

TeamStrange is pleased to announce the results of the 2017 Love & Merci Grand Tour. But first, here are some of the highlights of the Love & Merci Grand Tour.

- Sixty-six out of one hundred entrants finished the GT.
- Thirty-one of those riders finished in the top tier, with more than 959 points.
- Fourteen riders scored over 2,000 points.
- Eight riders scored over 3,000 points.
- Six riders visited all 42 of the boxcar in the continental United states.
- Four riders documented Love Road in Alaska.
- Nobody documented Hawaii - Again
- Three riders, Simon Clement, Jeffery Foster & Jim Abbott completed the 75-point LITTLE LOVE bonus in a miniscule 5.3 miles. This little route went from Oceanside to East Rockaway to Lynbrook and onward to Valley Stream in the great state of New York.
- The 150-point BIG LOVE bonus was won by Simon Clement with staggering 8,310 miles. Simon's route took him from Alaska to Southern California, to the Florida Keys and onward to Maine.
- Finishers pins are on order and will be mailed in the next few weeks.
- The prize pool will be drawn and announced at the end of this week on November 17, 2017.
- TeamStrange is cooking up a Grand Tour for 2018 that you are sure to enjoy. We hope you will join us! Expect an announcement before Christmas.

We hope you enjoyed the ride and will join us in congratulating all of the riders who completed the Love & Merci Grand Tour including our Grand Tour, Grand Champion Simon Clement who scored 3,770 points.

We would also like to take a moment to recognize Love & Merci rider, Paul Helm, who passed away this year at the age of 74. Paul loved motorcycles and was an excellent mechanic with a wealth of knowledge that he gathered over 50 years off riding and working on bikes. He will be missed.

Simon Clement	3770
Jeffery Foster	3620
R Bruce Thomas	3520
Michael Studer	3270
Larry Troutman Sr	3270
David Ward	3245
Darryl Thompson	3095
Jayne Thompson	3095
David Graves	2820
Lee & Andi Pomeroy	2620

Scott Davis	2320
Bill Collins	2270
Tad & Karen Scott	2270
Daniel Stephans	2195
Patrick MacRoy	1920
Jim Moss	1810
Jeffrey Konicek	1645
John Frick	1595
Steve Oltman	1525
Jack Dannenberg	1460
Jim Weatherhead	1445
Steve Gallant	1285
Kevin & Mary Smart	1245
Jeff Wilson & Donna Attanasio	1160
Dan Fouts	1125
John Gehr	1120
Norman Lafleur	1070
Linda Babcock	1020
Alan Disher	1020
Richard Snyder	1010
Rick & Paula Natali	970
John & Marie Estes	960
Robert Stransky	950
Splinter Wrenn	930
Michael Barrie	800
Wolfe Bonham	790
Nicole Snick	770
Kevin Morris	740
Ronald Meisen	730
Tom Barrie	725
Donald & Doreen Quistorff	680
Daniel Bisbee	670
Jay Bolinger	665
Charles Snyder	585
Jonathan Knutson	580
Michael Jordan	520
Raymond Yost	520
Jack McClure	500
Jim Abbott	475
David Lovelady	470
Bob Still	470
Thomas Spearman	455
Mark Shiner	450
Tim Murphy	450

Ralph Hanson	445
Christopher Cobb	420
Rob Carlo	420
Ron Personius	380
Mark Burns	360
Bruce & Janet Edwards	360
James Barrie	350
Charles & Cheryl Killian	330
Doug & Liz Jacobs	330
Charles & Debbie Hairr	320
Greek & Jane Souris	280
Scott Heinrich	260
Paul Stark	175 DNF
Paul Helm	Honorary Finisher