



## 4/4 Paint Facelift By Adrian

Our 1990 4/4 is now over 30 years old and many contented hours driving around (78k miles), and then cleaning and polishing have left their mark. Bodywork paint 'swirls' are present on every panel, but what to do about it..... A recent edition of Mog magazine had an article about detailing work carried out on a 3 Wheeler by Pyramid Car Care of Worcester.....that looked just the job. So we booked in for an overnight stay to carry out a Single Stage body enhancement, a 2 year Ceramic coating, interior cleanse and a wheel clean.

I do admit to being slightly apprehensive as to whether this was the right thing to do, but was reassured by Ry Tombs that there should / would be significant improvement, and that 80% + of the swirls should disappear.

When we arrived in Worcester, on a Sunday evening so there is commitment, he was finishing a BMW and wow it looked pretty good. We agreed a few details and Ry promised regular photo updates during Monday, and that we would collect Tuesday morning.

The updates came and it was clear a real improvement was underway. Tuesday morning and snow on the ground...oh no, and Judy had to drive the tin top home. However fortunately it wasn't much and all main roads were clear.

When entering the workshop I could have been back at the showroom. All gleam and sparkle. The 80% promise of swirls eradication had been surpassed, and just the right amount of 'love marks' remained. Wheels back to their painted best, and an aroma in the cabin, ( yes, all done with roof in place), I haven't experienced for some time. A fine job.....now to get home in the dry.



Paint Swirls Before treatment



If you're thinking of a spruce up of the old paint work, Pyramid Car Care would be an excellent choice. Even the buildings on the small industrial site were the right colour to match the car.