

JLG Forklift Parts

JLG Forklift Parts - After retiring in the late 1960's, John L. Grove embarked on a cross country RV voyage. After spending many years establishing his family built crane business with his brother, John had no idea that this trip would give birth to the rise of JLG Industries, Inc. The world leader of mobile aerial work platforms and precision material handling equipment was the end result of a road expedition.

During their journey, John reacquainted himself with previous business acquaintances along the way. In combination with these conversations and a significant event; two workers had been unfortunately electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were passing through the Hoover Dam. John discovered a vast market for a product that could quickly and safely lift people in the air to accomplish maintenance and other building services.

Upon returning from their travels, John formed a joint venture with two friends and acquired a metal fabricating business in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. In 1970, starting operations with a crew of twenty staff, they manufactured and sold the first JLG aerial work platform. The business incorporates some of the basic design essentials of that original lift into existing models.

JLG lift trucks have come a long way from the time when Mr. John L. Grove came back to town from his cross-country road trip and since the initial aerial work platform debuted on the market. These days, the company proudly continues to expand itself into numerous marketplaces worldwide and develops new products to ensure clients are capable of being more effective and perform in the workplace within a safer environment.