JLG Forklift Parts

JLG Forklift Parts - Following retirement in the late 1960's, John L. Grove embarked on on a cross country RV trip. After spending numerous years establishing his family built crane business with his brother, John had no idea that this journey 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 consequence of a road expedition.

While on their trip, John spent time talking to former business associates whom the Groves stopped to visit along the way. These conversations combined with a tragic event-two workers being electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were going to the Hoover Dam- John discovered a vast marketplace for a product that could swiftly and safely elevate individuals in the air to accomplish maintenance and other construction services.

Following their return from vacation, John set up a business with two of his friends and bought a metal fabrication company in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. Starting with a small crew of twenty staff, they produced and sold their first JLG aerial work platform in 1970. The business incorporates many of the simple design elements of that original lift into current models.

Since then, JLG Forklifts have come a great distance from when Mr. John L. Grove returned from his fatefull cross-country journey and since the first JLG aerial platform entered the market. As of today, the company has expanded itself into several international markets and continues to cultivate new machinery to ensure that clients are able to become safer and more efficient within their workplace.