Basic Operation

To stop the engine, turn the ignition switch to the OFF (O) position. Remember to apply the parking brake and remove the key if you plan to leave the vehicle.

Selecting a Shift Position

You can drive your vehicle either forward or backward by moving the shift lever from neutral (N) to drive (D) or reverse (R).

Remember, to avoid damaging the transmission, move the shift lever only when the vehicle is stopped and the engine is idling. See page 19 for additional information.

Selecting a Drive Mode

2WD This mode supplies power to the rear wheels only, and

both the front and rear differentials are unlocked. This mode is best for surfaces with good traction, and for

operation on lawns.

4WD This mode supplies power to the front and rear wheels,

(Rear Diff and locks the rear differential. Steering will require Lock) slightly more effort than with 2WD. This mode is

recommended for driving on surfaces with relatively poor

traction.

4WD This mode supplies power to the front and rear wheels, (All Diff and locks the front and rear differentials. As a result, Lock)

steering will require extra space and effort. Select this

mode for maximum traction.

Before using the drive mode select lever to change from one mode to another, be sure the vehicle is stopped and the engine is idling. See pages 20, 21 for additional information.

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