JLG Forklift Part

JLG Forklift Parts - Following retirement in the late 1960's, John L. Grove started out on a cross country RV voyage. After spending many years establishing his family built crane company with his brother, John had no idea that this journey would bring forth 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 trip.

Whilst on their trip, John spent time talking to former business contacts whom the Groves stopped to see along the way. These conversations combined with a tragic occurrence-two workers being electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were going to the Hoover Dam- John discovered a substantial market for a product that could quickly and securely elevate people in the air to accomplish upkeep and other building services.

Following their return from holiday, John set up a business with two of his friends and obtained 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 some of the basic design elements of that original lift into current versions.

Since then, JLG Forklifts have come a long way from when Mr. John L. Grove came back from his fatefull cross-country journey and since the first JLG aerial platform entered the market. As of today, the company has extended itself into several global marketplaces and continues to develop new equipment to ensure that clients are able to become safer and more resourceful within their workplace.