

# Metlox Poppytrail Bowl



**\$2.00**  
Paid

From: Garage sale

## Metlox California Pottery Poppytrail Lotus Veg. Bowl

### Description:

This is a really nice example of California Pottery from Metlox Poppytrail in the Lotus design. It is a round vegetable bowl in the color Canary Yellow. It is stamped with the Lotus by Poppytrail mark. It is very glossy and vibrant. Beautiful!

Winning  
Bid:

**\$58.89**

Ended: 3/25/07

History: 3 bids

Starting Bid: \$9.99

Winner: Huntington Beach, CA

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## Amy's Story (eBay id: amycats2)

Since I live in northwest Ohio, our garage sale season is pretty much limited to the warm summer months. So I was excited to spot the first garage sale sign of the year in early March. The sale itself didn't look very promising and the nice man running it followed me around, trying to talk me into buying some old videos and broken tools. This bright yellow bowl caught my eye and I flipped it over. I recognized the name Metlox and it looked like it was in good condition, so I decided to take a chance for \$2.00.

I did a little research and learned that Metlox was a pottery manufacturer in California and that the Lotus design was discontinued in the early 1980's. The bright color was called Canary Yellow and I used that infor-

mation in my description. The bowl attracted some watchers right away so I was hopeful that it would get some bids. I was pleasantly surprised at the ending price!

My kids enjoy going to rummage and garage sales with me, though sometimes I have to remind my daughter not to call out loudly, "Are you going to sell that on Ebay, Mommy?" My nine-year-old son likes to read Lynn's books and enjoys watching my auctions end when the bidding gets fast and furious. Sometimes I can even talk them into helping me pack boxes full of foam peanuts. As they get older, Ebaying is becoming more of a family affair!

