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THE BIRTH AND GROWTH OF HANG GLIDING AND PARAGLIDING



Francis Rogallo's story



The story of modern hang gliding inevitably involves the name of Dr Rogallo at an early stage. Indeed, in many countries the most popular form of glider was simply referred to as a 'Rogallo' for much of the 1970s. Here, in Francis Rogallo's own words, is the story of how the wing originated and was developed. He was born in Fresno County, California, on 27 January the 27, 1912.

