The emergency hood release tool is used when either the hood release cable breaks or the little barrel slides off of the cable end.

To use the tool you need to reach up under the car with the tool and put the little hook of the tool onto the release lever. The release lever is where the hood release cable normally is fastened. It is located on the driver side at the firewall near the starter solenoid. After getting the hook of the tool on the release lever, move the end of the tool toward the rear of the car. This should release the hood latch mechanism.

To help keep the barrel from slipping off the wire, after installing the barrel bend the wire as shown in the picture.

If you have any questions please call our restoration shop at 740/622-9700. They should be able to walk you through the procedure.

