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### ATTACH AND ALIGN GASKET.

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**TEST RUN ENGINE.** Check all mating areas thoroughly to determine that all seals hold during operation.



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**REMOVE MANIFOLDS** from cylinder heads. **IMPORTANT:** You must disassemble the intake manifold from the exhaust manifold to allow for corrected realignment of the manifolds to the cylinder head during the reassembly.

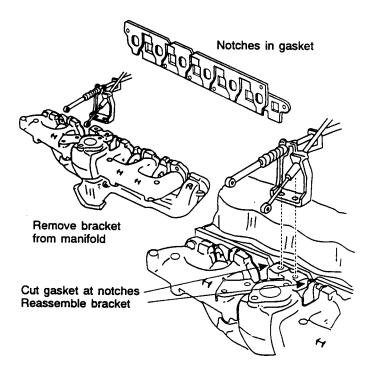
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