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## RARE COINS & THE ECONOMY

### It's A Good Time To Buy

Wild fluctuations characterize current financial markets. Stock market reaction to the twin development of AI (so-called artificial intelligence) and space economy led by newly public SpaceX is dramatic. Proliferating technology of drone warfare, political power plays both foreign and domestic, and a new peak for gold and silver prices followed by a retrenchment of

ion - is a good time to buy the dip. Silver follows a similar pattern, and is particularly favorable to lower end buyers of US coins.

Furthermore, general economic data, falling energy prices, growth in energy exports, deregulation, new (private sector) jobs added to the economy, old federal jobs (estimated at 350,000) subtracted from the economy, upwardly projected GDP, boom in manufacturing, commercial building, and foreign investment all indicate a strongly growing economy. So do rising stock prices. This means more money in the hands of consumers.

There's more: the real long term driver of the value of the dollar - and the gorilla in the room - is the national debt, now at over \$39 Trillion. It will not go away any time soon, and will likely grow despite the best efforts of Kevin Warsh, the new Fed Chair. That said, expect Warsh to return the Fed to its core original mission, which is supplying liquid-

ity to the banks to keep the financial system healthy. This supports a strong economic growth agenda and I believe it will put more money in the hands of collectors to spend on their favorite collectible.

We are in an economic environment that favors the accumulation of hard assets, which should cause upward price movement over the long term in gold, silver and numismatic coins.

those prices to current levels adds complexity and true opportunity in the coin market.

Put succinctly, it's a good time to buy.

Consider gold. Because it peaked at around \$5500/oz. then retreated to around \$4100 and is now pushing upward suggests gold has touched its bottom. Additionally, numismatic gold is trading on a very narrow spread from gold prices. If accumulation of gold is part of your plan, now - in my opin-



## NOTES FROM THE OWNER'S DESK

This issue of the Rare Coin Report Newsletter is sent by email only. The next hard copy will issue in late August. Thus, I am keeping extended office hours. Best time to reach me is weekday mornings, starting at 9 am. No matter when you call, please leave a message: I always return my calls.

I recently returned from a two week visit to Israel. It was miraculous. We had the good fortune of a guide fluent in English with an encyclopedic knowledge of history and archaeology interwoven with Biblical references which made for fascinating sightseeing.

The intense energy of the people was amazing. The night life was active, the beach crowded and beautiful. From primitive beginnings, in many ways it felt

like a third world country diving head first into the first world: Israeli tech is surpassed only by the United States. It is experiencing a building boom: high rise apartments are being built literally by the dozen. We were told that Israel's population is projected to double in the next 10 years.

It was also meaningful to me for personal reasons. My wife and I first met in Israel when we were teenagers. We met again some thirty years later, and the last time we tried to visit Israel, we were scheduled to land on October 8, 2023, the day after the massacre. So this trip was like completing a circle, and we returned refreshed and invigorated.

And ready to work. I am amazed at how much fun I'm having doing the work that I do, and how much of a pleasure it is to work with so many wonderful people like you. Thank you!

One new thing I'm enjoying is an introductory subscription (12 weeks for \$12) to the new California Post newspaper, owned by the New York Post. Its cheeky attitude and willingness to cover stories not covered in the Wall Street Journal (including sports, YAY!) makes it great informative entertainment to start the day.



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## COIN SHOW CIRCUIT



**Come by my table at the following shows:**

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Due to the paucity of coin shows I’m attending this summer, I expect to increase my office hours. So, if you have any special requests, or want some feedback or are thinking of buying or selling, I will be available for consultation. Mornings are the best time to reach me.

### South Bay Coin Show

Saturday, June 20 (one day only)

Elks Lodge

1735 W 162nd St, Gardena, CA 90247

Hours: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

### Las Vegas National Coin Show

Thursday-Saturday, June 25-27

Tuscany Suites and Casino ([Tuscanylv.com](http://Tuscanylv.com))

255 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89169

Hours: Thu-Fri 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sat 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

### Arcadia Coin Show

Saturday & Sunday, August 29-30

Arcadia Masonic Lodge

50 W Duarte Road

Arcadia, CA 91007

Hours: Sat 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Long Beach Expo, The Collectibles Show

Wednesday-Friday, September 9-11

Table 702

Long Beach Convention Center, Hall C

100 South Pine Ave, Long Beach, CA 90802

[www.longbeachexpo.com](http://www.longbeachexpo.com)

Hours: Wed-Thu 10 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Fri 10 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

# A Rose By Any Other Name

The explosive price of silver over the last two years has caused a change in terminology. Generally, and for years, common date, circulated 1964 and earlier dimes, quarters and half dollars have been called “junk silver.” But when silver crossed over the \$100 per ounce level (at least for a while) many people felt the term “junk silver” was just not appropriate any more for such a high flier. Instead, and in recognition of a higher status for

