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**WINGS FULLY OPERATIONAL
AT ANY ANGLE UP TO 90°**

First Folding 40-Ft. Header



A Deere 24 ft. header was cut down to 20 ft. for center section. Two other used Deere headers were "re-tooled" to make the 10 ft. folding wings. Sickles overlap so there's no "cutting gap" between the three sections.

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"People challenged me to build it, so I did," says Kansas farmer Greg Morris, of Hugoton, about his first-of-its-kind folding, 40-ft. header built out of three junked John Deere headers and mounted on a Deere 8820.

Last fall, FARM SHOW reported on the first-anywhere folding header from Fisher-Humphries in England. Unlike that header, which folded in the middle, Greg's header folds up 10 ft. wings at the ends of a 20 ft. center section. Even with the wings up, his header still works, a feature which could make giant-sized headers practical in hilly areas.

Greg farms several thousand acres of wheat, milo and corn in partnership with his father Harry, and brother Steve. They use 40-ft. planting and tillage equipment, most of which they build in their farm shop. For harvesting milo, for example, Greg built a second 40-ft. header outfitted with Hesston row crop units. Mounted on the Deere 8820, it replaces two Deere 6600's with 20-ft. headers.

"We often have to go slow to pick

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