JLG Attachment

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

All through their trip, John reacquainted himself with past business associates along the way. In combination with these conversations and a noteworthy event; two workers were unfortunately electrocuted on scaffolding when the Groves were passing through the Hoover Dam. John uncovered an infinite market for a product that could promptly and safely lift people in the air to accomplish maintenance and other building functions.

After their return from vacation, John set up a partnership with two of his friends and purchased a metal fabricating company in McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania. Opening with a small crew of twenty personnel, they fashioned and sold their first JLG aerial work platform in 1970. The company incorporates many of the simple design elements 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 first aerial work platform debuted on the market. At present, the company proudly continues to expand itself into a range of markets worldwide and develops new products to make sure clients are capable of being more effective and perform in the workplace within a safer environment.