

Ovation

1994
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1994 COLLECTORS' EDITION



The 1994 Collectors' Edition marks the introduction of the all-new Optima Preamp System. Featuring a tunable steep notch filter and built-in chromatic tuner, the Optima is the most advanced preamp and equalization system ever developed for acoustic/electric guitars. It also features a balanced XLR output in addition to the standard 1/4" high impedance output, which eliminates the need for a direct box when sending the guitar signal straight to the PA.

- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Inlaid Rosette of Ash, Ebony and Pearl •
 - Mid-Depth Body •
- New Optima Preamp System •
 - Balanced XLR Output •
- Mahogany, Ebony & Purple Heart Neck •
 - Ebony Tuning Machine Buttons •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1994	Mid-Depth C/A	6-String Ac/EI	Nutmeg	\$1,695.00

VIPER



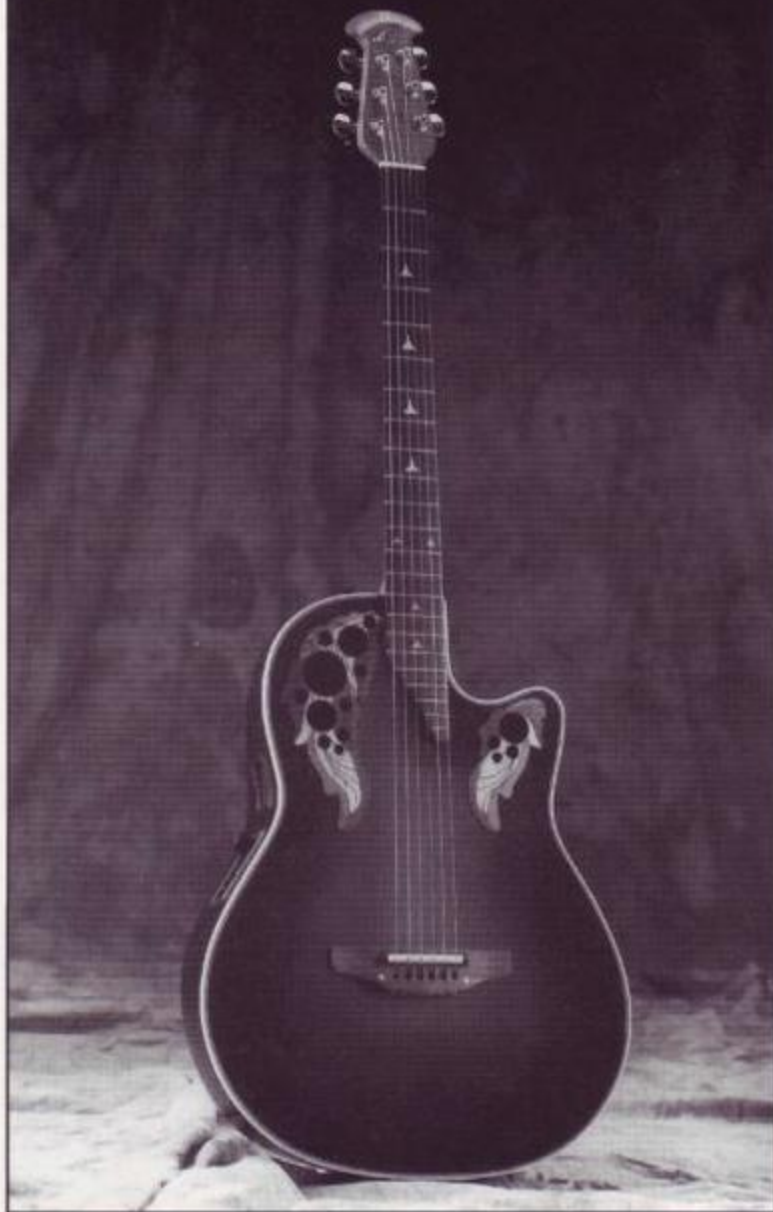
The line between electric guitar and acoustic guitar is blurring. Here's an instrument the makes the distinction even finer - the new Ovation Viper. From the ground up, the Viper is a new kind of guitar. Ovation designers worked closely with the solid body experts at Hamer Guitars to achieve just the right balance between the two worlds. The Viper is available in either steel string or nylon string versions.

- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Acoustically Carved Mahogany Body •
- 24-fret Bound Ebony Fingerboard •
 - Custom Thinline Graphic eq •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
EA68	Mahogany C/A	6-String Ac/EI	4,5	\$1,795.00
EA63	Mahogany C/A	Nylon String Ac/EI	4	\$1,795.00

Finishes: 4-Natural; 5-Black

LONGNECK

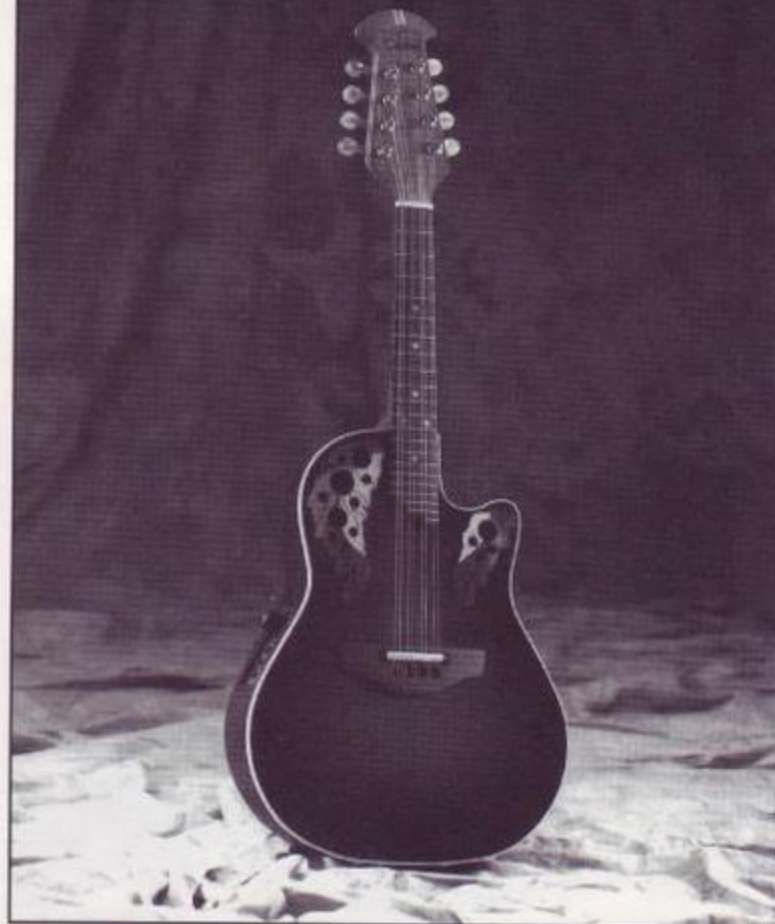


Here's an entirely new idea in acoustic guitars. The LongNeck has a 28.35" scale, so at normal string tension, it tunes a full step lower than a standard guitar. The sonic results are startling. Chords are bigger and "chunkier". Bass lines are deeper and cleaner. The tonal possibilities in standard and varied tunings are phenomenal.

- 28.35" Scale Length •
- Tuned Full Step Lower Than Standard •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
 - Quintad Bracing •
- Deluxe Gold Plated Hardware •
- OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
DS768	Deep C/A	6-string Ac/EI	CCB,4	\$1,595.00
Finishes: CCB-Cherry Cherryburst; 4-Natural				

