

JLG Attachments

JLG Attachment - After retiring in the late 1960's, John L. Grove embarked on a cross country RV trip. After spending many years establishing his family built crane business 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 technologies was the end result of a road trip.

All through their trip, John reacquainted himself with previous business acquaintances along the way. In combination with these conversations and a significant event; two workers had been unfortunately electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were passing through the Hoover Dam. John uncovered a considerable marketplace for a product that could swiftly and safely elevate individuals in the air to accomplish maintenance and other construction services.

After returning from their vacation, John set up a partnership with two of his friends and bought a metal fabrication business in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. Starting with a small crew of twenty personnel, they fashioned and sold their first JLG aerial work platform in 1970. The business incorporates some of the basic design elements of that original lift into existing designs.

JLG forklifts have come a long way from the time when Mr. John L. Grove returned to town from his cross-country road trip and since the first aerial work platform debuted on the market. Today, the business proudly continues to expand itself into a range of markets worldwide and develops new products to make certain consumers are capable of being more efficient and perform in the workplace within a safer environment.