



Free Coin Appraisals

by HCC, Inc., the rare coin management company...

HCC, Inc. currently has four full time numismatists on staff to appraise and purchase your coin collection. With a combined full time service of almost 100 years, we can answer most any question and what we do not know, we know where to find out for you.

No collection is too large or too small for us to handle. We pride ourselves in our ability to provide this unique service to you. Serving the banking community now for more than twelve years.

If you have ever wondered how much your old United States or foreign coins and paper money are worth, you may want to take advantage of HCC, Inc.'s free coin appraisal services being offered at participating banks. All you have to do is watch your newspaper, ask your banker, or check the HCC, Inc. web site at www.hcc-coin.com to learn when a free coin appraisal day will be held near you.



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There are some things you can do in advance that will make the appraisal go more smoothly. These pointers will be presented through the commonly asked questions that are answered inside this brochure...

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HOW DO I PREPARE? There are three important things to remember...

First, it is helpful to separate each denomination from the others, but it is not necessary to arrange the coins by date. It is okay to lump all foreign coins, tokens, and medals together.

Second, do NOT clean your coins. There is no upside to cleaning - in fact, many a valuable coin has been ruined by someone who thought they were simply making a dark or dirty coin brighter. Collectors do not like coins that have been cleaned. This is a BIG no-no!

Third, there is no such thing as a sample of what you have. Bring everything where possible. The date, mint mark, and condition of each coin may vary sufficiently to give each coin a different value. Don't assume because we give you a value for one coin that all others you own that look similar must have the exact same value.

WHAT CAN I EXPECT? You will receive a written appraisal of what you bring with you. We cannot appraise what we cannot see. This written appraisal will include the current market price at which HCC, Inc. will purchase your coins and paper money if you wish to sell your collection. We will also try to answer your additional questions as time permits.

IS THERE A LIMIT TO WHAT I CAN BRING? We recommend you bring everything if possible, however if in our judgment we feel what you have will take too much time to appraise we may make other arrangements with you where possible.

IS THERE A FEE? No, HCC's coin appraisal days held at banks are at no cost to you. It is a FREE community service provided by your local bank and HCC, Inc.

DO I NEED AN APPOINTMENT? No, coin appraisals are conducted between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the scheduled day on a first-come, first-serve basis. Sorry, but no scheduled appointments can be made.

DO YOU MAKE HOUSE CALLS? We provide free appraisals at banks. Time is money. We simply cannot appraise coins at someone's home, although if we have examined a portion of a large accumulation on a Coin Appraisal Day that someone wishes to sell and it becomes necessary, we may at our discretion make an appointment to meet somewhere at a later date to purchase the balance.

CAN I SELL MY COINS? HCC, Inc.'s coin appraiser is prepared to purchase all or part of what you have at the time of the appraisal- if you wish to sell. You are under NO obligation to sell, but we cannot guarantee these same prices for a future date.

WHAT ELSE DO YOU BUY? HCC, Inc. is a rare coin management company. We purchase any coins or paper money that have a value exceeding their face value. Coins and notes worth only their face value can be redeemed by the bank tellers if you wish to dispose of them. We can purchase precious metal ingots ie; gold, silver and platinum, but we do not purchase scrap metal or jewelry.

