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JLG Forklift Parts - Following retirement in the late 1960's, John L. Grove set out on a cross country RV expedition. After spending many years establishing his family built crane company with his brother, John had no idea that this trip would bring about the rise of JLG Industries, Inc. The world leader of mobile aerial work platforms and precision materials handling equipment was the end result of a road expedition.

Whilst on their journey, John spent time conversing with previous business acquaintances 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 uncovered a vast marketplace for a product that could quickly and safely elevate people in the air to accomplish upkeep and other construction functions.

Upon returning from their travels, John formed a partnership with two friends and obtained a metal fabricating company in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. In 1970, opening operations with a crew of twenty personnel, they designed and sold the first JLG aerial work platform. The company incorporates many of the basic design essentials of that original lift into current models.

JLG lift trucks have come a long way since Mr. John L. Grove returned to town from his cross-country road trip and since the first aerial work platform debuted on the market. At present, the business proudly continues to expand itself into various marketplaces globally and develops new products to make sure clients are capable of being more effective and perform in the workplace within a safer atmosphere.