

The Patriot Story

Patriot was founded in 2010 by Tom & Sarah Click. Like many American Manufacturing startups, Patriot's beginnings were small and focused. Launching right after the Great Recession, the original business consisted of:

Tom Click + 1,000 Square Feet of Leased Space + 1 Hand Threading Machine

After finalizing the business plan, and finding a banker who knew what pipe was, Tom & Sarah pulled money out of their 401ks to complete the initial funding. It was a big risk, and it paid off.

By the end of 2010, Patriot had it's first Landis Double End Threading Machine. From the very beginning, Patriot was committed to the ["Traditional Values of American Manufacturing"](#) i.e., producing the absolute best quality and providing unmatched service and flexibility, all while maintaining a competitive price. Adherence to these values resulted in rapid growth for the company. In 2017, for the [3rd year in a row](#), Patriot was named to Inc Magazine's list of the 5000 Fastest Growing Companies in America.

Today Patriot has a new, fully modernized 30,000 SqFt Factory in Louisa, Virginia, 50,000 SqFt in Richmond, Virginia and 60,000 SqFt in Houston, Texas. The company has 80 employees, 6 Delivery Vehicles, 5 Landis Double Head Conduit Production Lines, 20 Haas CNC Centers, a 10 station Nipple Line, 3 Wallace Large Radius Shipyard Benders, and 6 Pedrick Rotary Compression Benders. Many in the workforce are US Military Veterans. Patriot maintains \$9,000,000 of inventory in 12 Regional Warehouses Nationwide.

Looking ahead, Tom & Sarah intend to continue to grow Patriot by adding new products, new production capabilities, and even new production facilities...continuing the story for the next generation, and inspiring action in support of [American Manufacturing](#).

