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Professional Summary

Dependable and skilled Fabrication Operator and CDL Driver with 20+ years of combined experience in metal fabrication, MIG welding, and commercial driving. Proven ability to operate and maintain industrial machinery, read and measure parts to precise specifications, and maintain a clean, safe work environment. Experienced in regional freight hauling across KS, MO, OK, and TX with a clean driving record.

Work Experience

Stanley Black & Decker – Hesston, KS

Fabrication Operator | January 2025 – Present

- Operate laser cutting machine to fabricate precision parts for lawnmowers.
- Measure and verify part dimensions to ensure quality and accuracy.
- Operate forklift to transport raw materials and finished products safely.
- Maintain clean, organized work area and uphold company safety standards.

Welder | August 2020 – January 2025

- Performed MIG welding to assemble structural parts for lawnmowers.
- Interpreted blueprints, drawings, and work orders to complete projects to specification.
- Conducted visual inspections and measurements to verify weld quality.
- Contributed to efficient production flow by completing welds with accuracy and consistency.

Trinity Trucking – Mount Hope, KS

Truck Driver | November 2018 – August 2020

- Hauled grain and cement across multiple states, meeting strict loading and unloading schedules.
- Conducted pre-trip inspections and routine maintenance checks to ensure vehicle safety.
- Complied with DOT regulations by maintaining accurate electronic logbooks.

Truck Driver – Multiple Employers (KS & Midwest Region)

2012 – 2018

- Delivered freight including canned goods, regional commodities, and general goods.
- Maintained consistent on-time deliveries while complying with scale checks and DOT standards.
- Built reputation for reliability and safe driving in solo and team environments.

Full Vision – Newton, KS

Welder | June 2016 – November 2018

- Welded treadmill frames and safety equipment using MIG processes.
- Read and interpreted blueprints to ensure precise welding.
- Maintained machinery, hoses, and fixtures to extend equipment life.

Education & Training

Brooks Trade School – Newton, KS

Trade School in Welding, May 1992

Skills

- MIG Welding & Fabrication
- Laser Cutting Machines
- Forklift Operation (unlicensed)
- Freight Hauling (Regional)
- Vehicle Safety & Inspections
- DOT Compliance & E-Logs
- Team Collaboration & Safety Practices