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25TH LIMITED EDITION MODEL 700™ CLASSIC CHAMBERED IN .308 WIN - TRULY A CLASSIC IN ITS OWN RIGHT

Madison, NC – Widely popular since its introduction as a sporting cartridge in 1952, the .308 Win has established a reputation with target shooters and big game hunters as a highly accurate and effective cartridge. Adding to the validity and popularity of this cartridge was the U.S. military's decision to adopt the .308 (7.62x51mm NATO) as the official military rifle cartridge in 1954. Remington has selected this time-honored "classic" cartridge for the **2005 Model 700 Classic** chambering – the 25th edition to this highly collectible series.

The traditionally designed **Model 700 Classic** bolt-action rifle features a straight-combed stock of American walnut with low-gloss satin finish, crisp-cut checkering and swivel studs. The clean 24-inch blued carbon steel barrel and short action receiver feature a high polished finish, adding to the classic look of this Model 700. The hinged floor plate magazine has a capacity of four plus one in the chamber and to maximize the performance of this efficient cartridge with hunting bullets, the twist rate is one turn in 10 inches.

The .308 Win chambering joins an impressive list as the 25th offering in this Classic collection.

1981	7mm Mauser (7 x 57 mm)	1993	.222 Remington
1982	.257 Roberts	1994	6.5 x 55mm Swedish
1983	.300 H&H Magnum	1995	.300 Win. Magnum
1984	.250-3000 Savage	1996	.375 H&H Magnum
1985	.350 Remington Magnum	1997	.280 Remington
1986	.264 Win. Magnum	1998	8mm Remington Magnum
1987	.338 Win. Magnum	1999	.17 Remington
1988	.35 Whelen	2000	.223 Remington
1989	.300 Wby. Mag.	2001	7mm-08 Remington
1990	.25-06 Remington	2002	.221 Remington Fireball
1991	7mm Wby. Mag.	2003	.300 Savage
1992	.220 Swift	2004	8mm Mauser (8x57mmS)

The 2005 limited edition Remington® **Model 700 Classic** in **.308 Win** is available for one year only at a suggested retail price of \$716.

Model	700 Classic
Action	Bolt/Short
BBL Length	24 inches
Overall Length	43 5/8 inches
Avg. Weight	7 1/4 lbs.
Stock Material	American Walnut
Stock Finish	Satin
BBL Material	Carbon Steel
BBL Finish	Polished Blue

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