JLG Forklift Parts

JLG Forklift Part - In the late 1960's John L. Grove, with his wife Cora embarked on on a cross country trip in their RV. Freshly retired, after spending numerous years working with his brother to assemble their crane company into an industry leader, John had no idea that important trip would allow JLG Industries, Inc to emerge. The world leader of mobile aerial work platforms and precision material handling technologies was the end result of a road expedition.

While on their journey, John spent time conversing with past business acquaintances whom the Groves stopped to visit along the way. These conversations combined with a tragic incident-two workers being electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were visiting Hoover Dam- John uncovered a substantial marketplace for a product that could quickly and securely elevate people in the air to accomplish maintenance and other building functions.

Upon returning from their travels, John formed a partnership with two friends and acquired a metal fabrication business in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. In 1970, starting operations with a crew of twenty workers, they designed and sold the first JLG aerial work platform. The company incorporates some of the basic design essentials of that original lift into existing versions.

JLG forklifts 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. Today, the company proudly continues to expand itself into many markets globally and develops new products to make sure consumers are capable of being more efficient and perform in the workplace within a safer environment.