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JLG Forklift Parts - In the late 1960's John L. Grove, with his wife Cora embarked on on a cross country trip in their RV. Newly retired, after spending many years working with his brother to develop their crane business into an industry leader, John had no idea that momentous trip would permit JLG Industries, Inc to emerge. The world leader of mobile aerial work platforms and precision material handling equipment was the end result of a road trip.

During their journey, John reacquainted himself with former business acquaintances along the way. In combination with these conversations and a significant event; two workers were unfortunately electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were passing through the Hoover Dam. John uncovered a vast marketplace for a product that could promptly and safely lift individuals in the air to accomplish upkeep and other construction functions.

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

JLG lift trucks have come a ways 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. Nowadays, the business proudly continues to expand itself into many markets globally and develops new products to ensure customers are capable of being more efficient and perform in the workplace within a safer atmosphere.