling the bull bar.

As is normal with my auctions I invite you the reader to suggest a few more uses for this bull bar You could use them on shopping trolleys, babies prams, and other w things. In fact any situation where you want to push people out of the way.

Do you play cricket and are well endowed in the family jewels department. If so you could tie a bit of rope to it hang it around your neck and use it as a cricket box. T biddies in the pavilion would look at you in a new light.

I await your suggestions

27.07.2010 second day of auction.

We have a question from a lady eBayer living in Stoke.

Would this fit my smart car as I am fed up with bumping into things?FD. With your obviose lack of taste and my welding skills I am sure we can get it to would though suggest a few more driving lessons may be the answer as this bull bar is a tad wide for such a do you call it a car?

This though gives me an idea. What is the biggest problem riding a bicycle through any major city? You may think its a sweaty crutch and armpits, No! Its other tr forcine you ever closer to that cvcle off road course they call the gutter. Just imagine the journey with Foggydaves bull bar strapped to your handle bars. No problems

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