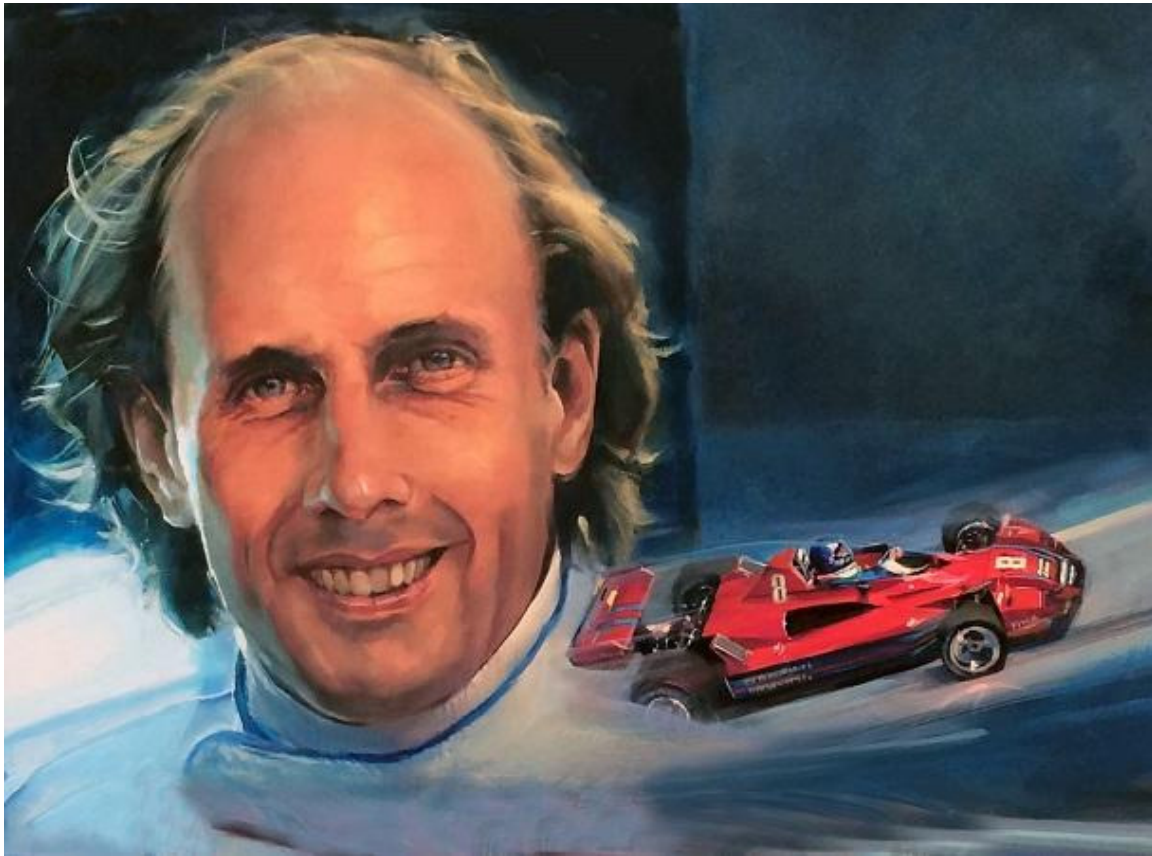


## HANS STUCK'S FORMULA 1 BRABHAM-ALFA ROMEO MAKES RARE CONCOURS APPEARANCE AT AMELIA 2016



Alfa Romeo has confirmed it will send Stuck's 1977 Watkins Glen Alfa Romeo-powered Brabham to Amelia from its museum in Arese near Milan, Italy as the centerpiece of the Cars of Hans Stuck Class for the 21st annual Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance.

The Brabham BT45B is the car that Stuck put on the front row at Watkins Glen and gave the 100,000-plus fans at the 1977 Grand Prix of the United States a wild show of extraordinary car control in soaking conditions.

Stuck qualified on the front row at Watkins Glen; bested only by reigning Formula 1 World Champion James Hunt. When the green flag fell, Stuck blasted through the fog and mist to lead the first 14 laps conducting a wet-weather master class for a field that included six drivers who would wear the World Champion's mantle. A broken clutch cable caused his BT45B to jump out of gear and hit a barrier.

"I was at Watkins Glen in 1977 and have great memories of Stuck's Brabham and the great sound of that 12 cylinder Alfa Romeo engine," said Bill Warner, founder and Chairman of the Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance. "We're honored that Alfa Romeo has sent this car from their fabulous museum in Arese, Italy, to honor Hans Stuck".



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Now in its third decade, the Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance is among the top automotive events in the world. Always held the second full weekend in March, "The Amelia" draws over 250 rare vehicles from collections around the world to The Golf Club of Amelia Island and The Ritz-Carlton, Amelia Island for a celebration of the automobile like no other. Since 1996, the show's Foundation has donated over \$2.75 million to Community Hospice of Northeast Florida, Inc., Spina Bifida of Jacksonville, The Navy Marine Corps Relief Society, Shop with Cops, and other deserving charities. The 21st annual Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance is scheduled for March 11-13, 2016. For more information, visit [www.ameliaconcours.org](http://www.ameliaconcours.org).



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