



JARED'S STORY

Jared works for a farming and ranching operation in southwest Oklahoma which specializes in producing wheat and raising show lambs. He has also taken interest in the pecan industry and opened a roadside market. Jared was injured in an automobile accident that damaged his spinal cord and made his job nearly impossible. Jared was determined to overcome the obstacles he encountered because of the accident.

With funding made available through the Department of Rehabilitation Services, AgrAbility helped Jared select and obtain hand controls, a Turney seat and a wheelchair lift for his pickup. Now, he is able to get in his vehicle and drive to the farm without assistance. Additionally, Oklahoma AgrAbility and the Department of Rehabilitation Services assisted Jared with vehicle hand controls and a wheelchair lift so he can continue his work on the farm and expand his pecan business.

“I'd rather farm than do anything else,” Jared said.

