

WATCH YOUR FEET AND HANDS

LOOKS LIKE WE ALL GOTTA GO TOP-SIDE.

YOU GUYS AREN'T GOING ANYWHERE!

NOPE! NOT UNTIL YOU LEARN WHERE NOT TO STEP...

...AND WHAT NOT TO GRAB!



When you're hiking, be aware of where you put your hands and feet. Snakes and other critters can hurt you or you can hurt yourself stepping in the wrong place or grabbing the wrong thing.

The same goes for looking around your aircraft. Be careful where you plant your feet when you go topside and watch what you grab with your hands to get there.

Stepping on NO STEP zones can crack the bird's unsupported skin. Grabbing things like the FM homing antenna or the cockpit foam glare shield on a Black Hawk can cause damage. They're not handholds.

Many areas on your aircraft cannot take your weight.

So if you're unfamiliar or unsure about your bird's NO STEP areas and the NO HANDHOLD areas, check your aircraft's markings, TM and IETM. They'll show all the steps, handholds and walkways, as well as NO STEP areas.