MANDOLIN

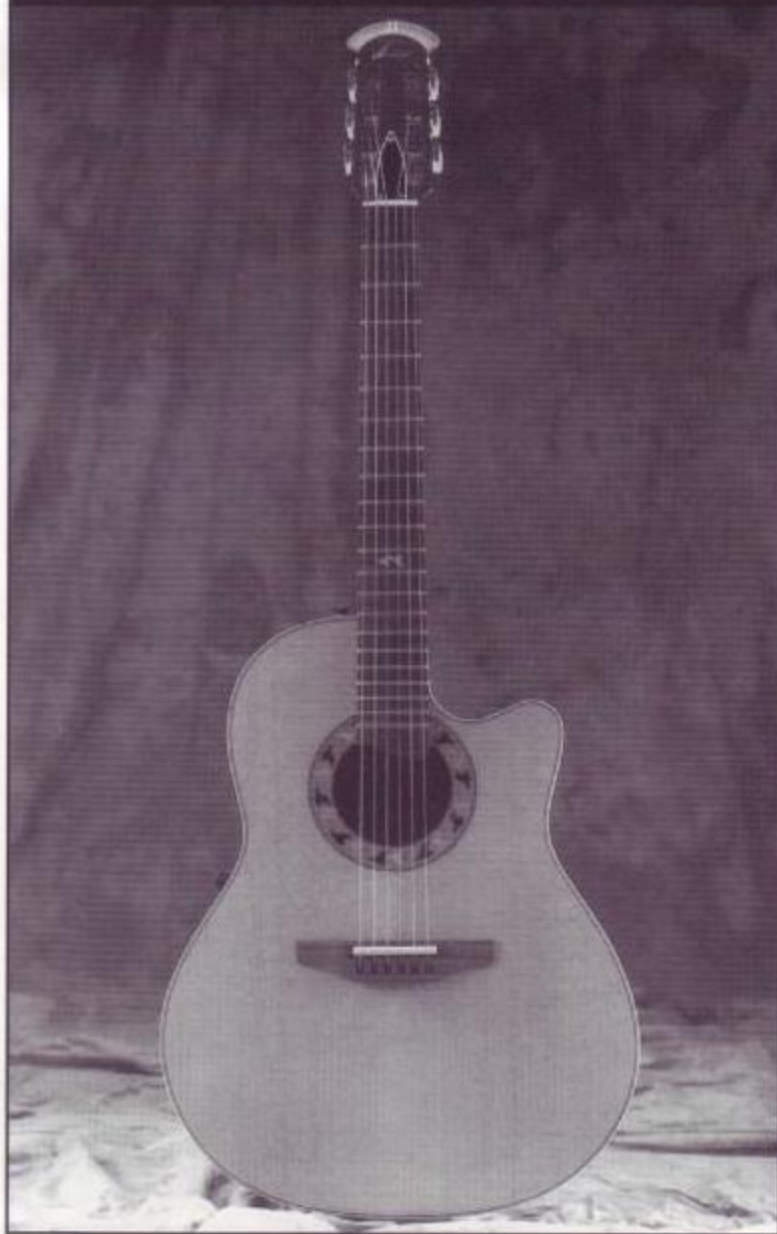


Every player who has struggled to get a good on-stage sound with a traditional mandolin will appreciate this instrument. It's the first mandolin specifically designed as an acoustic/electric. The acoustic sound is powerful, with strong midrange to cut through other instruments. The amplified sound is extremely well-balanced and controllable, even at high volume levels. Guitar players now have a great reason to seriously consider mandolin as a second instrument.

- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 21-fret Ebony Fingerboard •
- Mandolin Quintad Bracing •
- Deluxe Gold Hardware •
- OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
MM68	Special C/A	8-string Ac/EI	CCB,4	\$1,395.00
Finishes: CCB-Cherry Cherryburst; 4-Natural				

FOLKLORE/COUNTRY ARTIST



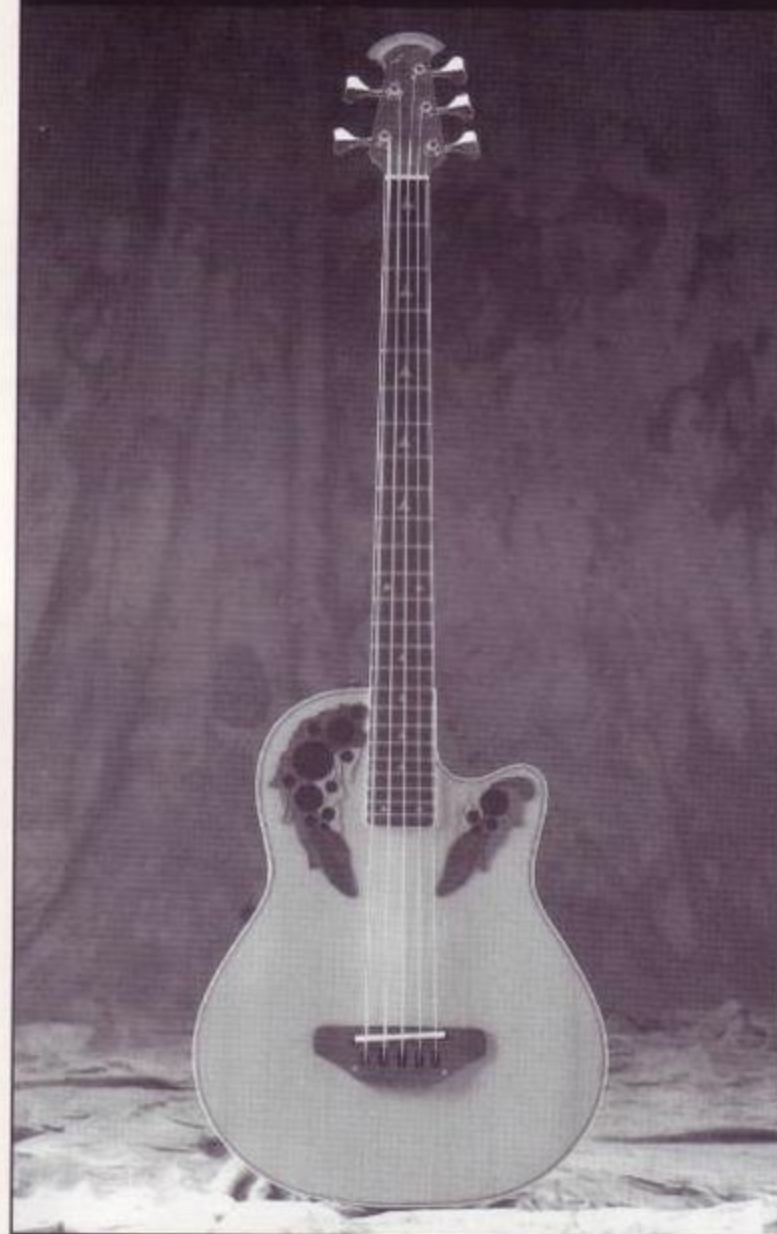
Originally introduced in 1979, the Folklore and Country Artist have been updated and re-introduced at the request of a legion of fingerstyle players. The 1 7/8" neck width is wider than a regular steel string, but narrower than a classic. The Folklore is the perfect "in-between" size for fingerstyle players ... the Country Artist fingers easily for electric players. Both feature a mid-depth body, custom inlaid rosette and OP-24 preamp bring this favorite right into the '90s.

- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 21-fret Ebony Fingerboard •
- 1 7/8" Neck Width at Nut •
- Mid-Depth Cutaway Body •
- Inlaid Rosette •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
6774	Mid-Depth C/A	6-string Ac/EI	4	\$1,495.00
6773	Mid-Depth C/A	Nylon-string Ac/EI	4	1,495.00

Finishes: 4-Natural

ELITE BASS



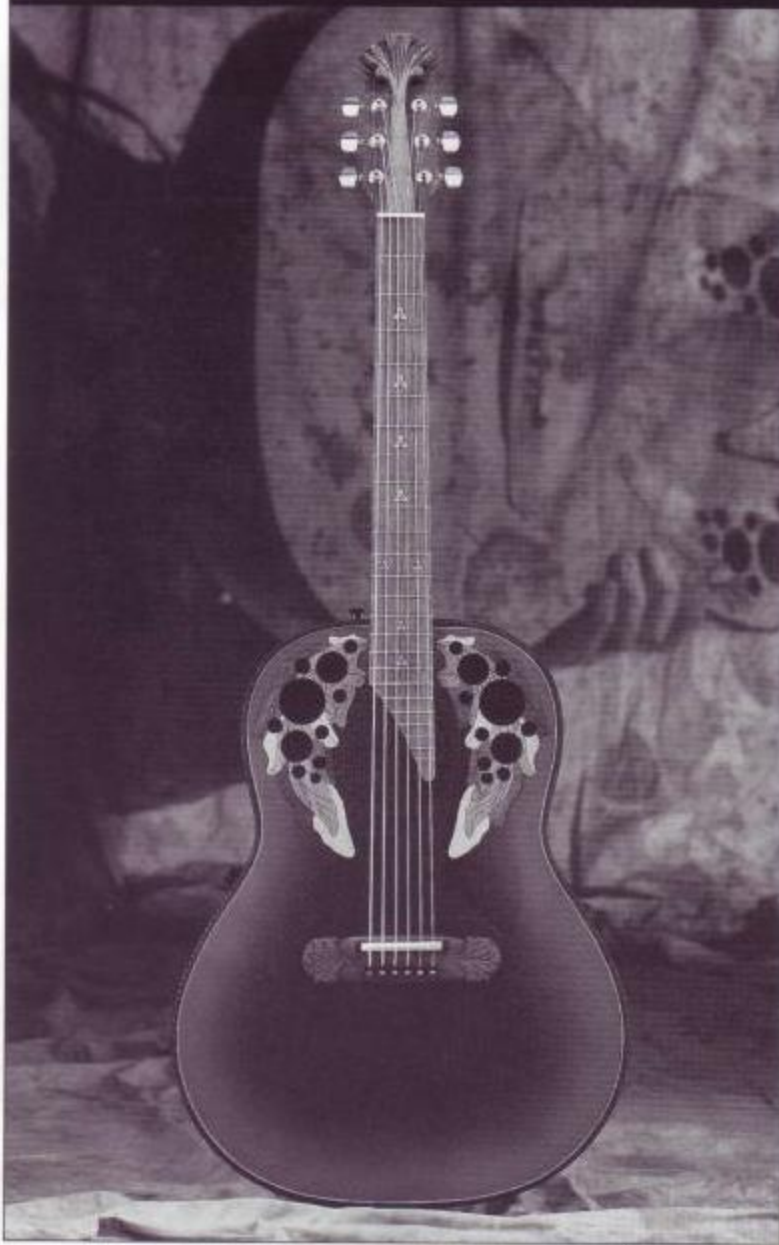
The acoustic/electric bass has gone from oddity to acceptance in a few short years. Ovation Elite Basses out-perform other acoustic basses by a wide margin. The neck is rock solid with the patented Kaman Bar reinforcement. Since there is no central soundhole, the top can be more efficiently braced. This gives you more volume, better projection and superior strength. The Ovation pickup system delivers a strong output with controlled transients, no matter what string gauge you use.

- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- 24-fret Ebony Fingerboard •
- 34" Scale Length •
- Deep Cutaway Body •
- OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
B768	Deep C/A	4-Str Ac/EI Bass	4,5	\$1,995.00
B5768	Deep C/A	5-Str Ac/EI Bass	1,4	2,100.00

Finishes: 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 5-Black

ADAMAS



- Carbon Fiber Top •
- American Walnut Neck •
- 24-fret American Walnut Fingerboard •
- Carved Headstock and Bridge •
- Adamas Fan Bracing •
- 24k Gold Plated Hardware •
- OP-24 Preamp •
- Our Finest Professional Guitar •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1687	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	2,5,8	\$2,799.00
1587	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	2,5,8	2,899.00
1688	Deep	12-String Ac/EI	5,8	2,999.00

Finishes: 2-Red; 5-Black; 8-Blue

ADAMAS II

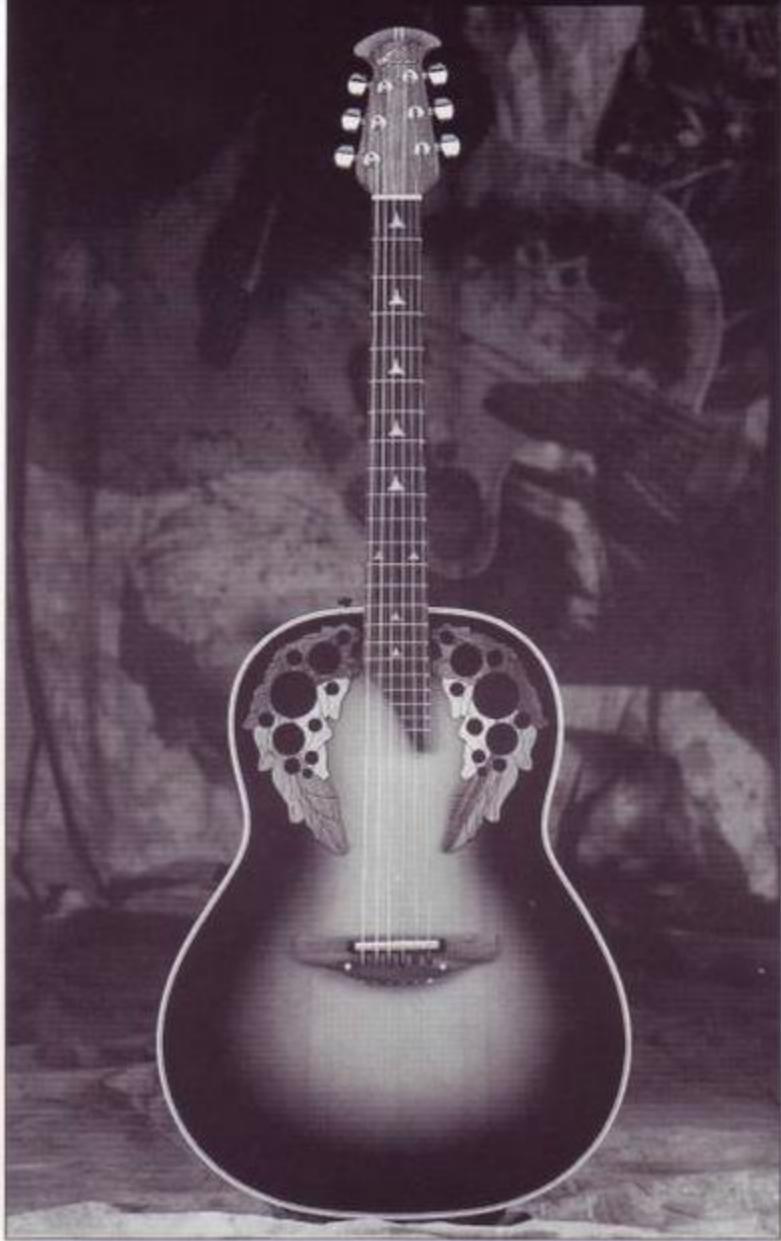


- Carbon Fiber Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 22-fret American Walnut Fingerboard •
- Adamas Fan Bracing •
- 24k Gold Plated Hardware •
- OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1681	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	2,5,8,9,BG	\$2,099.00
1581	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	2,5,8	2,199.00
1685	Deep	12-String Ac/EI	5,8	2,299.00
1881	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	NB2,NB5,NB8,BG	2,199.00
1885	S/Shallow C/A	12-String Ac/EI	NB2,NB5,NB8	2,399.00

Finishes: 2-Red; 5-Black; 8-Blue; 9-Brown; BG-Bluegreen; NB2-Solid Red; NB5-Solid Black; NB8-Solid Blue

ELITE



- AA Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 22-fret Rosewood Fingerboard •
 - Quintad Bracing •
 - Deluxe Gold Hardware •
 - OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1718	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,5	\$1,395.00
1768	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,4C,5	1,495.00
1868	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,5	1,495.00
R868	S/Shallow C/A	Roland System	4	1,795.00
1858	S/Shallow C/A	12-String Ac/EI	1,4,5	1,695.00

Finishes: 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 4C-Natural Cedar; 5-Black

