

# Emergency Gear Selection & Operation

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If the shift switches do not operate, use the following procedure to manually select a gear so you may drive the vehicle to a location where it can be loaded and transported to your dealer.

1. Turn the ignition switch to the "ON" (q) position.
2. Remove the seat (page 112).
3. Remove the rear fender cover (page 115) and tank cover assembly (page 113).
4. Remove the gear change tool from under the rear fender cover (page 110).
5. Check the neutral indicator.  
If the transmission is in neutral, go to step 6.  
If the transmission is not in neutral, use the gear change tool to shift to neutral so you will be able to start the engine. Refer to *How to Shift Gears Manually*: (page 209).
6. Apply the parking brake.
7. Press the start button to start the engine.
8. Select the gear you want. For running on level ground: use 3rd or 4th gear. For mountainous roads: use 2nd or 3rd gear. Refer to *How to Shift Gears Manually*: (page 209).
9. Return the gear change tool to under the rear fender cover.
10. Install the tank cover assembly and rear fender cover.
11. Install the seat.
12. Get on the ATV. Ride it at a safe speed to a place where it can be repaired or serviced.