Auction Intelligence™ — What's my item worth?

1884-CC Morgan silver dollar in original black GSA "Carson City Uncirculated Silver Dollar" holder · CC verified from photo · no box/COA seen · prepared Nov 2, 2026





Owner photos: holder & reverse

Value range (as is)	Suggested max bid	Suggested sell price	Confidence
$340 – $370	**$300** all-in, incl. buyer's premium	**$355 – $365**	**Medium-High** 7 independent checks

Our read: a raw (ungraded) 1884-CC still sealed in its GSA holder, no box or paperwork, trades in a tight band on eBay — six such sales in the last week of October 2026 landed between $343 and $366. Third-party graded GSA slabs bring more ($345–$550). The silver inside is worth only about $39, so nearly all of the value is collector premium for the Carson City mint mark and GSA provenance. The max bid leaves room for fees and the risk that the coin shows hairlines or is not what the holder says. **CC mint mark: verified** from the owner's clear reverse photo (below the wreath). We count this as one of the 7 checks.

SOLD COMPS (CONFIRMED SALES)

#	Site	Item	Date sold	Sold price	Link
1	eBay (via PriceCharting log)	1884-CC GSA Morgan, raw in GSA holder	Oct 31, 2026	$366.00	pricecharting.com/.../1884-cc
1b	eBay (same log)	Raw GSA examples (3 more)	Oct 28–29, 2026	$355.00 · $356.00 · $343.01	same page
2	GreatCollections	CACG MS-62, GSA holder	Apr 5, 2026	$345.00	greatcollections.com/Coin/1813943
3	Pristine Auction	CAC MS62, GSA hoard	Apr 29, 2026	$374.99 bid; $438.74 with premium	pristineauction.com/a12170945
4	HiBid (KDC auction)	CACG MS64, GSA hoard	Mar 15, 2026	$550.00	hibid.com/lot/287293448

eBay prices come from PriceCharting's sold-sales log. We couldn't open the individual eBay listings, and PriceCharting puts listing photos behind a paid subscription. GreatCollections shows bid amounts only after you log in; NGC MS-65 GSA results there (May 31, 2026) did not show a public price, so we left them out. We found no public Heritage result this round.

REFERENCE GUIDE & HARD VALUE

PCGS Price Guide (PCGS #7152, 1884-CC, MS63): **$450**, as shown Nov 2, 2026. This is for a PCGS slab, not a raw GSA coin. pcgs.com/auctionprices/.../7152

Melt value: 0.77344 oz × $50.60 silver spot (Nov 2, 2026, 4:42 PM EST) = **$39.14**. spot source

LISTED NOW — ASKING PRICES, NOT SALES

APMEX: 1884-CC BU (GSA), **$419.99 asking** (check/wire) apmex.com/product/8614

Long Island Rare Coins: 1884-CC GSA with box & COA, **$350.00 asking** longislandrarecoins.com

Mount Vernon Coin: 1884-CC GSA case, Choice BU, **$445.00 asking** mountvernoncoinco.com

WHAT TO CHECK IN PERSON

- **Box & COA:** the original blue GSA box and certificate add value. Ask the seller if they have them.
- **Holder:** look for cracks, a seam that has been pried open, or a loose fit. Damage lowers the value and can point to tampering.
- **Coin surface:** check for cleaning (dull, uniform shine), hairlines, rim nicks, and heavy bag marks on the cheek.
- **Slabbing:** NGC and PCGS will grade the coin with a "GSA" designation. That generally makes sense only if it looks like MS64 or better, or prooflike. At MS62–63, the fees can use up most of the gain.

FAKES / LOOK-ALIKES

- **Fake GSA holders** exist: watch for wrong fonts, cheap thin plastic, sloppy "Carson City" lettering, or a missing card insert.
- **Coin swaps:** a common Philadelphia or New Orleans Morgan, or a cleaned or damaged CC coin, can be put inside a real opened holder. The CC on this coin is verified from the photo, so if you buy, check that the coin you get is the same one.
- Counterfeit Morgans are common. Weight (26.73 g) can only be checked once the coin is out of the holder, so don't pay extra unless the holder and coin both check out.

Terms used: **GSA** General Services Administration, the U.S. agency that sold the Treasury's Carson City dollar hoard in 1972–1980 · **CC** Carson City Mint · **PCGS** Professional Coin Grading Service · **NGC** Numismatic Guaranty Company · **CAC / CACG** Certified Acceptance Corporation / CAC Grading · **MS-62/63/64/65** Mint State grade on the 1–70 scale · **BU** Brilliant Uncirculated · **COA** Certificate of Authenticity · **ASW** actual silver weight · **oz** troy ounce · **g** grams · **EST** Eastern Standard Time

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