ELITE STANDARD



- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Sunburst Soundhole Epaulets •
- Mahogany 2-piece Neck •
- 22-fret Rosewood Fingerboard •
 - Quintad Bracing •
 - FET-3 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
6718	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	CS,V,RB	\$1,095.00
6768	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	CS,V,RB	1,195.00
6868	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	CS,V,RB	1,195.00

Finishes: CS-Cherry Sunburst; V-Vintage; RB-Root Beer

CUSTOM LEGEND

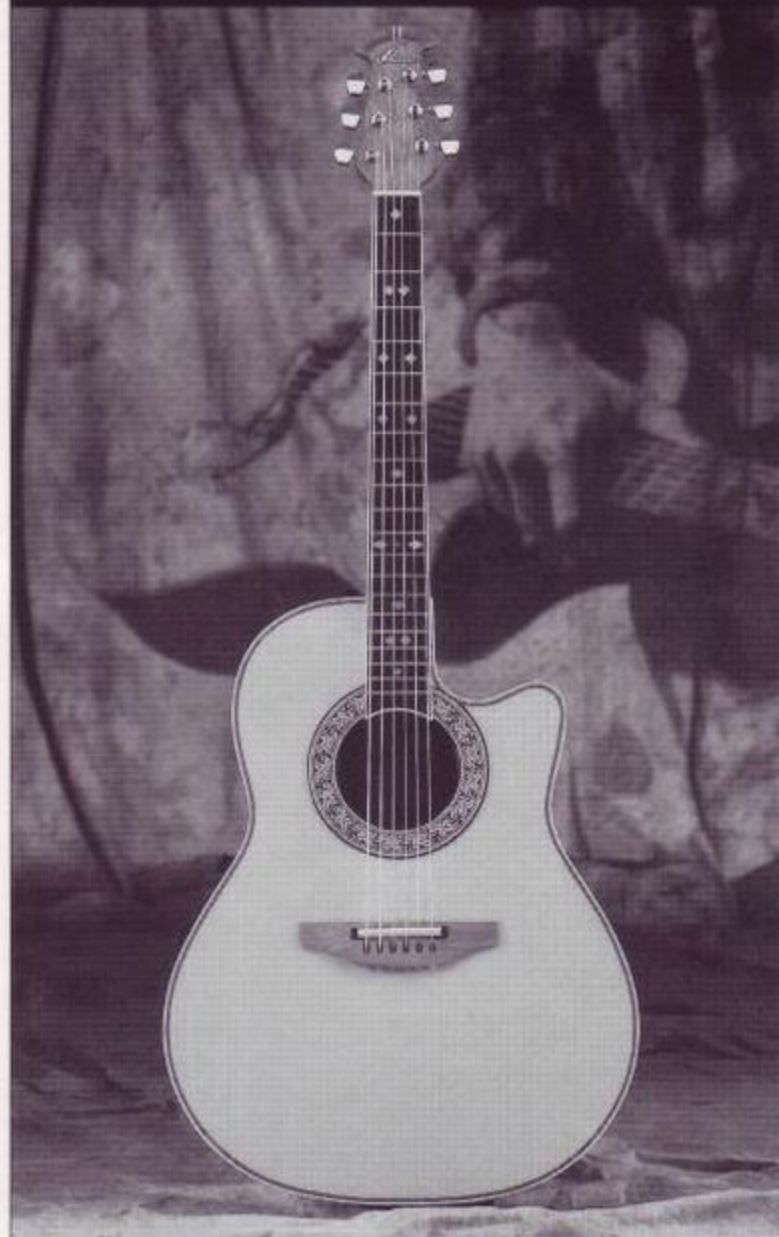


- Solid AAA Sitka Spruce Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 20-fret Bound Ebony Fingerboard •
- Inlaid Abalone Purfling & Position Markers •
 - Carved Walnut Bridge •
 - 'A' Bracing Pattern •
 - OP-24 Preamp •
- 24k Gold Plated Machines w/Pearloid Buttons •
 - Abalone Rosette •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1719	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	CCB,1,4,5	\$1,595.00
1869	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	CCB,1,4,5	1,695.00
R869	S/Shallow C/A	Roland System	4	1,995.00
1759	Deep	12-String Ac/EI	CCB,1,4,5	1,795.00

Finishes: CCB-Cherry Cherryburst; 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 5-Black

LEGEND



- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 20-fret Bound Ebony Fingerboard •
 - Pearl Position Markers •
 - 'A' Bracing Pattern •
 - OP-24 Preamp •
- Chrome Plated Machines •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1117	Deep	6-String Ac	CCB,TB,4,5	\$995.00
1717	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	CCB,TB,4,5	1,195.00
1767	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	CCB,TB,4,5	1,295.00
1867	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	CCB,TB,4,5	1,295.00
1866	S/Shallow C/A	12-String Ac/EI	CCB,4,5	1,395.00

