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Dear Paul,

Thank you for your continued interest in my newsletter. I welcome suggestions for improvements and discussion topics. Please browse through the links in the right hand column. These links will connect you to a lot of very useful jewelry-related information.

Mine For A Diamond in Arkansas



Two Rough Diamonds.

Make your vacation pay for itself, mine for diamonds!

It's finders, keepers at the Crater of Diamonds State Park, and if you're lucky, you may find an incredible stone like the 8.66-carat diamond (shown below in the article) found by Beth Gilbertson in 2011. The Arkansas park is open almost all year round, and visitors are welcome to dig to their heart's content.

For the whole story: [Crater of Diamonds State Park](#)

Just For Fun!

See Lucille Ball in quite a predicament with Liz Taylor's diamond ring. Hilarious scene from "Here's Lucy" with Lucille Ball and hollywood couple

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***Appraisal appointments
"while you wait"***

Elizabeth Taylor & Richard Burton in "Lucy Meets The Burtons"
(1970) Watch the video: [Lucille Ball, Richard Burton and Liz Taylor](#)

*are available at all
four locations*

Is Your Engagement Ring Under-Insured?

*Chester, Madison
& New Haven*

Diamond prices have increased significantly in the last couple of years. I did a comparison of wholesale pricing increases in popular sizes and grades from 2009 to 2012 as show in the following:

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or [email](#)
to book an appointment*

- 1.00 ct G color, VS2 clarity, GIA Report - **increased by 37%**
- 2.00 ct G color, VS2 clarity, GIA Report - **increased by 21%**
- 3.00 ct G color, VS2 clarity, GIA Report - **increased by 44.5%**
- 4.00 ct G color, VS2 clarity, GIA Report - **decreased by 11 %**
- 5.00 ct G color, VS2 clarity, GIA Report - **increased by 10%**

Add to this the change in metal prices:

2009 gold - \$900 per oz. 2012 gold - \$1670 per oz.
2009 platinum - \$950 per oz. 2012 platinum - \$1580 per oz.

That is an increase of 85% in gold and 66% in platinum.

If your engagement ring and other jewelry has not had the prices updated in the last three years, you are probably under-insured by 30-50%. Remember, most insurance companies will only pay up to the amount listed in the appraisal. If you do not give them an updated appraisal, you may not be able to get the full value of your jewelry if you have a loss. Call 860-391-3001 and schedule an appointment to update your jewelry.



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Sincerely,



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