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Posted by DJ on Fri, 10 Nov 2006 18:16:59 GMT
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I know where the Esquire is. That's the only one. Robbie Krieger played that guitar at a show when our band opened for the Doors back in 1967. He tried to buy it from me right then and there but I wouldn't part with it. A few years later I sold it to a cousin. Now he won't sell it for any amount that I could afford.

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"Gary Flanigan" <gary_flangian@ce9.uscourts.gov> wrote in message news:455764b4\$1@linux...

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Yeoww!

I played one guitar for 20 years, but sold more bitchin' old cars
than I can bear to remember, so I know how you feel.

Some consolation is that the best guitars ever made are being
made right now by people like Collings, Tom Anderson, Grosh,
McInturff and dozens more. And you can get just the neck size and
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Now I have 11 guitars and feel pretty silly about it most of the time.

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