Finishes: CCB-Cherry Cherryburst; TB-Tobacco Burst; 4-Natural; 5-Black

CUSTOM BALLADEER



Model 1712 or 1860

- Solid Sitka Spruce or Cedar Top •
- 2-piece Mahogany Neck •
- 20-fret Rosewood Fingerboard •
- FET-3 Preamp •

Nylon String Classic Models

- Solid AAA Cedar Top •
- Mahogany & Maple 5-piece Neck •
- 19-fret Ebony Fingerboard •
- Classic Fan Bracing •
- OP-24 Preamp •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1712	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,5,V,4C	\$995.00
1860	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,5,V,4C	1,095.00
1763	Deep C/A	Nylon Ac/EI	4	1,495.00
1863	S/Shallow C/A	Nylon Ac/EI	4	1,495.00

Finishes: 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 5-Black; V-Vintage; 4C-Natural Cedar

STANDARD BALLADEER



- Solid Sitka Spruce Top •
- Cedro 2-piece Neck •
- 20-fret Rosewood Fingerboard •
- Lightweight 'X' Bracing •
- Thinline Preamp •
- New Finishes •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1111	Deep	6-String Ac	TB,AM,CG	\$695.00
1711	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	TB,AM,CG	795.00
1761	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	TB,AM,CG	895.00
1861	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	TB,AM,CG	895.00

Finishes: TB-Tobacco Burst; AM-Amber; CG-Cadillac Green

ULTRA DELUXE

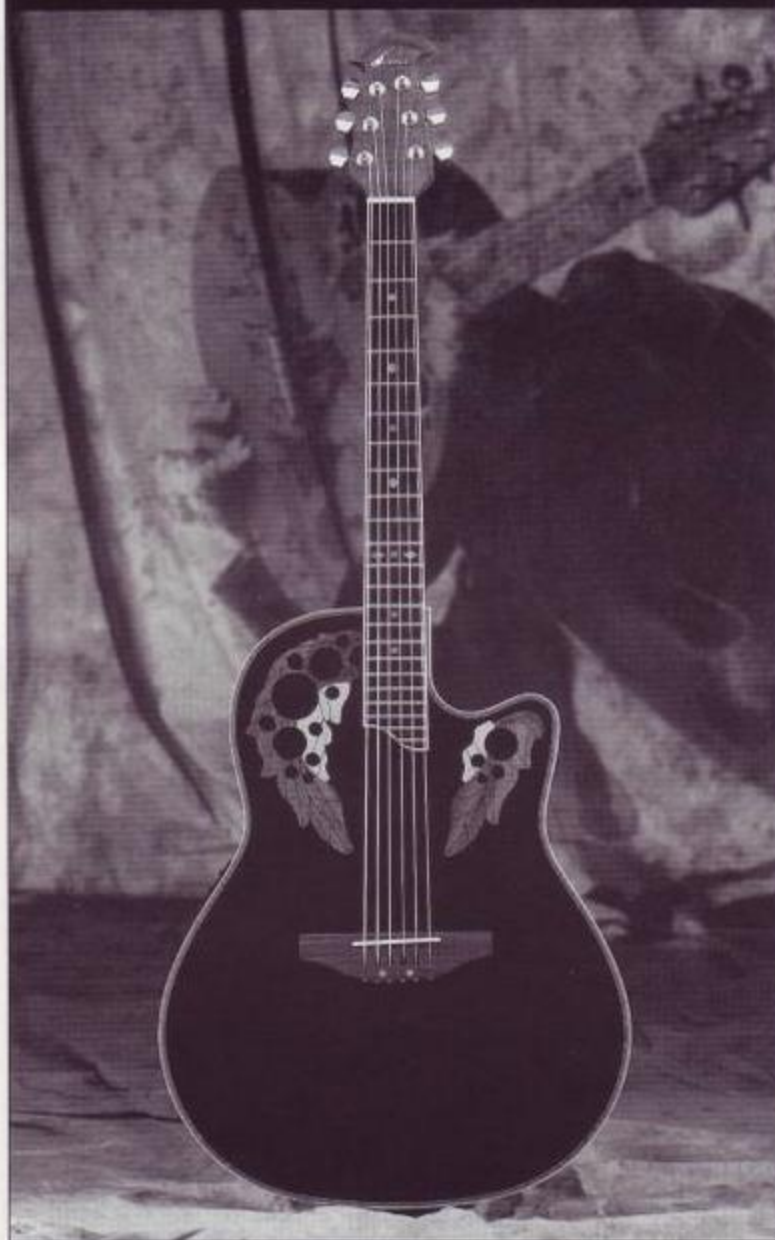


- Spruce or Maple Top •
- 20-fret Bound Rosewood Fingerboard •
 - Mahogany 2-piece Neck •
 - Abalone Fingerboard Inlays •
 - K-5 Bracing •
- Ovation Pickup and Graphic eq •
 - Kaman Bar Neck •
- New Solid Top Model with Inlaid Rosette •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
1312D	Deep	6-String Ac	4,9M	\$499.50
1312S	Deep	6-S Solid Top Ac	4	599.50
1515D	Deep	12-String Ac/EI	4,5	699.50
1517D	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	4,5,9M	599.50
1517S	Deep	6-S Solid Top Ac/EI	4	699.50
1528D	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	4,5,9M,OS	699.50