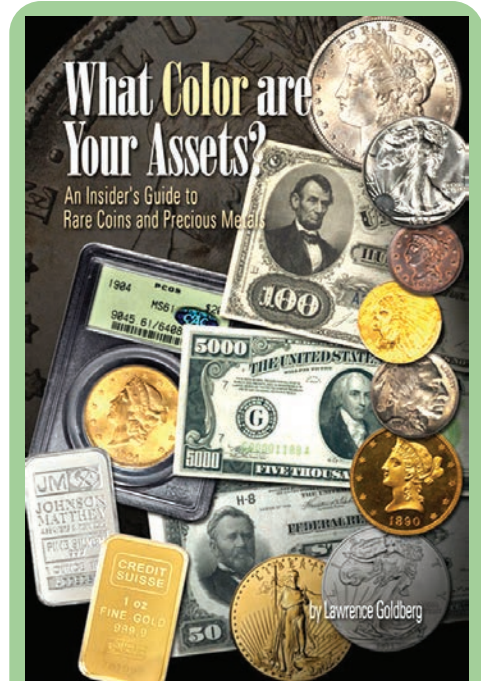
these coins, and for the fact that these coins are about as honest a currency as one might have, a new word was coined (excuse the pun). From now on, in recognition of this high standard for currency, 90% silver, formerly called “Junk silver” shall now be referred to as “Constitutional Silver” or “Constitutional money.” It’s simply more dignified, and an especially appropriate terminology change in this 250th year of our country’s founding.



## Our Coin Return Policy

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**If you would like to receive the Rare Coin Report via email or for a friend, please send a request to [frank.ariagno@cnpcoins.com](mailto:frank.ariagno@cnpcoins.com)**



**What Color are Your Assets?**  
*An Insider's Guide to  
Rare Coins and Precious Metals*

**by Lawrence D. Goldberg**

My book, *What Color are Your Assets?*, received a great review in *Coinage Magazine*, and is getting great reactions at coin shows and from fellow dealers.

*What Color Are Your Assets?* was written for the beginning and intermediate coin collector/accumulator. It presents the essential information everyone who buys or wants to sell coins and precious metals needs to know to avoid rip-offs and be successful in this area.

It is available for purchase on Amazon.com, where you can also post your reviews; and I'm happy to say almost all of those overwhelmingly positive reviews give this book 5 stars!



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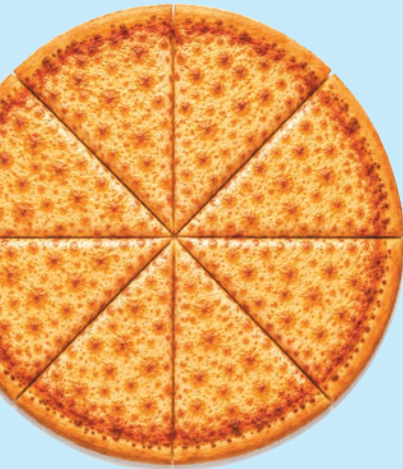
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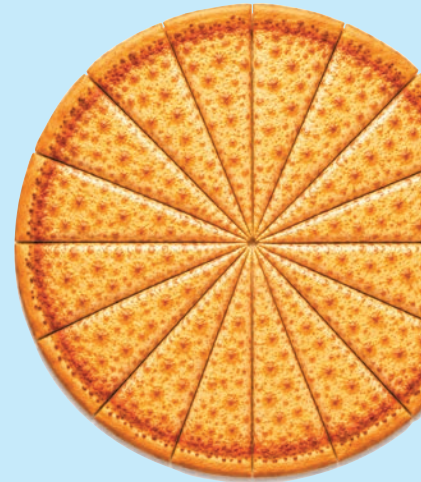
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## Inflation: Let's Talk Pizza



All the talk about affordability in the political discussion brings up once again the monster we call inflation. It is essential to remember that there are two kinds of inflation, monetary inflation, and price inflation. While they share a similar name, they are quite different. Monetary inflation involves the printing of more money, which dilutes the value of each dollar. Picture a pizza (I love pizza) cut into eight pieces for \$1 each. Then picture the same pizza cut into 16 pieces at \$1 each. You have more pieces of pizza but the actual quantity of pizza remains the same and you get less for your dollar. That is monetary inflation. Price inflation occurs when there is a tornado in the farm belt, and the cost of pizza ingredients doubles. The pizza maker must charge a higher price, but that has nothing to do with money printing and everything to do with supply and demand. After all, the price of chicken wings could drop and that might change your eating habits.



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