

Narrowboat - 'Valkyrie' - 42 ft - £18.500

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Built: 1968 by Shropshire Union Fly Boat Co.

BSS Certificate: 2023

Moored: On lock free Grand Western Canal in Devon.

Present Mooring: By separate negotiation with Marina.

Hull:

Valkyrie had a complete re-fit in 2014. At that time, her bottom was over-plated and blacked all round, and her roof coated with non-slip rubber matting. With a complete stripped out, including the floor, it enabled the inside of the hull to be blacked from end to end before the floor was replaced. She was then re-fitted to a high standard, and is lined out with T & G boarding. There are just a few remaining minor jobs that will need to be finished off, but all the hard work has been done.

Inside:

Saloon: From a large cruiser stern deck you enter the Saloon down steps with a wood burner on the left. There are 2 loose chairs and a table, a floor standing cupboard unit and a 12v TV.

Bedroom: Going to the left side, a passage enters the fixed double bedroom with memory foam mattress and a 12v wall mounted TV.

Toilet/Shower: The passage continues past a door to a separate toilet/shower room on the right, which is tiled floor to ceiling, with no expense spared in the re-fit. The new boiler is still in need of connection, with all pipes already in place.

Galley: Passing the shower room, you enter the Galley, with a 2 burner hob and sink unit, both with glass cover tops to facilitate working surface. There is storage shelves and cupboards, and a window either side, as well as a leaded light window looking forward out over the bow. She is fully kitted out with all equipment and ready to go.

Outside: Valkyrie has a unique slipper shaped wooden superstructure with a Steel hull. For Winter protection she has a full-length purpose made, green canvas cover (including framework), which protects the complete wooden top during the winter months, there are also separate bow and stern deck covers.

Engine: Lister RS2, air cooled which has been completely refurbished.....a GREAT sounding engine! A starter motor, alternator, bilge pump, one starter and two leisure batteries were all fitted new, at the time of her re-fit.

Extras: Included in the sale is the entire contents of the boat from kitchen utensils to ornaments Also included: Pole, hook, gangplank, fenders, TV Ariel, bow search light and solar panels and many extras.

A Very Pretty Boat Inside and Out, being painted in traditional Canal Roses and Castles, and being from the older breed, she has plenty of character. She is looking for that 'Special Owner' who enjoys TLC and DIY, as much as the delights of cruising! She **MUST** be seen to appreciate the love and workmanship that has been lavished on her. Due to her wooden superstructure, it is important that Valkyrie acquires an Owner who enjoys, and is sympathetic to her maintenance needs.

She is reluctantly on the market due to the Owner's forced change of lifestyle, due to a stroke.

Photos:



The Grand Western Canal is 10 miles long, is landlocked and has no locks at all. Our moorings are situated 4 miles from Tiverton and 6 miles from the M5, J27.

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