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Dear Ralf and Elanie,

Thank you for your request to explain why we decided to have our new caravan made by your company Free Spirit, this was not a hasty decision, we have had 5 caravans in the past 10 years and each one had its advantages and also disadvantages.

We had 3 Jacyos, we liked the comfort for the price and as on road vans, they were OK but on our trip to Birdsville with the last Outback Jayco we found it could not stand up to the rough roads, so we decided to go all out and buy a Golf Outback and again, this van had its problems with water leaks and movement problems but Steve loved the suspension, the aluminium frame, and the way the van handled when towing was superb, but we were sure there was better, so we attended the Caravan & Camping Show in Brisbane in 2009.

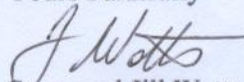
We had decided to look for manufacturers who would build a van with the requirements we needed. The van must be as close to 16' with tunnel boot because of our storage problems, we wanted the van to be as light as possible because it would be single axle, must have aluminium frame, independent suspension, 16" wheels, be dust proof, but also must be comfortable with a separate bathroom, single beds and plenty of storage space.

We had looked at Phoenix Caravans but did not like the timber frame or the weight, Bush Tracker was again too heavy, then we came across Ralf at the show with his Off Road Free Spirit Caravan with full aluminium chassis floor wall and cupboard frame, after speaking to Ralf Steve decided we could be on the right track with this company. He later went to visit Ralf at the factory and was impressed by the workmanship and attention to detail.

We placed our order for our caravan and have been very involved to date watching it all come together, most of all we loved the new one piece no weld chassis rails, this in a great innovation and we find that Ralf and Elaine are doing everything to develop the lightest most comfortable and serviceable caravan we have owned.

We wish you all the best with your young company and expect to hear so much more of Free Spirit Caravans in the future.

Yours Faithfully


Steve and Jill Watts