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Dear Audio fan,

I would like to review with you my experience dealing with Carlo and the other folks at Audio One.

After a break-in and theft of my stereo system, I was in the market for a replacement. My old outfit was very important to me since I spend my relaxation time reading and listening to music. I had been acquiring and upgrading for about 20 years, but was left feeling unsatisfied.

The problem was that I was listening to the system and not the music.

When Carlo suggested a Linn system, I was profoundly skeptical. I had had arc-welder amps and tube amps and preamps in my systems before and had spent (wasted?) countless hours listening to cables and interconnects, not to mention countless dollars.

After a couple of listens at Audio One I chose a Linn system, still with some apprehension since we never really know what it's going to be like at home, and with extended listening. Carlo was very patient but completely confident that I would be satisfied.

He was completely right.

I immediately started listening to the music and felt satisfied. This is hard to describe, but involves a relaxation into listening to the music and not feeling edgy due to distortion, peakiness or whatever it is that made me unsatisfied with other systems.

Carlo spent a lot of time setting the system up, even though I live a long way away and has been out several times later with upgrades.

All of the time he has been careful and fair with me and I feel no hesitation in listening to his suggestions, since he is usually right.

I am just a customer of Audio One, and do not receive anything for writing this. It was my suggestion to Carlo that I put my thoughts in writing to help him in his business. In a world of promotion and claims, usually on price, we sometimes lose the concept of value.

Audio One definitely gives value, if you are interested in music or visual reproduction equipment as a means of satisfying whatever drives us to listen to music, watch movies or TV Audio One will deliver the best performance, not the flashiest box.

Yours sincerely,

(Lindsay Mulholland PhD.)