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Refining Return Options

As a client of ours, you have excellent options for your precious metals after refining.

First of all, let us point out that you should get your refining done as frequently as practical, regardless of the market price. Anytime you get refining done, you may either sell the gold to us, or ask for your metals back. We do not have a preference as to what you need, just a desire to make your life a bit easier.

When the gold market went up in early 2004, many jewelers sent refining and were surprised to find us behind schedule and very busy. Well, those same jewelers could have gotten their gold refined months or even weeks earlier, asked us to send them their refined 24kt, and held it until the gold market improved or it was needed for casting. This means that same jeweler could have had the same high market value for their gold far faster than waiting for a high gold market. When gold goes up a lot, refiners get busy and behind schedule. Then if the market falls while we process..... You eat the loss.

Our very low minimum charges on gold and silver allow you to send smaller batches more frequently without incurring higher charges. Our minimum is only \$50 in charges. Our normal rate is to charge 2.5% of your gold. See the first page for other metals. The point is the charges do not vary based on whether you want a check or your metals back.

Option1

You send us your refining and when complete we buy that metal and send you a check. 2.5% charges apply for gold.

Option2

You send us your refining and when complete we send you your metals via insured carrier. 2,5% charges apply for gold plus shipping and insurance only.

Option3

You send us your refining and when complete we hold your precious metals for you to draw against for casting grain, solders, or wire. We call this a "mini toll account". This gives you the same benefits the big companies have with the huge multinational refiners. This gives you the best possible "immediate payment" pricing on our products, since we use your valuable gold to make your needed casting grain or whatever. Of course our C.O.D.. or "immediate payment" pricing structure includes discounts when compared to "Net30" credit purchases. "Immediate payment" with your gold is as good as cash payment for discount purposes. We charge 2.5% for the refining. We charge nothing to hold it for your use later.