## Advertiser Review: FTD Cycle Repair

FTD Cycle Repair is a motorcycle repair shop located at 3536 W. Osborn in Phoenix, Arizona. It is an old-school no-frills bike shop that has been at this location since June of 2015. All you'll find here are talented wrenches. No hype or glitz. *It's a Bike Shop NOT a Boutique!* 

Owner Ken Schmoldt worked within the Harley-Davidson corporate network and is H-D University trained. After years in the dealership system, he chose to strike off on his own, as an Independent shop. Ken's fellow mechanic, Dan Parent, is an MMI {Motorcycle Mechanics Institute} graduate.

FTD services HD and aftermarket V-twins. Accessories can be purchased & installed. You can get modifications, oil changes, tire service [with computer balancing], and engine & transmission perfor-

mance upgrades. Metric Cruisers service & parts are also available.

FTD Cycle Repair is a dealer for the following distributers: V-Twin Mfg., Tucker Rocky, Hard-Drive, Western Powersports, and Mid USA; covering the needs of American V-twins and metric cruisers.

In 2018, FTD's 'Dirty Bandit' placed 2nd in the Rat Bike class, during the Rat's Hole Custom Bike Show at the Buffalo Chip in Sturgis.

We can offer you the 'Dragnet' information that is important to have when learning about a shop... ["Just the facts Ma'am"] but there's nothing like hearing the reviews of customers to give you the feel of a place. So, we'll turn this over to some of them to share their thoughts.

Mark Polk reviewed FTD Cycle Repair — 5 star -- July 29, 2016 •

"Fantastic place Ken is one of the most honest guys you will ever meet good work an fair prices" Jerry Neal reviewed FTD Cycle Repair — 5 star -- August 10, 2017 •

"These guys are solid. They ended up doing more work than was expected. Probably saved my life. They noticed bad bearings on tire change that would have been overlooked elsewhere."

Aleksandar Petković recommends FTD Cycle Repair. January 4, 2019 •

"Great guys. Very honest. Will not screw you over. They are also very knowledgeable. They went through my harley chopper and found everything that was wrong with it. I finally found a shop I can trust whose mechanics know what they are doing. I went to 3 different shops before this one and I only got screwed over for money. I had one shop put the wrong part in my tranny, and also hooked up my oil lines incorrectly. The other shop tried to sell me a new tranny instead of fixing the existing one. After taking the bike to FTD cycle repair, they were able to resolve all these issues, and some other ones I did not even know about, but were definitely there after they pointed them out, and took a great care of me and my bike. Highly recommended."

Think I'm just cherry-picking the best of the reviews? They are ALL 5-stars. Read 'em for yourself on their FB page. While you're at it you can check out shop photos & projects too at https://www.facebook.com/FTD-Cycle-Repair-197833240403/

FTD Cycle Repair is open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday 9a-6pm. Closed Tuesdays & Sundays. The shop is located at 3536 W. Osborn in Phoenix. Need some work done? Give Ken a call at 623-363-9056 or drop an email to ftdcyclerepair@outlook.com.

Let Ken know that you heard about 'em from Bruce & Betsy.