Finishes: 4-Natural; 5-Black; 9M-Flamed Maple Brownburst; OS-Orangeburst

CELEBRITY DELUXE



- Multi-Soundhole Design •
- Spruce, Cedar and Sycamore Tops •
 - Mahogany 2-piece Neck •
 - 20-fret Rosewood Fingerboard •
 - Quintad Bracing •
- Thinline Pickup and eq System •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
CC247	Mid-Depth C/A	6-String Ac/EI	H	\$749.50
CC267	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	4C,AS	679.50
CC268	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	4,5	709.50
CC268	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	WB	739.50
CC257	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	1,4,5	749.50
CC257	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	YB,WB	779.50
CC274	Deep C/A	4-Str. Ac/EI Bass	1,4,5	799.50
CC274	Deep C/A	4-Str. Ac/EI Bass	AS	819.50
CC275	Deep C/A	5-Str. Bass	5	849.50

Finishes: 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 4C-Natural Cedar; AS-Antique Sunburst; WB-Wineburst; YB-Sycamore Burst; 5-Black; H-Honey

CELEBRITY



- Selection of Spruce and Cedar Tops •
- K-3 Top Bracing •

Model	Body	Type	Finishes	List Price
CC11	Deep	6-String Ac	4,9,B	\$399.50
CC13	Deep	Nylon Ac	4	399.50
CC15	Deep	12-String Ac	1,4	499.50
CC67	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	4,9,B	499.50 ¹
CC67	Deep	6-String Ac/EI	4C	529.50
CC63	Deep	Nylon Ac/EI	4	499.50
CC65	Deep	12-String Ac/EI	4,9	599.50
CC68	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	4,9	559.50
CC68	Deep C/A	6-String Ac/EI	AS	589.50
CC148	Mid-Depth	6-String Ac/EI	GS	629.50
CC157	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	4,5,B	599.50
CC157	S/Shallow C/A	6-String Ac/EI	AB,4C	629.50
CC53	S/Shallow C/A	Nylon Ac/EI	4	599.50
CC74	Deep C/A	Ac/EI Bass	4,5	599.50

Finishes: 1-Sunburst; 4-Natural; 4C-Natural Cedar; 9-Brownburst; AS-Antique Sunburst; B-Barnboard; WB-Wineburst; AB-Autumn Burst; GS-Green Stain
¹-Available left-handed, add \$60.00

ACCESSORIES



CASES

Model	Description	List Price
GC1110	Hardshell Case for Deep Body	\$119.50
GC1111	Hardshell Case for Super Shallow Body	119.50
GC1158	Hardshell Case for Mid-Depth Body	119.50
GC1410	Economy Molded Case for Deep Body	139.95
GC1411	Economy Molded Case for Super Shallow Body	139.95
9110-0	Deluxe Molded Case for Deep Body	150.00
9117-0	Deluxe Molded Case for Super Shallow Body	150.00
9158-0	Deluxe Molded Case for Mid-Depth Body	150.00
9160-0	Deluxe Molded Case for Viper	150.00
9157-0	Deluxe Molded Case for Mandolin	150.00
BC1105	Hardshell Bass Case for CC74, CC274	139.50
BC9107	Hardshell Bass Case for B768	199.50
9110-9	Case Cover for Molded Cases	119.00

ACCESSORIES

Model	Description	List Price
FBR2	Feedback buster insert for round hole guitars	\$7.95
AIRLOCKS	Port tuning system for multi-soundhole guitars	19.95

OVATION COLORS

1 Sunburst	OS Orangeburst
4 Natural	RB Root Beer
4C Natural Cedar, Satin	TB Tobacco Burst
5 Black	V Vintage
7 Nutmeg	WB Wineburst
9 Brownburst	YB Sycamore Burst
9M Flamed Maple Brownburst	
AB Autumn Burst	
AM Amber	
AS Antique Sunburst	
B Barnboard	
CCB Cherry Cherryburst	
CG Cadillac Green	
CS Cherry Sunburst	
H Honey	
GS Green Stain	
	Adamas Colors
	2 Red Reverse Sunburst
	5 Black
	8 Blue Reverse Sunburst
	9 Brown Reverse Sunburst
	BG Bluegreen
	NB2 Solid Red
	NB5 Solid Black
	NB8 Solid Blue

Ovation has a worldwide service network supported by the factory warranty repair center in New Hartford, CT. The Service Department can be reached by calling toll-free: 1-800-552-4681.

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